

# RECORD OF RESOLUTIONS

Dayton Legal Blank, Inc.

Resolution No. 10-2017

Passed March 14, 2017

***A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE OFFICIAL DESIGNATION OF THE GREAT MIAMI RIVER TRAIL AS A PART OF U.S. BICYCLE ROUTE 25 AND A SEGMENT OF THE STATE AND U.S. BICYCLE SYSTEM, THEREBY PROMOTING BICYCLE TRANSPORTATION AND TOURISM IN THE CITY.***

***WHEREAS***, bicycle tourism is a growing industry in North America, contributing \$133 billion a year to the economies of communities that provide facilities for such tourists; and

***WHEREAS***, the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) has designated a series of corridors crossing Ohio to be developed as U.S. Bicycle Routes, including the Great Miami River Trail which traverses West Carrollton and which has been designated as a part of U.S. Bicycle Route 25; and

***WHEREAS***, the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) has designated a series of corridors crossing Ohio to be developed as State Bicycle Routes to connect the various U.S. Bicycle Routes and the communities they serve; and

***WHEREAS***, the Ohio Department of Transportation is supportive of AASHTO designated bicycle routes through Ohio, subject to ongoing collaboration with affected jurisdictions to inventory, analyze, and designate specific facilities the routes will traverse; and

***WHEREAS***, the City of West Carrollton and the Adventure Cycling Association, with the cooperation of the Ohio Department of Transportation and other stakeholders, have proposed specific routes to be designated, a map of which is herein incorporated into this resolution by reference; and

***WHEREAS***, the City of West Carrollton has investigated the Great Miami River Trail and found it to be a suitable route, and desire that the route be designated as a part of U.S. Bicycle Route 25 so that it can be mapped and signed, thereby promoting bicycle tourism in the city; and

***WHEREAS***, the City of West Carrollton acknowledges that the route may change over time because new facilities are being constructed that may be more suitable for bicyclists.

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***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST CARROLLTON, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:***

***Section I.*** The City of West Carrollton hereby expresses its approval and support for the development of State and U.S. Bicycle Routes, and requests that the appropriate officials ensure that the Great Miami River Trail is officially designated by AASHTO and ODOT as a part of U.S. Bicycle Route 25, and that the route is promoted by incorporating it on internet and local maps in collaboration with tourism and other agencies as may be appropriate.

***Section II.*** All citizens are encouraged to support the official designation of the Great Miami River Trail as a part of U.S. Bicycle Route 25 and the State and U.S. bicycle system, thereby promoting bicycle transportation and tourism in the city.

***Section III.*** The Clerk of Council is hereby directed to cause a written notice of the passage of this Resolution to be served as required by law.

***Section IV.*** This Resolution shall take effect from and after the date of its passage, the earliest period allowed by law.

Approved this 14 day of MARCH, 2017

  
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Mayor

Attest:   
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Clerk of Council

Effective Date: MARCH 14, 2017