

RESOLUTION NO. 2023 - 22

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF

CITY OF SEARCY, ARKANSAS

TO UTILIZE FEDERAL-AID RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROGRAM FUNDS

WHEREAS, the **City of Searcy** understands Federal-aid Recreational Trails Program Funds are available at 80% federal participation and 20% local match to develop or improve **Riverside Park Bike Trail**, and

WHEREAS, the **City of Searcy** understands that Federal-aid Funds are available for this project on a reimbursable basis, requiring work to be accomplished and proof of payment prior to actual monetary reimbursement, and

WHEREAS, this project, using federal funding, will be open and available for use by the general public and maintained by the applicant for the life of the project.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SEARCY CITY COUNCIL THAT:

SECTION I: the **City of Searcy** will participate in accordance with its designated responsibility, including maintenance of this project.

SECTION II: the **Mayor** is hereby authorized and directed to execute all appropriate agreements and contracts necessary to expedite the construction of the above stated project.

SECTION III: The **Searcy City Council** pledges its full support and hereby authorizes the Arkansas Department of Transportation to initiate action to implement this project.

THIS RESOLUTION adopted this 11th day of April, 2023.

Signed: **/s/ Mat Faulkner**
 Mayor of Searcy

ATTEST: /s/ Jerry Morris
(SEAL) City Clerk