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Motion M2020-17 authorizing the City Manager or his designee to apply for a grant of \$100,000 from the South Carolina Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism's Recreation Trails program for the purpose of constructing a pedestrian/bicycle bridge to connect the multi-use paths in Thunderbolt Park, to record the appropriation of such grant funds in the amount that may be approved, and to execute and deliver the grant agreement and such related documents as may be required to put the grant into effect. A local match of 20% is required and \$25,000 has been allocated in the Capital Improvements Project account for Phase 4 of Thunderbolt Park landscaping and amenities.

This grant will cover the cost of constructing a pedestrian/bicycle bridge over the canal in Thunderbolt Park that feeds into the lake at the trailhead by the outdoor classroom and renovated Outdoor Recreation Center, picnic shelter and bicycle repair station. This bridge will connect the 1.2 miles of trails around the lakes with connectivity to trails throughout the Market Common district and the city.

