

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-03-015R

RESOLUTION APPROVING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN
CITY OF URBANA, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY FOREST PRESERVE DISTRICT,
AND URBANA PARK DISTRICT REGARDING KICKAPOO RAIL TRAIL

(Agreement to study regarding connectivity of
Kickapoo Rail Trail to Weaver Park and surrounding area)

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana, Illinois (the "City") is a municipal corporation and a home-rule unit of local government pursuant to Article VII, Section of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and

WHEREAS, the Urbana Park District (the "Park District") is a municipal corporation and a unit of local government; and

WHEREAS, the Champaign County Forest Preserve District ("Forest Preserve District") is a unit of local government; and

WHEREAS, Section 10 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970 and the Illinois Intergovernmental Cooperation Act, 5 ILCS 220/1 et seq. enables the City, the Park District and the Forest Preserved District to enter into agreements among and between themselves to provide for intergovernmental cooperation; and,

WHEREAS, the City, Park District and Forest Preserve District seek to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement Providing for Cooperation in a Weaver Park and East Urbana Kickapoo Rail Trail Connectivity Study (the "Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, the City, the Park District and the Forest Preserve District have determined that it would be advantageous to connect the Kickapoo Rail Trail to Weaver Park in Urbana and the surrounding area; and

WHEREAS, the City, the Park District and the Forest Preserve District have determined that it would be mutually beneficial for them to share the cost of undertaking the feasibility and connectivity study regarding connecting the Kickapoo Rail Trail to Weaver Park and the surrounding area.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Urbana, Champaign County, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1.

The City's entering into an Intergovernmental Agreement Cooperation in a Weaver Park and East Urbana Kickapoo Rail Trail Connectivity Study in substantially the form provided for in the exhibit appended hereto and incorporated herein by reference shall be and the same is hereby authorized and approved.

Section 2.

The Mayor of the City of Urbana, Illinois, shall be and hereby is authorized to execute on behalf of the City of Urbana, Illinois and deliver to the City Clerk of the City of Urbana, Illinois, for attestation the said Agreement in substantially the form appended hereto as an exhibit and made a part hereof.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 20th day of March, 2017.


AYES: Ammons, Brown, Jakobsson, Marlin, Roberts, Smyth

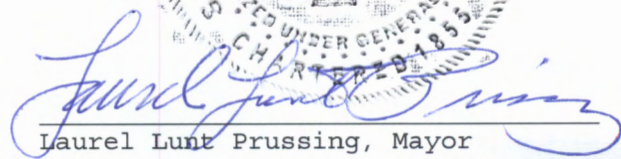
NAYS:

ABSENT: Madigan

ABSTAINED:

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR this 23rd day of _____


Phyllis D. Clark, City Clerk
March 23, 2017


Laurel Lunt Prussing, Mayor