RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT

Application for Virginia Department of Transportation Transportation Alternatives Program Grant for Country Club Rd Sidewalk - SRTS

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Commonwealth Transportation Board construction allocation procedures, it is necessary that a request by resolution be received from the sponsoring jurisdiction in order that the Virginia Department of Transportation establish a project under the Transportation Alternatives federal funding program in the City of Harrisonburg; and

WHEREAS, the City of Harrisonburg recognizes the importance of providing safe and adequate pedestrian facilities, including provision of infrastructure to create safe routes to school (SRTS) for students and families; and

WHEREAS, the project will construct 0.18 miles of sidewalk along the south side of Country Club Road between Linda Lane and the private road at Spotswood Homes Trailer Park.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Harrisonburg requests the Commonwealth Transportation Board to establish a project for the construction of the Country Club Rd Sidewalk - SRTS;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Harrisonburg hereby agrees to provide a minimum 20 percent of the total cost for planning and design, right of way, and construction of this project;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Harrisonburg hereby agrees to enter into an agreement with the Virginia Department of Transportation to provide oversight that ensures the project is developed in accordance with all state and federal requirements for design, right of way acquisition, and construction of a federally funded transportation project;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Harrisonburg will be responsible for maintenance, upkeep and operating costs of any facility constructed with Transportation Alternative Program funds.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if the City of Harrisonburg subsequently elects to cancel this project the City of Harrisonburg hereby agrees to reimburse the Virginia Department of Transportation for the total amount of costs expended by the Department through the date the Department is notified of such cancellation. The City of Harrisonburg also agrees to repay any funds previously reimbursed that are later deemed ineligible by the Federal Highway Administration.

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Mayor Deanna Reed		
Attest:		
Pam Ulmer, City Clerk		

Adopted this, the 14th day of September 2021.