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| **Name of Awarded Entity** | City / County / Pueblo / Town / Village of XXX |

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| **Project Summary -** Detail all project efforts. |
| By adding a recycled bench to Veteran’s Park we will allow visitors to sit and reflect in the space. The community garden next to the memorial will increase community members visiting the area in the warmer months. We intend to have a ribbon cutting and dedication ceremony for the bench. |

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| **Statement of Need -** Detail how you determined the need for these project efforts. |
| Veteran’s Park is a recent addition to our community, and we are in the process of planting trees and adding native plants to the area. With funding allocated from this grant we are able to increase the planting area of community garden area as well. With interest to visit this area, we have realized that we do not have adequate areas for our community members to sit, reflect, and enjoy the Memorial or the community garden. The County has purchased three recycled benches, and we would like to purchase a fourth bench to accommodate our patrons; all benches are ADA approved. |

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| **Anticipated Outcomes -** Detail the anticipated outcomes for these project efforts and how you plan to measure success. |
| We anticipate that the improvements to Veteran’s Park will increase visitation and reflection. We intend for the space to be used as an area for all members of our community to enjoy native plants, trees, and to pay their respects to our community’s Veterans. We intend to measure success by community members using the Park throughout the year. |

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| **Promotional Strategy -** Detail any outreach strategies aimed to increase awareness of these project efforts. |
| The public will be invited to the Earth Day event at Veteran’s Park where we will dedicate the benches to our Veteran’s and have a ribbon cutting for the community garden. The community garden planting is being led by the FFA garden club with assistance from the City’s Senior Citizen gardening grandparents organization. We will advertise to all community members with an insert in their utility billing for the months of March and April 2025. |

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| **Quarterly Milestones** - Complete the anticipated quarterly milestones. | | | |
| **Q1:** | N/A | **Q2:** | * Research Recycled Bench for Veteran’s Park * Obtain quotes for bench |
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| **Q3:** | * Purchase Bench for Veterans Park * Public Works/Parks Department to prep area for placement * Permanently place bench in Park. | **Q4:** | * Earth Day Event – ribbon cutting for Community Garden and Park Bench dedication |
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| **Budget Schedule** - Complete the budget schedule template. List the objective, cost breakdown, and funding request for each expenditure. | | | |
| **Objective** | **Expenditure** | **Cost Breakdown** | **Funding Request** |
| 2.5 Recycled Bench | Recycled Bench | $1,220.00 –  for 1 Bench | $1,220.00 |
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