RESOLUTION NO. R2015-07

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF BASTROP, TEXAS TO CERTIFY FUNDING AND SUPPORT FOR THE 2015 STATEWIDE TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM NOMINATION FORM WITH THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE APPLICATION TO RECEIVE FUNDING TO CONSTRUCT BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN TRANSPORTATION PATHWAYS

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Transportation issued a call for nominations in January 2015 for communities to apply for federal highway funding assistance made available through the TXDOT Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP); and

WHEREAS, The City of Bastrop wishes to improve the safety and efficiency of the movement of people by walking or bicycling and:

WHEREAS, Bicycle and Pedestrian Transportation Pathways are a viable and important asset to the City and Schools,

WHEREAS, The construction of the Pathways will accomplish the intention of the City and surface transportation partners:

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, The City of Bastrop will apply for funding through the Texas Department of Transportation to make the necessary improvements for bike & pedestrian pathways. The City, as project sponsor, supports funding this project as described in the TAP 2015 Nomination Form (including the construction budget, the department's 15% administrative costs, and the required local match) and is willing to commit to the project's development, implementation, construction, maintenance, management, and financing. The project sponsor is willing and able to enter into an agreement with the department by resolution or ordinance should the project receive TAP funding.

Passed and approved this 28th day of April, 2015.

Mayor Ken Kesselus

Attest:

Traci Chavez, Interim City Secretary