



Request for Council Action

TO: Mayor and City Council
THROUGH: Tim Murray, City Administrator
FROM: Paul J. Peanasky, Parks and Recreation Director
MEETING DATE: February 26, 2019
SUBJECT: Resolution 2019-036 MN Trail Legacy Grant Program

Background:

The City of Faribault is interested in applying for a Minnesota Legacy Trail Grant through the Greater Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails Commission for the purpose of constructing the trail from Hulett Avenue, under the railroad tracks on the west end of North Alexander Park and connecting with the Straight River Trail in North Alexander Park. This resolution is being brought forward to seek Council approval to apply for this grant.

Recommendation:

Staff recommends approval of Resolution 2019-036 Request to Apply for Minnesota Trail Legacy Grant Program with Greater Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails Commission.

Attachments:

- Resolution 2019-036

CITY OF FARIBAULT

RESOLUTION #2019-036

MN TRAIL LEGACY GRANT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of Faribault supports the grant application made to the Greater Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails Commission for the MN Trails Legacy Grant Program, and

WHEREAS, this application is to construct the Northern Link Trail from Hulett Avenue including a railroad underpass on the west end of North Alexander Park and connect with the Straight River Trail in North Alexander Park.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that if the City of Faribault is awarded a grant by the Greater Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails Commission, the City of Faribault agrees to accept the grant award, and may enter into an agreement with the State of Minnesota for the above referenced project. The City of Faribault will comply with all applicable laws, environmental requirements and regulations as stated in the grant agreement, and

ALSO, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Faribault names the fiscal agent for this project as the Finance Director, City of Faribault, 208 1st Avenue NW, Faribault, MN 55021.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the City of Faribault hereby assures the Northern Link trail link will be maintained for a period of no less than 20 years.

Date Adopted: February 26, 2019

Faribault City Council

Kevin F. Voracek, Mayor

ATTEST:

Timothy C. Murray, City Administrator