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TO: The Town of Dillon and Leslie's Garden Committee
From: Ralph, Lila, and Leslie Stair, ralphstair@yahoo.com
RE: Art in Leslie's Garden
DATE: August 19, 2022

We would love to see art surrounding the perimeter of Leslie's Garden or in areas that would not interfere with garden activities.

We would be happy to provide \$5,000 in funding for art in Leslie's Garden. This would be done through our Charitable Donor-Advised Account with Fidelity Investments and require a 501c3 organization like Summit Foundation or HC3 to receive the funds.

The Artists

We would love to see art by local students displayed in the park from schools like Dillon Elementary, middle schools, high schools, or other schools in Summit County. Artists of all ages in Summit County could also contribute art to the garden.

The Art

We would like to see garden-related art, although other attractive and interesting art would be fine. Sustainable art made from recycled and upcycled materials could be included.

Paying for Student Art

Student artists could be paid a few hundred dollars or more for their work, depending on the art. More expensive art could also be purchased. Donated art would always be appreciated. Depending on the success of placing art in Leslie's Garden, we would be willing to consider providing additional funding for additional art if needed and desired.

Implementation and Management

We are open to how the Town of Dillon and the Garden Committee implement and manage the selection and placement of the art. A competition or committee could be used to select the art and decide its placement in Leslie's Garden.