

RESOLUTION NO. 2023 - 69

**A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF
CITY OF SEARCY
TO UTILIZE FEDERAL-AID TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM OR
RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROGRAM FUNDS**

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

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

SECTION II: Mayor Mat Faulkner 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 14th day of November, 2023.

/s/ **Mat Faulkner**

Mayor of Searcy

ATTEST:

(SEAL)

/s/ **Jerry Morris**

City Clerk