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Beautify La Crosse Volunteer Planting Application

Name or Organization: Logan Class of 69/George Huber Date: 11/01/2023

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Location type: (please check appropriate boxes) Boulevard Traffic Circle Median Park

Other, please explain: Eagle Watch - new planting - see attached letter

Location Address or Parcel Number: Eagle Watch Park

What is your intention for this area? Maintenance New Planting Other

Please explain: new planting near memorial bench & tree recently installed for Class of 69

Project plan and materials: Attach additional pages as necessary

Please provide a materials and plant species list, and attach a simple design. (A three-year minimum commitment is required for new projects.) See recommended list plant species as well as other resources available [here](#).

Materials:

black dirt, mulch, landscape fabric (if recommended)

Plant List:

native & pollinator plants, & w/consideration of complementary colors
and succession of bloom time. Examples: black-eyed Susans, butterfly milkweed,
wood lily, phlox, prairie smoke. Also grasses such as pink muhly & prairie drop seed.

Maintenance Plan: *How will the project area be maintained? Applicant is responsible for general maintenance including weeding, watering, trimming, and removal of excess material.*

We would designate class members as a "garden club" who would
plant & maintain the area. They would meet with city parks
staff for consultation in re: to specifics.

For Office Use Only:

Approved by: _____

(print)

(sign)

Date: _____

Rec'd 11/7/2023

November 1, 2023

Re: volunteer planting application

We are sending the attached application after much communication with staff (Amy Gerdts and others) from your agency, and having already received approval for a tree that has just been planted and a memorial bench, also recently installed in the Eagle Watch Park area.

The Logan Class of 69 is the group that was the initiator of this project and will be the group responsible for it going forward. We have had great support for this project from the class members and will be strongly committed to the garden portion.

Since this is a new planting area we are unsure of the specific size of the area, just that it is near the bench and tree that are already in place. We have been informed that there is irrigation in the space that has been proposed to us. Our materials and plants list, as well as the specific design will be reflective of whatever size we are allowed to have for planting. As such, the information on the application page may need more detail or revision as to the amounts needed.

We are very grateful to the City of LaCrosse Parks Department for the opportunity to enhance the Eagle Watch Park in commemoration of the members of Logan's Class of 69 who have passed. We know that many current members have already visited the site and are very happy with the bench and the tree.

Thank you for your consideration of our application.

Ron Javner, George and Rocky Huber