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MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 16, 2015
TO: 25 Cities approved for Park Grants in January 2015

FROM: Tim Fischesser, Grant Administrator

RE: Grants Approved in Round 15 (Please pass on to your park staff & city officials)

Congratulations! The grant you requested was approved by the Grant Commission. Total grant requests in Round 15 summed just over \$10.8 million. The Commission had \$8.4 million available for grant funding this year. 33 grants were submitted and 25 were approved this round. The cities and awarded amounts are shown below.

We are fortunate to have this source of revenue which was created by voters in 2000 and increased in 2012. Including this round, about 271 municipal grants will have been funded totaling over \$43 million. The Commission tries to allocate funds the same year received so that the funds can benefit your citizens as soon as possible.

We will be sending you an agreement that contains the items approved and ask that you review it carefully. In most cases, the lists of items that the commission will reimburse you for is nearly identical to the list submitted by the your city.

We would like to thank you for your participation in the Municipal Park Grant program and we appreciate all the support and hard work you put into making the program a huge success. We could not do this without your partnership!

We also wish to thank the members of the Advisory Committee who volunteered many hours each to review all of the applications. They are:

Murray Pounds, Chairman, Parks & Recreation Director, Kirkwood
Tom McCarthy, Parks & Recreation Director, Chesterfield
Teresa Proebsting, Parks Director, Richmond Heights
Linda Bruer, Parks Director, Ballwin
Gerald Brown, Parks Director, Sunset Hills
Stan Krietler, Parks & Recreation Director, Ferguson
Cindy Tharp, Recreation Director, Jennings
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The 25 projects slated to receive funds in 2015 are listed below.

City	Project	Amount Awarded
Ballwin	Ballwin Golf Course Irrigation	\$524,400
Bella Villa	George Appel Park Phase 1 shelter & parking	\$260,558
Berkeley	Rehabilitation & re-opening of pool	\$370,000
Brentwood	Brentwood Rec Complex ice rink refrigeration replacement	\$370,000
Chesterfield	Central Park & CVAC Playgrounds	\$265,844
Cool Valley	Ball Creek Park playing field, paths	\$262,300
Crestwood	Spellman Park Tennis courts, picnic shelter & playground	\$306,533
Creve Coeur	Dielmann Recreation Complex & ice rink renovations	\$475,000
Crystal Lake Park	Hunter Park Phase 1 playground & walks	\$262,455
Des Peres	Pioneer Park Tennis & Basketball courts, parking	\$370,000
Ferguson	Ferguson Community Center trail & volleyball court	\$224,692
Florissant	Tower Court Park tennis court rehabilitation	\$249,607
Maplewood	Kellogg Park shelter & restrooms	\$347,848
Maryland Heights	McKelvey Woods trail & parking	\$511,221
Moline Acres	City Park playground, picnic shelter, walks	\$314,769
Pacific	Purchase & improve Jensen Point Meramec River overlook	\$350,000
Pasadena Hills	Roland Park pond dredging & deck	\$277,500
Richmond Heights	AB Green Park restrooms and pavilion project	\$370,000
St. Ann	Community Center HVAC Replacement	\$420,000
St. John	Home Heights Park new sewer line	\$94,000
Town & Country	Longview tennis court replacement	\$71,250
University City	Millar Park playground, field, parking	\$525,000
Warson Wood	Royal Oaks park shelter, restroom & courts	\$265,000
Wildwood	Community Park playground & trail	\$400,000
Woodson Terrace	Brown Park community center building	\$315,000
	TOTAL AWARDED:	\$8,202,977