

RESOLUTION _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE CAVE SPRINGS CONNECTION TO THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS RAZORBACK REGIONAL GREENWAY PROJECT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, the Cave Springs City Council wishes to continue its planning efforts and the implementation of a connective trail network linking the City of Cave Springs to the NWA Razorback Regional Greenway; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has authorized the City to participate in the adoption of the NWA Regional Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan as evidenced by Resolution dated March 30, 2015, Resolution 2015-06; and

WHEREAS, the cities of Lowell and Rogers also contain land within this project as shown on a study conducted by ALTA Planning & Design, dated January 2016, and have incurred expenses and grants in order to cooperate with the City of Cave Springs to assist in building the Cave Springs Connection to the NWA Razorback Regional Greenway project;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CAVE SPRINGS CITY COUNCIL:

SECTION 1: That the City hereby accepts federal and state grant offers made in pursuance of the Cave Springs Connection to the NWA Razorback Regional Greenway, including Transportation Alternative Program (TAP) Surface Transportation Block Grant Program (STBGP) funds from AHTD, and STBGP-Attributable funds from NWARPC; and

SECTION 2. That the mayor is hereby authorized to act on behalf of the City in all matters concerning the Cave Springs Connection project, including (1) the execution of grant agreements, and subsequent necessary steps to administer these grant programs in accordance with all applicable requirements and procedures, including National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) document preparation and submittal; (2) the initiation of procurement of necessary administrative and/or professional services; and (3) the filing of requests and applications to private interests to assist with construction of the project; (4) the Treasurer is authorized to open necessary bank accounts for the receipt and disbursement of grant and other funds for the project.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2016.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk/Recorder/Treasurer