

January 27, 2021

WHEREAS, Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code and Texas Transportation Code Article 251 provides authorization for local governments to contract with each other for the performance of government functions and services and joint funding of transportation projects; and

WHEREAS, the trail master plans of the City of Plano (Plano) and the City of Dallas (City) envision the Preston Ridge Trail to be a continuous trail between the cities, to provide recreation and alternative transportation for all, and to serve as a vital link to the trail systems of each city; and

WHEREAS, Plano desires to design and construct the southernmost phase of the Preston Ridge Trail in Plano with a connection to the terminus of the City of Dallas's Preston Ridge Trail; and

WHEREAS, Plano will fund the design and construction of the trail and, after the construction of the trail connection is complete, Plano and the City shall be responsible for the maintenance and operation of the trail connection in their respective municipalities; and

WHEREAS, it is now necessary to enter into an Interlocal Agreement setting forth the terms and conditions of the project.

Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:

SECTION 1. That the President of the Park and Recreation Board and City Manager are hereby authorized to execute an Interlocal Agreement with the City of Plano, approved as to form by the City Attorney, for construction of the Preston Ridge Trail Connector in the City of Dallas city limits from the City of Plano city limits at the south side of the President George Bush Turnpike at Ohio Drive to the termination of the existing Preston Ridge Trail and maintenance and operations thereafter by the respective municipalities as described in Exhibit A.

SECTION 2. That Plano will fund, design, and construct the Preston Ridge Trail Connection at its sole cost and at the completion of construction, and acceptance of the improvements by the City, all improvements within the City of Dallas limits shall become the property and responsibility of the City.

SECTION 3. That this contract is designated as Contract No. PKR-2021- 00015470.

SECTION 4. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly so resolved.