From: <u>Lisa C. Kunz</u>

To: <u>Bob Kelly</u>; <u>Mary Sheehy Moe</u>; <u>Owen Robinson</u>; <u>Rick Tryon</u>; <u>Tracy Houck</u>

Cc: Greg Doyon; Charles Anderson; Krista Artis

Subject: FW: Agenda items #11 & #12 – Resolution 10428 & 10429

Date: Tuesday, October 19, 2021 11:45:25 AM

Attachments: <u>image001.png</u>

See Shane Etzwiler's comments for Commission consideration this evening.

Lisa

From: Lisa C. Kunz

Sent: Tuesday, October 19, 2021 11:44 AM

To: 'Shane Etzwiler' < setzwiler@GreatFallsChamber.org>

Cc: info@greatfallsbid.com; Craig Raymond <craymond@greatfallsmt.net>

Subject: RE: Agenda items #11 & #12 - Resolution 10428 & 10429

Thank you for your comments on these two agenda items for commission consideration this evening.

Best,

Lisa Kunz

City Clerk/Records Manager Civic Center Room 204 406.455.8451

From: Shane Etzwiler < setzwiler@GreatFallsChamber.org>

Sent: Tuesday, October 19, 2021 11:41 AM **To:** commission < commission@greatfallsmt.net>

Cc: info@greatfallsbid.com; Craig Raymond < craymond@greatfallsmt.net >

Subject: Agenda items #11 & #12 – Resolution 10428 & 10429

I am submitting in writing, as I have another meeting this evening, in favor of these two resolutions.

For Agenda Item #11 Resolution # 10428 – the Great Falls Area Chamber of Commerce was also a partner in contributing \$1,000 toward the Wayfinding project (July 2020), but were inadvertently omitted being included as a contributor in the application (Section/Question #8 – fourth paragraph). Both as a contributor and a supporter of this project, we ask the City Commission to vote in favor of this application.

As I have lived in many communities and many states all over the country – a city with Wayfinding signing is a tremendous asset to visitors, but more importantly speaks to the caring nature of the city, and it highlights many of the options available to visitors and our citizens. A city with a Wayfinding program sets itself apart from other communities that don't have a Wayfinding signing program.

For Agenda Item #12, Resolution # 10429 – we are again asking the City Commission to vote in favor of using TIF funds for the Wayfinding signage project directing people to the West Bank Urban Renewal District, which is rapidly becoming a destination due to its development and growth.

Thank you for your consideration of both of these requests and the Great Falls Area Chamber of Commerce representing over 680 members of our business community strongly supports both resolutions.

Thank you! Shane Etzwiler

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From: <u>Lisa C. Kunz</u>
To: <u>Krista Artis</u>

Subject: FW: Commission Meeting 10/19 Resolution 10429 - In Favor

Date: Friday, October 15, 2021 10:15:46 AM

From: Lisa C. Kunz

Sent: Friday, October 15, 2021 10:10 AM **To:** 'andy ferrin' <andy_ferrin@hotmail.com>

Subject: RE: Commission Meeting 10/19 Resolution 10429 - In Favor

Thank you for your comments, Andy. Your comments will be shared with the Commission and appropriate staff for consideration of Resolution 10429, Agenda Item 12 on the October 19, 2021 agenda.

Best regards,

Lisa Kunz

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From: andy ferrin@hotmail.com>

Sent: Friday, October 15, 2021 9:35 AM

To: commission < commission@greatfallsmt.net >

Subject: Commission Meeting 10/19 Resolution 10429 - In Favor

Commission,

Andy Ferrin again - 308 1st Ave South

I am in full support of Resolution 10429 as well. West Bank is a great addition to our community and getting wayfinding is just another win - win for everybody.

From: Lisa C. Kunz
To: Krista Artis

Subject: FW: Commission Meeting 10/19 Resolution 10428 - In Favor

Date: Friday, October 15, 2021 10:15:52 AM

From: Lisa C. Kunz

Sent: Friday, October 15, 2021 10:11 AM **To:** 'andy ferrin' <andy_ferrin@hotmail.com>

Subject: FW: Commission Meeting 10/19 Resolution 10428 - In Favor

Correction - - October 19th Agenda!

Have a great weekend.

Lisa

From: Lisa C. Kunz

Sent: Friday, October 15, 2021 10:07 AM **To:** 'andy ferrin' <andy_ferrin@hotmail.com>

Subject: RE: Commission Meeting 10/19 Resolution 10428 - In Favor

Thank you for your comments, Andy. Your comments will be shared with the Commission and appropriate staff for consideration of Resolution 10428, Agenda Item 11 on the November 2, 2021 agenda.

Best regards,

Lisa Kunz

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From: andy ferrin < andy_ferrin@hotmail.com>

Sent: Friday, October 15, 2021 9:33 AM

To: commission < commission@greatfallsmt.net >

Subject: Commission Meeting 10/19 Resolution 10428 - In Favor

Commissions,

My name is Andy Ferrin - 308 1st Ave South

As a property owner of 3 buildings downtown, owner of 4 businesses and past BID Board Chairman, I am in full support of Resolution 10428 - to direct Downtown TIFF funds to be used for the cost of manufacturing and installation of Wayfinding signs within or directing traffic towards the Downtown Urban Renewal District.

This has been a goal for the downtown for over a decade - cant wait to see the completed project!

Thank you

-Andy Ferrin