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**TO:** Weber School District Board Members: President Paul Widdison, Jon Ritchie, Douglas Hurst, Janis Christensen, Jan Burrell, Bruce Jardine, and Kelly Larson  
Superintendent Gina Butters

**FROM:** Mary Heslop

**DATE:** August 26, 2024

**SUBJECT:** Requesting Approval for the purchase of a new playground at Country View Elementary.

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Country View Elementary has been raising money for a new playground. We have been fortunate enough to receive a RAMP Grant and a Foundation Grant. We have also been able to raise money through school and PTA fundraisers. This new playground will replace an outdated existing playground on the northeast side of the school grounds.

Heather Hales was able to work with and receive letters of support from the Roy City Mayor, Roy City Fire Department, Utah Northern Youth Recreation Soccer, members of the PTA, community council and parent community members. Through this support we were able to receive RAMP Grant approval.

The cost breakdown for the playground includes:

General construction and site prep & surfacing - removal & disposal of existing playground structure & footings, excavation, sand removal, grading, leveling, compacting, & Engineered Wood Fiber Safety Surfacing, Covered by Weber School District Maintenance Department

Sidewalks to each area for wheelchair access (\$4,640) Donated by Apex Concrete Company, LLC

New playground (\$119,631.88) - play & park structures - state contract pricing quote # 23002-1-2

Funding Sources: Country View Elementary fundraised \$19,143.88 + PTA made a donation of \$7,000 + Weber School Foundation gave \$5,000= \$31,143.88, RAMP Grant (\$88,488)

New playground \$119,631.88

President Widdison, I am requesting board approval for the purchase of a new playground for Country View Elementary.

Respectfully,  
Mary Heslop