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STATE OF MONTANA

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Mayor Bill Cole
City of Billings
PO Box 1178
Billings, MT 59103

Re: Notice of Montana Main Street Impact Grant Award

Dear Mayor Cole:

On behalf of the State of Montana, it is my pleasure to notify you that the City of Billings has been selected for a Montana Main Street Impact Grant award in the amount of \$40,000 to develop a light bike trail in downtown Billings. The award is contingent upon the Department of Commerce receiving the community's 2022 reinvestment statistics.

Montana's Main Street businesses and downtown commercial districts are part of the foundation of our state's economy and our communities. The Montana Main Street Program focuses on economic development, urban revitalization, and historic preservation to make Montana's local economies stronger and create greater opportunities for Montanans.

All awardees will be contacted directly with more information in the upcoming weeks by program staff. If you have any questions, please contact the Community MT Division at the Montana Department of Commerce at 406-841-2770 or DOCCDD@mt.gov.

Congratulations, and I wish you great success in the completion of your project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Greg Gianforte".

Greg Gianforte
Governor

cc: Katy Easton, Downtown Billings BID