RESOLUTION NO. 2019–13

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING KENT PARKS & RECREATION TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR A 2019 CLEAN OHIO TRAIL FUND GRANT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the State of Ohio, through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, administers financial assistance for public recreation purposes, through the Clean Ohio Trails Fund (COTF); and

WHEREAS, the City of Kent, Ohio desires financial assistance under the Clean Ohio Trail Fund Program in order for the Parks and Recreation Department to extend and improve the pedestrian and bike trail north of the Main Street bridge along the Cuyahoga River.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Kent, Portage County, Ohio, at least three-fourths (3/4) of all members elected thereto concurring:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> That the Kent City Council approves filing an application for Clean Ohio Trail Fund financial assistance.

SECTION 2. That John Idone, City of Kent Parks & Recreation Director is hereby authorized and directed to execute and file an application with the Ohio Department of Natural Resources and to provide all information and documentation required to become eligible for possible funding assistance.

<u>SECTION 3.</u> That the City of Kent does agree to obligate the funds required to satisfactorily complete the proposed project and become eligible for reimbursement under the terms and conditions of the Clean Ohio Trail Fund Program.

SECTION 4. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council, and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 5. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the residents of this City, for which reason and other reasons manifest to this Council, this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force immediately after passage.

PASSED:

Date

Date

Jerry T. Fiala Mayor and President of Council

EFFECTIVE:

ATTEST:

Tara Grimm, MMC Clerk of Council

I, TARA GRIMM, CLERK OF COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF KENT, COUNTY OF PORTAGE, AND STATE OF OHIO, AND IN WHOSE CUSTODY THE ORIGINAL FILES AND RECORDS OF SAID COUNCIL ARE REQUIRED TO BE KEPT BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF OHIO, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF *RESOLUTION No.*______, ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT ON ______, 20_____.