VILLAGE OF RED HOOK **RESOLUTION #59 - 2023** DATED: November 2, 2023

A meeting of the Village of Red Hook Board of Trustees was convened in public session at the Village Hall, 7467 South Broadway, Red Hook, NY on November 2, 2023. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Smythe.

RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT GREENWAY LAND TRAIL GRANT SUBMISSION BY TOWN & VILLAGE OF RHINEBECK AND TOWN OF RED HOOK.

WHEREAS, the Rhinebeck/Red Hook Historic District Bike/Hike Trails (RBRHT) were conceived more than 20 years ago with funding from the Winnakee Land Trust and with cooperation from the towns of Red Hook and Rhinebeck and the Village of Rhinebeck; and,

WHEREAS, the RBHT is part of the Hudson River Valley Greenway trail system; and,

WHEREAS, the existing trail signage has decayed or disappeared, and importantly, the RBRHT now intersects with the newly constructed and increasingly popular Empire State Trail; and,

WHEREAS, the Hudson River Valley Greenway Conservancy is offering matching grants for the rehabilitation and improvement of existing Greenway trails, and is expressly looking to connect village centers to the Empire State Trail; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Rhinebeck, the Towns of Rhinebeck and Red Hook will be providing the matching funds for this project; and

WHEREAS, while the RBRHT do not go through the Village of Red Hook, our residents benefit from these trails;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Village of Red Hook Board of Trustees offers their support for this grant application by the Towns of Rhinebeck & Red Hook and the Village of Rhinebeck.

vote:					
Mayor Smythe	🖾 Aye	🗆 Nay	Abstain	□ Recuse	□ Absent/Excused
Deputy Mayor Kjarval	🖾 Aye	🗆 Nay	🗆 Abstain	□ Recuse	□ Absent/Excused
Trustee Laing	🖾 Aye	🗆 Nay	🗆 Abstain	□ Recuse	□ Absent/Excused
Trustee Bradley-Rickard	🖾 Aye	🗆 Nay	🗆 Abstain	□ Recuse	□ Absent/Excused
Trustee Appenzeller	🖾 Aye	🗆 Nay	🗆 Abstain	□ Recuse	□ Absent/Excused
Vote Total	5				
Result	Motion: Passed				

Motion by: Trustee Bradley-Rickard

I hereby attest that the above Resolution was approved by the Board of Trustees at its November 2, 2023 meeting, and that I have been authorized to sign this Resolution by decision of the Board of Trustees

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Seconded by: Trustee Appenzeller

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