

SOUTHEAST METRO STORMWATER AUTHORITY
acting by and through
SEMSWA WATER ACTIVITY ENTERPRISE

RESOLUTION 18-12

Authorization for Funding the Cherry Creek Drainage and Flood Control Improvements
Monaco Parkway to Iliff Avenue

WHEREAS, the instability of the Cherry Creek has resulted in severe erosion and high velocities that put existing infrastructure at risk; and

WHEREAS, SEMSWA and the Urban Drainage and Flood Control District (UDFCD) participated in a planning study titled “Cherry Creek Corridor Improvements – East Iliff Avenue to Holly Street” dated September, 2015; and

WHEREAS, a portion of the project, one quarter mile in length, is located in unincorporated Arapahoe County, and the remainder of the over two-mile-long project is located in the City and County of Denver; and

WHEREAS, SEMSWA and UDFCD now desire to design and construct improvements for grade control, stabilization and overbank expansions for flood conveyance as identified in the planning study for Cherry Creek from Monaco Parkway to Iliff Avenue (Project); and

WHEREAS, \$200,000 is identified in SEMSWA’s 2018 Capital Project Budget, \$550,000 is identified in the UDFCD 2018 Capital Project Budget, \$1,900,000 is identified in City and County of Denver’s 2018 Capital Project Budget, and \$1,000,000 is identified in Arapahoe County Open Space’s 2018 Capital Project Budget for the design and construction of the Project; and

WHEREAS, the \$200,000 in SEMSWA’s 2018 Capital Project Budget, the \$1,000,000 in Arapahoe County Open Space’s 2018 Capital Project Budget, as well as SEMSWA’s previous \$300,000 funding of this Project represents an acknowledgment of SEMSWA’s and Arapahoe County’s responsibility for a portion of the Project; and

WHEREAS, SEMSWA, UDFCD, Arapahoe County Open Space, and City and County of Denver are interested in combining resources to design and construct the Project, and UDFCD has agreed to manage the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Board authorizes additional funding in an amount not to exceed \$200,000 for the Project.
2. The Executive Director is authorized to execute an agreement with the UDFCD for the Project.
3. The SEMSWA funding for the Project is limited to \$200,000 without prior approval of the Board.

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Date: _____

ATTEST:

Secretary

Chairperson

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Attorney for
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CHERRY CREEK GREENWAY | Quebec Street to East Iliff Avenue

