

**RESOLUTION 2023 – 36**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF  
MOUNT ARLINGTON, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
APPROVING PARTICIPATION WITHIN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS  
OFFICE OF PLANNING & PRESERVATION, 2022 TRAILS CONSTRUCTION  
GRANT PROGRAM, FOR THE MCGREGOR TRAILS PROJECT**

**WHEREAS**, on December 21, 2022 the Borough of Mount Arlington received a grant award from the County of Morris Office of Planning & Preservation, 2022 Trails Construction Grant Program, for the McGregor Trails project; and

**WHEREAS**, the amount of the grant awarded to the Borough of Mount Arlington for the Design & Permitting phase of the project is \$27,708.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough wishes to accept said grant for the purpose of the Design & Permitting phase of the McGregor Trails project as indicated in the grant application.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington, that the Borough does hereby authorize the acceptance of said grant award and to execute and sign said grant agreement.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** this to be a true and correct Resolution of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington, and adopted on January 17, 2023.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. N. Bansch', written over a horizontal line.

Matthew N. Bansch, Borough Clerk

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December 21, 2022

Hon. Michael Stanzilis, Mayor  
Borough of Mt. Arlington  
419 Howard Boulevard  
Mt. Arlington, NJ 07856

Dear Mayor Stanzilis:

On behalf of the Morris County Board of County Commissioners, I am pleased to announce that the **McGregor Trails** project is one of eight (8) projects selected to receive funding from the 2022 Trails Construction Grant Program. Our decision was based upon a recommendation submitted by the Program Advisory Committee, a body formed by the County Commissioners to evaluate applications. The amount of the grant awarded to your municipality for this Design & Permitting phase of the project is **\$27,708.00**.

The Morris County Park Commission is now in the process of drafting a grant agreement through which the funds will be distributed to your municipality. We anticipate executing the grant agreement in early 2022. Please keep in mind that the grant will distribute funds on a reimbursable basis and will be dispersed once the project is complete. Also note that this is a maximum grant award and no additional dollars will be awarded regardless of costs to complete the project.

Once again, let me express my great enthusiasm for the prospect of the Trails Construction Grant Program working with you to make the **McGregor Trails** project a reality.

Should you have any questions, contact Denise Chaplick, Director of Planning & Development of the Morris County Park Commission at (973) 326-7605.

Sincerely,

Tayfun Selen,  
Commissioner Director

cc: Ms. Carolyn Rinaldi,  
Borough Administrator

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