

CITY OF CONCORD

In the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-two

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO APPLY FOR LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND GRANTS TO SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT OF THE CANAL STREET RIVERFRONT PARK (CIP #567)

The City of Concord resolves as follows:

WHEREAS, the City of Concord is eligible to apply to the Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) program for grant funds to finance the acquisition, improvement, and replacement of recreational facilities; and,

WHEREAS, LWCF grants require a minimum 50/50 match; and,

WHEREAS, the Canal Street Riverfront Park was conceived as part of the 2004 Penacook Mill and Tannery Visioning Charrette, including the 2015 Penacook Village Master Plan, and represents the final installment of the former Allied Leather Tannery Brownfields Redevelopment Project initiated by the City in 2002; and,

WHEREAS, as part of the FY2022 Budget, the City appropriated \$110,000 for design and permitting for the Canal Street Riverfront Park; and,

WHEREAS, design and permitting activities are currently underway; and,

WHEREAS, the City desires to apply for Land and Water Conservation Fund grants to support development of the Canal Street Riverfront Park; and,

WHEREAS, development of the Canal Street Riverfront Park is included in the City Council's 2022-2024 Priorities, as well as the FY2022-2031 Capital Improvement Program ("CIP") as project CIP #567.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Concord that:

- 1) The City Manager is authorized to apply for Land and Water Conservation Fund grants to support development of the Canal Street Riverfront Park (CIP #567).
- 2) This resolution shall take effect upon its passage.