



**TO:** Arapahoe County Open Spaces  
**FROM:** High Line Canal Conservancy  
Harriet Crittenden LaMair, Executive Director  
**DATE:** August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**SUBJECT:** High Line Canal Conservancy Request for Signage Matching Funds

The High Line Canal Conservancy (Conservancy) is thrilled to be implementing the first-ever comprehensive sign package for the High Line Canal (Canal). The sign package was included in The Plan for the High Line Canal that was completed in 2019 and endorsed by all of the jurisdictions along the Canal. The sign package will provide critical wayfinding to help users connect to the Canal and move along the corridor. The signs will also provide important information about rules and regulations that help to orient users to this unique open space. The Conservancy is writing this letter to request that matching funds for the local governments and parks districts come to the Conservancy so that we can pay for fabrication and installation of this exciting sign package.

The Conservancy is serving as the project manager for implementation of the Canal-wide sign package. We are working closely with each of the local governments and parks districts along the Canal to identify which signs are needed, develop content for each sign and manage the selected sign fabricator, ADCON Signs. As a part of this project management role, the Conservancy will be collecting funds from each local government and parks district to pay for fabrication and installation. This approach comes with significant cost savings by fabricating signs for multiple jurisdictions through a single project. We are requesting the following funds from Arapahoe County Open Spaces that will be matched 1:1 by each partner:

- South Suburban Parks and Recreation District: \$52,815
- City of Greenwood Village: \$42,084
- City of Cherry Hills Village: \$19,308

We are so appreciative for the continued leadership of Arapahoe County Open Spaces. Preserving, protecting and enhancing the High Line Canal would not be possible without your support. Please feel free to contact me with any additional questions or comments at [harriet@highlinecanal.org](mailto:harriet@highlinecanal.org) or 720-217-2056.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Harriet Crittenden LaMair".

Harriet Crittenden LaMair, Executive Director  
High Line Canal Conservancy