

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

OPEN SPACE & MOUNTAIN PARKS

City of Boulder, Open Space and Mountain Parks (OSMP)
155 miles of trails - 45,000+ acres

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This list is comprised of items or programs that would enhance services OSMP provides to the community and will be updated every February to reflect the needs of the department.





OUTDOOR GEAR

OSMP currently provides programs to address barriers of skill, outdoor knowledge, and even fear, but currently lacks the ability to offer equipment such as extra layers or rain jackets. Through a sponsorship donation from local retailers, OSMP would like to provide the proper layers, water bottles, and daypacks to those who may find the commitment to purchasing basic outdoor products prohibitive. By eliminating barriers, more of our community will gain the benefits of getting into nature with OSMP Programming Staff. Sponsored gear would be retained by OSMP and used during programming only. Specific needs:

LAYERS/JACKETS:

• 3 EACH: (S, M, L) midweight secondary layers.

This is the layer that goes over the base layer and under a shell or puffy jacket

• 3 EACH: (S, M, L) Insulating/warm layer.

This is a *puffy jacket* or a layer that goes over everything to keep warm when you reach a windy summit.

• 3 EACH: (S, M, L) Shells - both pants and jacket (hard shells and/or poncho)

This is a waterproof layer that goes over your insulating secondary layer.

DAYPACKS:

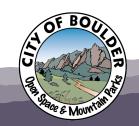
• 2 EACH: light capacity packs >10 liter

• 2 EACH: medium capacity packs 11-25 liters

FOOTWEAR

Footwear for hiking on frozen, mountainous terrain such as Microspikes. (S, L, XL) Kids winter boots, hiking boots, or shoes (all kids sizes)





Student Field Trips

Field trips on OSMP lands enhance classroom learning and foster youth connection to nature through discovery of the interconnections between public land, water, animals, plants and people. Priority schools include Boulder's Title 1 schools, serving large populations of traditionally underserved youth.



Compostable Dog Waste Bags

OSMP currently provides compostable dog bags at 24 locations. Opportunity to sponsor the compostable dog bags around the system. * Bags must be compostable and meet ASTM D6400 standards.



Wildlife Recording and Monitoring

Sponsorship goes toward buying and maintaining the cameras that help the community get a glimpse into the wildlife that call OSMP home.





SWAG for Volunteer Projects

Hundreds of volunteers give back to OSMP in so many ways. OSMP offers dozens of one-day volunteer projects (ODVP) that focus on seed collection, restoration projects, trail, agriculture, and more. Donate a snack or product from your company or organization that will be available at volunteer projects while they work to restore or maintain OSMP.

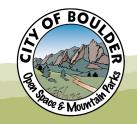


Native Seed Development / Production

OSMP has been expanding our native plant materials program which includes the development and production of locally collected native grass and forb/wildflower seed. These grow-outs significantly increase the quantity of local genotype seed that staff and volunteers collect and benefit all types of OSMP restoration seedings.

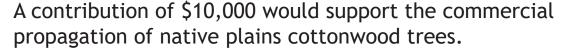
A contribution of \$7,500 would support the production of one additional production field.





Native Cottonwood Production

With the loss of green ash to the Emerald Ash Borer and large crack willow trees to natural aging, Boulder's creeks are poised to lose most of its tree cover in the next several years. OSMP is working with other city departments to address this growing concern by planning for the replacement of these invasive, non-native species with native alternatives. Plains cottonwood is the native dominant overstory tree along Boulder's creeks; however this species is often unavailable for commercial purchase and large-scale propagation is not feasible.





General Donations

Help OSMP take care of the open space system. Your donations can help OSMP preserve and protect over 45,000 acres of land, including wildlife habitat, unique geologic features, greenways and 155 miles of trails.

