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**CITY OF CRAIG APPROVED FOR AGNC TECHNICAL
ASSISTANCE GRANT**

MONEY TO BE USED FOR DOWNTOWN BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT

CRAIG – Doug Monger, Vice-Chairman of The Associated Governments of Northwest Colorado, and Gene Bilodeau, AGNC Board Member from the City of Craig, are pleased to announce that through AGNC’s \$50,000 Mini-grant program awarded from Department Of Local Affairs, a \$5000 grant, on behalf of the City of Craig, was approved by the AGNC committee.

The \$5000 grant will be used to fund the replacement and/or expansion of outdated streetscape and park equipment in Downtown Craig, in accordance with findings from a downtown assessment completed in March.

Craig City Manager Jim Ferree says that the project will ultimately result in increased traffic and business in downtown Craig, a regional retail and business hub for northwest Colorado.

For more information, or to schedule an interview, please contact AGNC Executive Director Scott McInnis at 970-285-7630

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