

Mayor and Council 400 Witherspoon Street Princeton, NJ 08540

Meeting: 04/24/23 07:00 PM Department: Engineering

RESOLUTION 23-162

Resolution of the Mayor and Council of Princeton Authorizing Support for the Lawrence Hopewell Trail Corporation and Mercer County Transportation & Community Development Initiative Grant Application from the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Princeton supports the request by Mercer County for planning grant dollars in the Transportation & Community Development Initiative from the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission (DVRPC); and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Princeton fully understands that Mercer County will apply grant funds to perform a feasibility study of a project known as the Johnson Trolley Trail Corridor that could link the City of Trenton, Ewing Township, Lawrence Township, and the Municipality of Princeton; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Princeton fully understands that the Mercer County Planning Department will work directly with DVRPC to manage and administer grant funds received from DVRPC; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Princeton understands Mercer County will work with the Municipality of Princeton to assess local needs and community engagement to support the proposed study; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Princeton understands that the Lawrence Hopewell
Trail Corporation will assist the Municipality of Princeton and Mercer County in this effort; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Princeton understands that the terms of the DVRPC Transportation & Community Development Initiative (TCDI) require no Municipal or County matching funds.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Municipality of Princeton supports the application by the Mercer County Planning Department for a DVRPC TCDI grant to conduct a feasibility study of the Johnson Trolley Trail Corridor; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Municipality of Princeton agrees to cooperate with Mercer County and the other entities engaged in this project to ensure success.

Councilperson	Absent	Present	1 st	2 nd	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Disqualified
Ms. Pirone Lambros	X							
Ms. Niedergang		X	X		X			
Mr. Cohen		X			X			
Ms. Sacks		X		X	X			
Ms. Fraga		X			X			
Mr. Newlin		X			X			
Mayor Freda		X						

I, Delores A. Williams, RMC, CMC, Municipal Clerk of Princeton, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Mayor and Council of Princeton at a regular meeting held April 24, 2023.

Delores A. Williams, RMC, CMC, Clerk

ATTACHMENTS:

Narrative Memo (DOCX)