

4/2/13

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR OF PARKS AND RECREATION TO MAKE APPLICATION FOR THE INCLUSION OF SELECTED TRAILS WITHIN THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA GREENWAY SYSTEM TO BE A PART OF THE GREAT EASTERN TRAIL AND THAT BY DOING SO, THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA IS TO BE DESIGNATED AS THE FIRST "TRAIL TOWN" WITHIN THE GREAT EASTERN TRAIL NATIONAL SYSTEM.

WHEREAS, the Great Eastern Trail Association (GETA) has approved a trail route that traverses/travels through the City of Chattanooga, making use of existing greenway trails and the Tennessee Riverpark and utilizing road walks until such time as additional Riverpark and greenway trail segments may be completed;

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks and Recreation has agreed to assist GETA with promoting the Great Eastern Trail with support to engage community residents, assist trail visitors, and coordinate GETA park stewards, incorporate and reference the Great Eastern Trail in its media; and,

WHEREAS, the GETA can act as a catalyst for sustainable economic development around outdoor recreation and tourism in our area;

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the community that the City of Chattanooga work with GETA to promote the Great Eastern Trail as a community resource and asset;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That the City of Chattanooga hereby authorizes its inclusion in the Great Eastern Trail and accepts the designation of this trail through this city which will be declared as the first "Trail Town" of the Great Eastern Trail Association.

ADOPTED: _____, 2013

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City of Chattanooga



Resolution/Ordinance Request Form

Date Prepared: March 20, 2013

Preparer: Wanda Eckstein

Department: Parks & Recreation

Brief Description of Purpose for Resolution/Ordinance: Res./Ord. # _____ Council District # _____

A resolution is needed authorizing the Administrator of the Department of Parks and Recreation to make application for the inclusion of selected trails within the City of Chattanooga Greenway System to be a part of the Great Eastern Trail and that by doing so, the City of Chattanooga is to be designated as the first "Trail Town" within the Great Eastern Trail National System.

Name of Vendor/Contractor/Grant, etc. _____
Total project cost \$ _____
Total City of Chattanooga Portion \$ _____
City Amount Funded \$ _____
New City Funding Required \$ _____
City's Match Percentage % _____

New Contract/Project? (Yes or No) _____
Funds Budgeted? (YES or NO) _____
Provide Fund _____
Provide Cost Center _____
Proposed Funding Source if not budgeted _____
Grant Period (if applicable) _____

List all other funding sources and amount for each contributor.

Amount(s)	Grantor(s)
\$ _____	_____
\$ _____	_____
\$ _____	_____

Agency Grant Number _____

CFDA Number if known _____

Other comments: (Include contingency amount, contractor, and other information useful in preparing resolution)

Approved by: _____

Reviewed by: FINANCE OFFICE

DESIGNATED OFFICIAL/ADMINISTRATOR

Please submit completed form to @budget, City Attorney and City Finance Officer

Revised: 1/26/09