

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
APRIL 21, 2020 AGENDA**

Subject: A resolution authorizing a grant application with the Arkansas Department of Transportation. Submitted By: Parks & Recreation Department	Action Required: Ordinance √ Resolution	Approved By: Bruce T. Moore City Manager
SYNOPSIS	A resolution to authorize an application with the Arkansas Department of Transportation for a Recreational Trails Program Grant for the Allsopp Park North Mountain Bike Trails.	
FISCAL IMPACT	Federal Funds in the amount of \$225,000 will be requested. The grant will require matching funds in the amount of 20% (\$56,250) of the project, and an Administration Fee of 1% (\$2,812.50) is also required. The total project amount is \$284,062.50 and matching funds will be paid as follows: Trails Account No. 326459 – TS45A21 - \$16,250; Grant Match, Account No. 108129 – S10G041 - \$40,000; and Administration Fee – 326459 – TS45A21.	
RECOMMENDATION	Approval of the resolution.	
BACKGROUND	<p>The Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Grant for the Allsopp Park North Mountain Bike Trails will be to construct approximately two (2) miles of multi-use mountain bike trails and enhance approximately .5 mile of trails. This project would include trail signage, trail head development (South end), and neighborhood connections.</p> <p>The Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department requires that local governments pass a resolution supporting grant applications for the Transportation Alternatives Program and Recreational Trails Program.</p>	