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Media Release

Phillips 66 the Lead Donor for Yellowstone Kelly Interpretive Site Project



For Immediate Release

Billings, MT, December 2nd, 2015: The Billings Chamber of Commerce and Yellowstone Kelly Interpretive Site Steering Committee are pleased to announce that Phillips 66 will be the Lead Donor for the Yellowstone Kelly Interpretive Site Project. The announcement of Phillips 66 as the Lead Donor was made today at the Yellowstone Kelly gravesite, with remarks from Deputy Mayor Jani McCall, Ray Rigdon from Phillips 66, Steering Committee Chair Bill Cole, and Billings Parks Department Director Mike Whitaker. Additionally, Michael Sanderson from Sanderson Stewart revealed and discussed the latest site design for the renovation, including a seawall sitting area at the interpretive nodes that will function as a lecture area for groups visiting the site.

With the \$80,000 contribution from Phillips 66, the project reaches a funding level of over \$246,000, nearly half of the \$500,000 funding goal required to renovate the Yellowstone Kelly gravesite at Swords Park. Thanks to Phillips 66, the project is well on the way to breaking ground and restoring the legacy of one of this region's most distinguished explorers.

The following donors are recognized and graciously thanked for their contributions to the Yellowstone Kelly Interpretive Site project:

Phillips 66 – Lead Donor Jim & Lin Roscoe Harry & Marcia Clausing Bill & Anne Cole Kris Carpenter Mike & Cheri Anderson Steve Wahrlich
James & Megan Stevenson
Anonymous Donor
Sanderson Stewart
City of Billings (Parks Department)
Billings Chamber of Commerce

Visit the Yellowstone Kelly website to learn more or donate to the project at yellowstonekelly.org.

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