

RESOLUTION 2022-17

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING A PROPOSED EAST-WEST BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN TRAIL CONNECTION TO THE CENTENNIAL GREENWAY IN UNIVERSITY CITY.

WHEREAS, at the August 8, 2022 Study Session, the City Council received a presentation from Great Rivers Greenway District (GRG) on a proposed bicycle and pedestrian trail that would connect the Centennial Greenway in Ackert Park to the Centennial Greenway along Interstate 170; and

WHEREAS, the proposed trail would create healthy transportation and recreation options, enhance sustainability, and connect destinations in University City including eight University City Parks, University City High School, Brittany Woods Middle School, Washington University, and commercial and employment centers; and

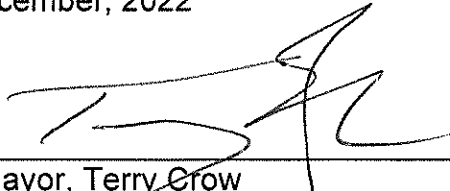
WHEREAS, the City Council, by Resolution 2015-8, adopted the Gateway Bike Plan developed by GRG and partner cities and agencies in St. Louis, St. Louis County and St. Charles County, which connects the St. Louis region with greenways; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, by Resolution 2013-17, adopted the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan of University City, which envisions a community-wide network of trails, walking paths, sidewalks and on-street bicycle facilities; and

WHEREAS, the proposed trail would be in furtherance of said Plans and University City's commitment to providing a bicycle- and pedestrian friendly-environment.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of University City supports GRG's proposed east-west bicycle and pedestrian trail connection to the Centennial Greenway and encourages GRG to prepare a plan with additional details, including engineer drawings and funding.

PASSED AND RESOLVED this 12th of December, 2022



Mayor, Terry Crow

ATTEST:



City Clerk, LaRette Reese

