

**STATE OF GEORGIA  
COUNTY OF HENRY  
CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE**

**RESOLUTION NO. R13-550**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE AND THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONTRACT FOR FUNDING UNDER THE TRANSPORTATION EQUITY ACT FOR THE 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY FOR THE REEVES CREEK TRAIL PHASE II PROJECT; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSES OF THIS RESOLUTION; AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO ATTEST SIGNATURES AND AFFIX THE OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE CITY, AS NECESSARY; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; REPEALING INCONSISTENT RESOLUTIONS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Stockbridge ("City") is a municipal corporation located within Henry County, Georgia duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia and is charged with providing public services to residents located within the corporate limits of the City; and

**WHEREAS**, The Secretary of the United States Department of Transportation (hereinafter referred to as "US DOT") and the Commissioner of the Georgia Department of Transportation are authorized to contract for Transportation Enhancement Projects; and

**WHEREAS**, the contract for financial assistance imposes certain duties upon the City of Stockbridge, including but not limited to the provision of its local share of the project costs; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Stockbridge guarantees that it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, all other pertinent directives, and all US DOT requirements; and

**WHEREAS**, to complete the project known as the Reeves Creek Trail Transportation Enhancement Project Phase II, the City of Stockbridge will use Disadvantaged Business Enterprises to the extent required by law and will implement and administer procedures to ensure that minority businesses are competitive for contracts and purchase orders when procuring services including but not limited to construction contracts, supplies, equipment contracts, or consultant contracts; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Stockbridge deem it in the best interest of the citizens and businesses of the City to authorize the Mayor to execute the contracts and documents necessary to obtain Transportation Enhancement funding for the Reeves Creek Trail Phase II Transportation Enhancement Project.

NOW THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE  
HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS;

**Section 1. Authorization** - The Mayor and City Council of the City of Stockbridge hereby authorize the Mayor to execute the contract on behalf of the City of Stockbridge with the Georgia Department of Transportation for aid in financing construction, and all other activities incidental thereto, of Transportation Enhancement Activity on the Reeves Creek Trail Phase II Project pursuant to Public Law 105-178 (1998); and all other provisions as set forth in the contract with the Georgia Department of Transportation. The Mayor is further authorized to execute and file an assurance or any other document required by the US DOT and the Georgia Department of Transportation certifying compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and is further authorized to furnish any and all additional information that may be required by the US DOT or the Georgia Department of Transportation in connection with the application for the Reeves Creek Trail Phase II Transportation Enhancement Activity Project and budget. The Mayor is also authorized to set forth and execute affirmative disadvantaged business policies in connection with the participation goal established by the Georgia Department of Transportation.

**Section 2. Approval of Execution** - The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution.

**Section 3. Documents** - The City Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any documents which may be necessary to effectuate this Resolution, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

Section 4. **Severability** - To the extent any portion of this Resolution is declared to be invalid, unenforceable, or non-binding, that shall not affect the remaining portions of this Resolution.

Section 5. **Repeal of Conflicting Provisions** - All City resolutions inconsistent with this Resolution are hereby repealed.

Section 6. **Effective Date** - This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the City Council and Mayor as provided in the City Charter.

SO RESOLVED, this the 26th day of September, 2013.

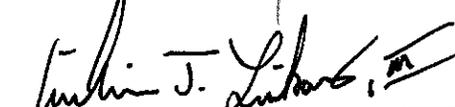
CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE, GEORGIA

  
MARK A. ALARCON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
RHONDA A. BLACKMON, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
WILLIAM J. LINKOUS, III, CITY ATTORNEY  
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