



RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE CROWDERS MOUNTAIN PAVED TRAIL FEASIBILITY STUDY

WHEREAS, the Carolina Thread Trail submitted a feasibility study grant application to the NC Department of Transportation (NCDOT) for a downtown Gastonia to Crowdres Mountain Paved Pathway study

WHEREAS, the Carolina Thread Trail feasibility study grant application was approved by the NCDOT and shortly thereafter, Benesch was contracted to conduct the study.

WHEREAS, the extension of greenways in partnership with the Carolina Thread Trail (CTT) and private developers as a component of the Linwood Springs Park and extension through private development surrounding the park is part of the City of Gastonia Strategic Plan.

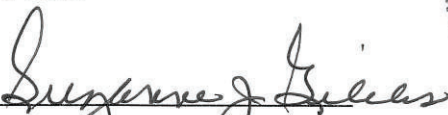
WHEREAS, the City of Gastonia has worked in partnership with the Carolina Thread Trail (the grant applicant), Gaston Cleveland Lincoln Metropolitan Planning Organization (GCLMPO), and the NC Department of Transportation in the development of this plan.

WHEREAS, City staff is seeking adoption of the plan by City Council to provide guidance and leverage additional funding opportunities for greenway extensions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Gastonia adopt the Crowdres Mountain Paved Trail Feasibility Study.

THIS **RESOLUTION** adopted the 5th day of August, 2025.

ATTEST:


 Suzanne J. Gibbs, City Clerk




 Richard Franks, Mayor