RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF

CITY OF BRYANT

TO UTILIZE FEDERAL-AID TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM FUNDS

Surface Transportation Block Grant and Carbon Reduction Program

WHEREAS, Metroplan has issued a call for transportation projects from member jurisdictions for federal fiscal year 2025 and City of Bryant will submit Bryant Parkway Trail Connector for consideration of grant funding, and

WHEREAS, the City of Bryant understands that, if selected, Federal-aid Surface Transportation Program and Carbon Reduction Program Funds are available at 80% federal participation and 20% local match for Bryant Parkway Trail Connector, and

WHEREAS, the City of Bryant understands that Federal-aid Funds are available for this project on a reimbursable basis, requiring work to be accomplished and proof of payment provided prior to actual monetary reimbursement, and

WHEREAS, Bryant City Council has vetted the project and supports its submittal to Metroplan, and

WHEREAS, this project, using federal funding, will be open and available for use by the general public and maintained by the applicant for the life of the project.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY BRYANT CITY COUNCIL THAT:

SECTION I: Bryant City Council agrees to include the local match requirements within its budget for FFY 2025 and subsequent years as necessary.

SECTION II: the City of Bryant will participate in accordance with its designated responsibility, including maintenance of this project.

SECTION III: Mayor Chris Treat is hereby authorized and directed to execute all appropriate agreements and contracts necessary to expedite the construction of the above stated project.

SECTION IIII: Bryant City Council pledges its full support and hereby authorizes the Arkansas Department of Transportation and Metroplan to initiate action to implement this project.

THIS RESOLUTION adopted this 27th day of August, 2024.

Signed: _____

Chris Treat Mayor of Bryant

ATTEST: _____ (SEAL)