

**RESOLUTION NO. 7944**

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3 A RESOLUTION introduced by City Manager Norton N. Bonaparte, Jr., declaring the  
4 eligibility of the City of Topeka to submit an application to the  
5 Kansas Department of Transportation for use of Transportation  
6 Enhancement Funds set forth by the Federal Transportation Equity  
7 Act for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century for the Topeka-Shawnee County Trail Map  
8 Project and authorizing the City Manager to sign the application.  
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10 WHEREAS, the City of Topeka has the legal authority to apply for, receive, and  
11 administer federal, state, and other monies through Home Rule Power under the  
12 Constitution of the State of Kansas and authorized by K.S.A. 12-1662, regarding the  
13 expenditure of federal aid to public agencies; and

14 WHEREAS, the City of Topeka desires to submit an application to the Kansas  
15 Department of Transportation for Transportation Enhancement Program Funds set forth  
16 by the Federal Transportation Equity Act for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century; and

17 WHEREAS, the City of Topeka is participating in the Kansas Department of  
18 Transportation's Transportation Enhancement Program set forth by the Federal  
19 Transportation Equity Act for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century; and

20 WHEREAS, federal monies are available under a Transportation Enhancement  
21 Program set forth by the Federal Transportation Equity Act for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,  
22 administered by the State of Kansas, Department of Transportation, for the purpose of  
23 Historic, Scenic and Environmental, and Pedestrian and Bicycle projects; and

24 WHEREAS, the City of Topeka desires to submit an application for a matching  
25 fund grant to create and provide a map showing Topeka and Shawnee County Trails;  
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27 WHEREAS, after appropriate public input and due consideration, the City Council  
28 has recommended that an application be submitted to the State of Kansas for the

29 Topeka-Shawnee County Trail Map Project.

30 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
31 TOPEKA, KANSAS:

32 Section 1. That the City Council does hereby authorize the City Manager to  
33 submit an application to the Kansas Department of Transportation for Transportation  
34 Enhancement Program Funds set forth by the Federal Transportation Equity Act or the  
35 21<sup>st</sup> Century on behalf of the citizens of the City of Topeka.

36 Section 2. That the City Council hereby assures the Kansas Department of  
37 Transportation that sufficient funding for the completion of the Topeka-Shawnee County  
38 Trail Map Project is available.

39 Section 3. That the City Council hereby assures the Kansas Department of  
40 Transportation that sufficient funding for the creation of a map of the Topeka-Shawnee  
41 County Trail Map Project will be available for the life of the project.

42 Section 4. That the City Manager is authorized to sign the application to the  
43 Kansas Department of Transportation for Transportation Enhancement Program Funds  
44 set forth by the Federal Transportation Equity Act for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century on behalf of the  
45 citizens of the City of Topeka. The City Manager is also authorized to submit additional  
46 information as may be required and act as the official representative of the City of  
47 Topeka in this and subsequent related activities.

48 Section 5. That the City Council hereby assures the Kansas Department of  
49 Transportation that the City Council is willing and able to, if the Topeka-Shawnee  
50 County Trail Map Project is selected for funding, administer the designing, letting and  
51 creation of the Topeka-Shawnee County Trail Map Project.

52 ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the City Council May 1, 2007.

53 CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS

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William W. Bunten, Mayor

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61 Brenda Younger, City Clerk

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