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## **Community Preservation Committee Town of Belmont**

DATE: September 29, 2022

TIME: 2:55 PM

## **CPA Funding - Preliminary Application**

Ten copies of the completed Preliminary Application must be submitted to the following address by no later than 7:00PM on Monday, October 10, 2022:

Community Preservation Committee c/o Matthew Haskell, CPA Administrator Office of the Select Board Belmont Town Hall 455 Concord Avenue Belmont, MA 02478

Unless an applicant can demonstrate that a significant opportunity would otherwise be lost, preliminary applications will not be accepted after the submission deadline.

Project Title PQ Park Basketball Court Re	eplacement – In Kind		
Project Location Pequosette Park			
Applicant/Contact Person Brandon Fitts, C	CTRS, CPRP, Director of Recreation		
Organization Town of Belmont			
Mailing Address 19 Moore St. Belmont, MA	. 02478		
Telephone 617.993.2760	E-mail bfitts@belmont-ma.gov		
Signature	Date 9/26/2022		
CPA Category (refer to chart on the following	g page and check all that apply):		
□ Community Housing	☐ Historic Preservation		
□ Open Space	□ Recreation		
Amount Requested \$165,000			
Total Project Cost_\$165,000			

Applicants will present their projects at the CPC Public Meeting on November 9, 2022 and address questions from Belmont residents. It is required that information about the project be in writing and copied for distribution and review at the Public Meeting. This is also an opportunity for project sponsors to ask the CPC any questions regarding the application process.

Chart 1
COMMUNITY PRESERVATION FUND ALLOWABLE SPENDING PURPOSES (G.L. c. 44B, § 5)

	OPEN SPACE	HISTORIC RESOURCES	RECREATIONAL LAND	COMMUNITY HOUSING
<b>DEFINITIONS</b> (G.L. c. 44B, § 2)	Land to protect existing and future well fields, aquifers and recharge areas, watershed land, agricultural land, grasslands, fields, forest land, fresh and salt water marshes and other wetlands, ocean, river, stream, lake and pond frontage, beaches, dunes and other coastal lands, lands to protect scenic vistas, land for wildlife or nature preserve and land for recreational use	Building, str uctrr e, vessel, real property, document or artifact listed on the state register of historic places or determined by the local historic preservation commission to be significant the history, archeology, architecture or culture of the city or town	Land for active or passive recreational use including, but not limited to, the use of land for community gardens, tr ails, and noncommercial youth and adult sports, and the use of land as a park, playground or athletic field Does not include horse or dog racing or the use of land for a stadium, gymnasium or similar structure.	Housing for low and moderate income individuals and families, Including low or moderate Income seniors  Moderate income is less than 100%, and low income is less than 80%, of USHUD Area Wide Median Income
ACQUISITION	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Obtain property interest by gift, purchase, devise, grant, rental, rental purchase, lease or otherwise. Only includes eminent domain taking as provided by G.L. c. 44B				
CREATION	Yes		Yes	Yes
To bring into being or cause to exist. Seideman v. City of Newlon, 452 Mass. 472 (2008)				
PRESERVATION	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Protect personal or real property from injury, harm or destruction	_1	1		
SUPPORT				Yes, includes funding for
Provide grants, loans, rental assistance, security deposits, interest-rate write downs or other forms of assistance directly to individuals and families who are eligible for community housing, or to entity that owns, operates or manages such housing, for the purpose of making housing affordable				community's affordable housing trnst
REHABILITATION AND RESTORATION	Yes if acquired or created with CP funds	Yes	Yes	Yes if acquired or created with CP funds
Make capital improvements, or extraordinary repairs to make assets functional for intended use, including improvements to comply with federal, state or local building or access codes or federal standards for rehabilitation of historic properties				

Include the address/location and current owner of the property, as well as any critical dates. Please attach supplemental information (photographs, drawings, documents, etc.) as desired
The PQ basketball court is in need of replacement. It was the only aspect of the original
renovation of the park that wasn't included in the construction. Parts of the court are torn up and
are dangerous to play on. This project will seek to replace the current basketball court in-kind. The
hope is to combine the design and engineering and construction into one phase since the court
will be replaced as is.
Brief Description of Benefit How does the project fulfill the General and Specific Criteria of the Community Preservation Committee Guidelines?
There are not many outdoor, public basketball courts in Belmont. This court at PQ Park is a
critical piece of infrastructure within the parks system in town. Replacing it in-kind and making
it playable will allow many residents to enjoy the sport.

**Brief Description of Project** 



