VILLAGE OF YELLOW SPRINGS, OHIO

Resolution 2019-06

Authorizing Application to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources Clean Ohio Trails Fund for the Yellow Springs-Clifton Connector

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio, through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (õODNRÖ) administers financial assistance for public recreation purposes, through the Clean Ohio Trails Fund (COTF); and

WHEREAS, Council for the Village of Yellow Springs considers bicycle, pedestrian and other forms of active transportation to be of utmost importance to the community in providing the region with recreation and transportation opportunities as well as supporting economic & community development, healthy lifestyles and environmental sustainability; and

WHEREAS, a partnership has been formed among the Village of Yellow Springs, the Village of Clifton and Miami Township for the purpose of completing a safe and viable multi-use connector trail between Yellow Springs and Clifton and passing through Miami Township suitable for pedestrians and bicyclists of all ages and abilities as well as for individuals using mobility devices, and

WHEREAS, the Villages of Yellow Springs and Clifton and Miami Township desire financial assistance under the Clean Ohio Trails Fund Program (COTF),

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council for the Village of Yellow Springs, Ohio:

Section 1. Hereby supports the combined efforts of our neighboring municipality and township and other stakeholders in creating this tangible connection of our communities.

Section 2. Does agree to obligate the funds required to satisfactorily complete the proposed project and become eligible for reimbursement under the terms and conditions of the COTF Program.

Section 3. The Village Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute and file an application with the Ohio Department of Natural Resources COTF program and to provide all information and documentation required to become eligible for possible funding assistance.

Signed:			
Brian Housh, President			
Passed: 1-22-2019			
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