RESOLUTION NO. ____________

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS, TO ACCEPT FOR MUNICIPAL PURPOSES, PERMANENT CONSTRUCTION EASEMENTS AND THE CITY MANAGER TO ACQUIRE TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION EASEMENTS AS NEEDED TO COMPLETE THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOLS HARRISON STREET SIDEWALK PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors has authorized a sidewalk improvement project on Harrison Street from 14th Street to 22nd Street by Resolution No. 13,753 funded by a Safe Routes to Schools Grant in cooperation with the University District of the University of Arkansas Little Rock, and;

WHEREAS, the acquisition of easements is needed to accomplish the construction, maintenance and continued access of adjacent properties.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CITY OF LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:

Section 1. The City Manager is authorized to pursue the acquisition of permanent construction easements, right-of-way dedications and temporary construction easement as need to complete the Harrison Street Sidewalk project, 14th Street to 22nd Street.

Section 2. The Mayor is authorized to accept permanent construction easements and right-of-way dedications for municipal purposes and the City Manager is authorized to accept temporary easements needed for construction.

Section 3. Funding for acquisition of easements and dedications is from the Safe Routes to Schools Grant as authorized by Resolution No. 13,753 and the 3/8-Cent Capital Improvement Sales and Compensating Use Tax for constructing Street and Drainage Improvement Projects.

Section 4. Severability. In the event any title, section, paragraph, item, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this resolution is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of the resolution which shall remain in full force and effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional were not originally a part of the resolution.

Section 5. Repealer. All laws, ordinances, resolutions, or parts of the same, that are inconsistent with the provisions of this resolution, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.
Section 5. This resolution will be in full force and effect from and after the date of its adoption.

ADOPTED: November 17, 2015

ATTEST:                        APPROVED:

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Susan Langley, City Clerk         Mark Stodola, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

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Thomas M. Carpenter, City Attorney