

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING GRANT APPLICATION SUPPORT OF NCDOT IMD
FEASIBILITY STUDIES GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE EAST GREENSBORO
GREENWAY**

WHEREAS, the City of Greensboro's Parks and Recreation Department and Greensboro Urban Area MPO are partnering to develop the East Greensboro Greenway;

WHEREAS, this greenway will provide a much needed connection from predominately low-income communities of color to the downtown core;

WHEREAS, the East Greensboro Greenway will connect public parks and gardens, two Historically Black College or University (HBCUs), the planned Windsor-Chavis-Nocho Community Complex (WCNCC), Historic Magnolia House, and the J. Douglas Galyon Depot, a multi-modal transportation center;

WHEREAS, the scope includes approximately 4.5 miles of greenway and two spur trails, which will provide multi-modal transportation opportunities in an area of the city with limited bicycle and transportation infrastructure;

WHEREAS, this route crosses through multiple publicly owned properties, and builds on existing planning and transportation related initiatives;

WHEREAS, this project is recognized in multiple planning process including the BiPed Plan, Plan2Play, GSO2040, and Vision Zero Greensboro;

WHEREAS, there is no matching requirement for this grant; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO:

That the City of Greensboro supports the grant application of the NCDOT IMD Feasibility Studies Grant Program for the East Greensboro Greenway.