



April 6, 2016

Dear Fun for All Playground Supporters,

I am very happy to write this letter of support on behalf of the City of Shakopee for the Shakopee Fun For All Inclusive Playground. The City of Shakopee is dedicated to providing the community with high quality, safe park facilities and playgrounds. In planning an upgrade to one of the City's oldest playgrounds, the concept of an inclusive playground was presented. The idea of developing and installing a playground that is unique, safe and offers opportunities to all people of all ages and abilities is an idea the city feels is so important to pursue.

On May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016 the City Council unanimously supported the concept of renovating Lions Park playground to an inclusive playground. At the same meeting the City Council also fully supported the fundraising efforts of the playground task force. The City is committed to allocating \$150,000 or 38% of the playground estimate to the construction of the playground.

The city is also dedicated to securing more funding for the playground by actively writing grants to assist the playground task force. The construction of the Fun For All Inclusive Playground is extremely important to the city. The city fully supports the inclusive playground design and the task force. Without amazing and dedicated volunteers and supporters, the City could not offer unique and special programs and facilities to the community such as the Fun For All Playground.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "William Reynolds", is written over a horizontal line.

William Reynolds, City Administrator  
City of Shakopee, MN