

RESOLUTION NO. A-_____

1 WHEREAS, Lancaster County, Nebraska is applying to the Nebraska Game and
 2 Parks Commission for financial assistance from the Recreational Trails Program grant
 3 fund for the purpose of constructing the Wilderness Park South Bridge over Salt Creek
 4 Channel north of Saltillo Road; and

5 WHEREAS, the total cost of the project will be \$399,850.00, of which the
 6 Recreational Trails Program request will be \$250,000.00 and the Lancaster County’s
 7 costs will be \$149,850.00 including \$100,000.00 in donations and other funds; and

8 WHEREAS, the City of Lincoln, who is responsible for maintaining Wilderness
 9 Park per an agreement between Lancaster County and the City of Lincoln that was
 10 approved in August 1966, wishes to express its support for the project and its
 11 willingness to commit the necessary resources to construct, operate and maintain the
 12 completed project in a safe and attractive manner for public use.

13 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of
 14 Lincoln, Nebraska:

- 15 1. The City of Lincoln hereby expresses its support for the application being
 16 made by Lancaster County to the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission for financial
 17 assistance from the Recreational Trails Program grant fund for the purpose of
 18 constructing the Wilderness Park South Bridge over Salt Creek Channel north of Saltillo
 19 Road and its commitment to management of the contracts for the construction and to
 20 the on-going maintenance of the project.

1 2. The Mayor and Director of the Parks and Recreation Department of the
2 City of Lincoln, Nebraska are authorized to sign the application for federal assistance,
3 and any other official project documents that are necessary to obtain such assistance,
4 including any agreements, contracts, or other documents that are required by the State
5 of Nebraska or the Federal Highway Administration.

6 3. Lancaster County currently has the written commitment for \$149,850.00 or
7 the 37% local matching share for the project elements that are identified on the
8 application form and the supplemental documents and will, as it becomes necessary,
9 allocate the local funds for this project.

10 4. The City of Lincoln will commit the necessary resources to operate and
11 maintain the completed project in a safe and attractive manner for public use.

12 5. The City of Lincoln will not discriminate against any person on the basis of
13 race, color, age, religion, handicap, sex, or national origin in the use of the proposed
14 project acquired or developed pursuant to the project proposal, and shall comply with
15 the terms and intent of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and any of the regulations
16 promulgated pursuant to such Act.

17 6. The City of Lincoln will comply with all rules and regulations of the
18 Recreational Trails Program, applicable Executive Orders, and all state laws that govern
19 the grant applicant during the performance of the project.

20 7. The City of Lincoln will comply with the federal disability access and use
21 standards where they can be reasonably applied in accord with the Americans with
22 Disabilities Act of 1991.

1 8. The City Clerk is directed to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to
2 the Parks & Recreation Department for transmittal to the Nebraska Game and Parks
3 Commission.

Introduced by:

Approved as to Form & Legality:

City Attorney

Approved this ___ day of _____, 2014:

Mayor