PITTSFIELD CHARTER TOWNSHIP WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN RES #19-50

RESOLUTION TO APPLY FOR GRANT FUNDING FOR THE PLATT ROAD GREENWAY PROJECT PHASE II (PRG II)

October 9, 2019

At a Regular Meeting of the Township Board of Pittsfield Charter Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, held at the Township Administration Building located at 6201 W. Michigan Avenue, in said Township, on the 9th day of October, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.

Present: Grewal, Anzaldi, Scribner, Edwards-Brown, Krone, Ralph Absent: Jaffer

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Treasurer Scribner and supported by Trustee Ralph.

WHEREAS, After conducting a number of public engagement processes, the township has a good understanding of Pittsfield Township residents' priorities, with the desire to expand our non-motorized network as one of the top priorities, thus creating a public need for non-motorized transportation; and

WHEREAS, The proposed Platt Road Greenway (PRG) II project will provide, for the first time, nonmotorized access from the southern portion of the township to a northern boundary of Pittsfield Township, connecting into the City of Ann Arbor's network to the north, and the potential to connect to the County's Border To Border (B2B) network to the south and east; and

WHEREAS, The PRG II will consist of a ten (10) foot wide paved pathway on the west side of Platt Road between Michigan Avenue and Wall Park, including a pedestrian crossing at the Township Administration Building and another at Wall Park; and

WHEREAS, A public forum was held on March 31, 2016 that included property owners directly along the proposed PRG II; and

WHEREAS, The proposed PRG II project will provide for expanded non-motorized amenities for area residents to access open and recreational spaces; and

WHEREAS, Pittsfield Township is in the process of submitting applications for grant funding for the proposed PRG II project under the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund (MNRTF), Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) through Southeast Michigan Council of Governments (SEMCOG)/Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT);

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Pittsfield Charter Township Board of Trustees hereby authorizes the Supervisor to submit applications for grants to gain funding from SEMCOG/MDOT, WCPARC, MNRTF, and other applicable funding sources, therefore beginning the planning process for the Platt Road Greenway Project Phase II.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES:Grewal, Anzaldi, Scribner, Edwards-Brown, Krone, RalphNAYS:NoneABSENT:JafferABSTAIN:None

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

Mandy Grewal, Supervisor Pittsfield Charter Township

DATED: October 1, 2019

<u>CERTIFICATE</u>

I, Michelle L. Anzaldi, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Board of Pittsfield Charter Township, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, at a Regular Meeting held on October 9, 2019, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

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Michelle L. Anzaldi, Clerk Pittsfield Charter Township

DATED: October [], 2019