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Northglenn Recognized as 2016 Playful City USA

(Northglenn, CO) Northglenn is being honored with a Kaboom! 2016 Playful City USA designation for the ninth time. Northglenn has received this honor more than any other Colorado city. This national recognition program honors cities and towns across the country for making their cities more playable.

In addition to the recent renovations and additions at Larson Park, which includes a new dinosaur themed playground and adult exercise equipment, the city maintains a total of 25 parks spanning 337 acres and 28 miles of Greenway Trails. Northglenn is known for its parks and recreational opportunities.

"Once again, we'd like to thank Kaboom! for this honor," said Mayor Joyce Downing.

"Having a top notch park system is important to our residents. We need to have places for all of them - young and old- to have places to play and recreate."

Northglenn is proud to be honored as a Playful City, our commitment to providing recreational opportunities to residents is visible and ongoing, contributing to the health and wellbeing of our residents and visitors. Northglenn is one of 257 Playful City honorees from across the country, to see the complete list visit www.playfulcityusa.org.

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