BIG SKY RESORT AREA DISTRICT

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-01R

RESOLUTION OF BIG SKY RESORT AREA DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATION OF RESORT TAX FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013

PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN THE BIG SKY RESORT AREA DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS UNDER SECTION 7-6-1542, MCA, AND SECTION 7-6-1547(4), MCA, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HEREBY RESOLVES TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2012-O1R AS FOLLOWS:

WHEREAS, the Big Sky Resort Area District ("District") was created effective April 7, 1998 pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. Section 7-6-1531 through 1550; and

WHEREAS, members of the District Board of Directors ("Board") have been duly elected by the electors residing within the District; and

WHEREAS, the Board may appropriate and expend revenue from the resort tax under Mont. Code Ann. Section 7-6-1542; and

WHEREAS, the Board is authorized to act by resolution under Mont. Code Ann. Section 7-6-1547(4); and

WHEREAS, the Board received numerous applications for receipt of resort tax funds and held a duly noticed public meeting on May 9, 2012 where questions were posed to the applicants by the Board about their applications and public comment was received on the applications; and

WHEREAS, the Board, in a duly noticed public meeting held on June 13, 2012, discussed and voted on the appropriation of resort tax funds for various resort tax applicants and public comment was received on the applications; and

WHEREAS, the Board will execute a separate agreement for the receipt of resort tax funds with each entity that was appropriated resort tax funds;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board as follows:

The following amounts of resort tax revenue are appropriated to the following entities, subject to the conditions, specifications and provisions set forth in the specific agreements to be executed between the Board and each entity:

ORGANIZATION		APPROVED FUNDING
1. Arts Council of Big Sky		
2013 Music in the Mountains		\$94,350.00
2. Big Sky Chamber of Commerce		
Marketing and Promotion		\$217,500.00
Wayfinding, Entry, Lighting		\$225,000.00
Operations/Administrative		\$130,000.00
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3. Big Sky Community Corporation		#A # 000 00
Operation and Maintenance		\$95,000.00
Park Improvements		<u>\$95,000.00</u>
	TOTAL	\$190,000.00
4. Big Sky County Water & Sewer District No. 363		
Recon Dynamics Wireless Telemetry		\$30,000.00
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5. Big Sky Fire Department		*
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6. Big Sky Search and Rescue, Inc.		
Operations		\$12,000.00
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7. Big Sky Transportation District		
Skyline		\$300,000.00
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8. Blue Water Task Force, Inc.		
Watershed Group Funding		\$65,000.00
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9. Friends of the Big Sky Education (Warren Miller)		\$494,415.52
10. Friends of the Big Sky Community Library		
Big Sky Community Library		\$68,400.00
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11. Gallatin County Sheriff's Office		
Big Sky/Canyon Division/Patrol Services		\$124,410.00
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12. Gallatin Valley Snowmobile Association		
Buck Ridge Snowmobile Trail Grooming		\$17,500.00
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13. Jack Creek Preserve Foundation		
Jack Creek Water Quality Monitoring Project		\$1,490.00
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14. Morningstar Learning Center, Inc.		
Morningstar Pre-School		\$24,000.00
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15. Montana State University – Gallatin County Extension Big Sky Forest Health and Fire Safety Program		\$15,600.00	
 16. Northern Rocky Mountain RC&D Bear Smart Gallatin/Big Sky Noxious Weed Project 17. The Post Office, LLC The Big Sky Post Office 	TOTAL	\$7,000.00 \$19,000.00 \$26,000.00 \$35,500.00	
18. Skating and Hockey Association Rink Maintenance and Operations		\$26,500.00	
19. Ski Education Foundation 2012-2013 Season		\$29,096.50	
20. Women in Action Community Counseling Program(rollover) Community Counseling Program	TOTAL	\$8,500.00 \$10,000.00 \$18,500.00	
Total:		\$2,573,762.02	
ROLLOVER TOTAL		\$8,500.00	
TOTAL		\$2,582,262.02	
PLUS: Additional Continuing Allocation: Big Sky Water & Sewer District #363, for Debt Service Retirement		\$250,000.00	
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR 2012-2013		\$2,832,262.02	
PASSED and APPROVED on the 13th day of June, 2012.			

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Les Loble, Chairman

ATTEST:

Ginna Hermann, Secretary-Treasurer

Jeff Strickler, Board Member

Michael Scholz, Board Member

Jamey Kabisch, Board Member