Resolution of Support from the Borough of Mount Arlington Authorizing a 2018 Morris County Trail Construction Grant Application

WHEREAS, the Morris County Board of Chosen Freeholders is making funding available to municipalities in Morris County for recreational trail projects through the 2018 Morris County Trail Construction Grant Program; and,

WHEREAS, this program will provide funding specifically for the rehabilitation and expansion of existing as well as the construction of new motorized, non-motorized, or diversified recreational trails; and,

WHEREAS, the Borough of Mount Arlington wishes to apply for and obtain a grant through the 2018 Morris County Trail Construction Grant Program in the amount of \$237,454.88 in order to implement the Lake Rogerene Trails Construction Project.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington do hereby authorize the preparation and submission of 2018 Morris County Trail Construction Grant Application on behalf of the Borough of Mount Arlington.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of Borough of Mount Arlington authorize the expenditure of \$59,370.00 in matching funds (exceeding the required 20% match) for this grant through municipal funds and in-kind contributions, all to be sourced through the Borough of Mount Arlington's general operating fund.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington acknowledge the grant program will operate on a reimbursement basis only and agree to provide full advance funding to complete the proposed project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Borough of Mount Arlington recognizes and accepts that an award of a lesser amount may be offered, and therefore, upon receipt of the grant agreement authorizes the Mayor and Council and or/Borough Administrator, to authorize the execution of any such agreement on behalf of the Borough of Mount Arlington, and that this signature constitutes acceptance of the terms and conditions of the grant agreement and approves the execution of the grant agreement.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

I HEREBY CERTIFY this to be a true and correct Resolution of the Mayor and Borough-Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington, and adopted on July 10, 2018.

Linda DeSantis, RMC

Borough Clerk

MORRIS COUNTY TRAIL CONSTRUCTION GRANT PROGRAM

2018 LETTER OF INTENT

Please complete and submit the Letter of Intent by Friday June 29, 2018 by 4:00 P.M.

The letter shall be submitted electronically via e-mail to morristrailgrant@morrisparks.net.

PROJECT NAME: Lake Rogerene Trails Construction Project
PROJECT TYPE: ☑ New Construction ☐ Trail Enhancement (Improvements of trail design and/or surface type of existing trails to accommodate increased volume and/or make the trail ADA compliant. Trail Enhancement is more than an in-kind replacement of current conditions. Deferred maintenance activities are not eligible).
1) APPLICANT INFORMATION:
Municipality: Borough of Mount Arlington
Address: 419 Howard Boulevard
City/State/Zip: Mount Arlington, NJ 07856
2) PROJECT CONTACT INFORMATION: Name: Carolyn Rinaldi Address: 419 Howard Boulevard City/State/Zip: Mount Arlington, NJ 07856 Daytime phone: (973) 398-6832 x116 Email: crinaldi@mtarlingtonboro.com
3) PROPERTY OWNERSHIP VERIFICATION: All property must be permanently preserved public parkland (via deed restrictions) or easements permanently dedicated for public parkland use.
Each applicant must verify ownership and/or authorization of use through legal agreement(s) of property being used for application to be considered.
Provide deeds and/or agreements such as easements verifying ownership of property. Include ownership information for all parcels.
Please note if an easement is in the process of being acquired and a schedule for completion. If an easement needs to be acquired, the application due on July 31, 2018 shall demonstrate that owner is willing to approve said easement to applicant.

REMINDER - The Trail Construction Grant Application is due on July 31, 2018.

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	Type of Ownership		Block	Lot	Permanently Preserved Public Parkland	Name of Owner
PARCEL NO. 1	Fee Simple	Easement	90	13	☑Yes □No	Mount Arlington Boroug
PARCEL NO. 2	Fee Simple	Easement	86	5	☑Yes □No	Mount Arlington Boroug
PARCEL NO. 3	Fee Simple	Easement	87	7	☑Yes □No	Mount Arlington Boroug
PARCEL NO. 4	Fee Simple	Easement	88	1	☑Yes □No	Mount Arlington Boroug
PARCEL NO. 5	Fee Simple	Easement	89	16	☑Yes □No	Mount Arlington Boroug
PARCEL NO. 6	Fee Simple	Easement	89	22	☑Yes □No	Mount Arlington Boroug

⁴⁾ PROJECT MAP: Provide the estimated trail location and limits on a map of all the parcels identified in above in 3) Property Ownership Verification.

5) ESTIMATED PROJECT COSTS:

Provide <u>ESTIMATED</u> source(s) and amount(s) of matching funds, <u>ESTIMATED</u> Morris County Trail Construction grant request, and total project cost.

MATCHING FUND SOURCE	AMOUNT
A. Borough of Mount Arlington (Planning, Engineering, Permitting)	\$ 59,400.00
B.	\$
AMOUNT OF REQUESTED MORRIS COUNTY TRAIL CONSTRUCTION GRANT	\$ 237,600.00
TOTAL PROJECT BUDGET	\$ 297,000.00

REMINDER: The following will be due on July 31, 2018 with the completed application:

- 1) Full verification of all matching funds.
- 2) Detailed cost estimate including a breakdown of line item costs, requested grant amounts and required matching funds.
- 3) Governing Body Resolution stating that the local municipality is in support of the project and will provide full advanced funding as part of the grant reimbursement process.

June 25, 2018

Mayor's Signature (required)

Date

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