

RESOLUTION NO. A-_____

1 WHEREAS, the County of Lancaster is applying to the Nebraska Game and
 2 Parks Commission for financial assistance from the Recreational Trails Program for
 3 grant funds for the purpose of removing an existing bridge and constructing a new
 4 bridge in Wilderness Park over Salt Creek Channel between Old Cheney Road and
 5 Pioneers Boulevard; and

6 WHEREAS, the total cost of the project will be \$385,000 of which the Recreation
 7 Trails Program request will be \$246,400 and the County's costs will be \$94,600 plus
 8 \$44,000 of in-kind engineering services; and

9 WHEREAS, the City of Lincoln, who is responsible for maintaining Wilderness
 10 Park per an agreement between the County of Lancaster and the City of Lincoln that
 11 was approved in August 1966, wishes to express its support for the project and its
 12 willingness to commit the necessary financial resources to construct, operate and
 13 maintain the completed project in a safe and attractive manner for public use.

14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of
 15 Lincoln, Nebraska:

- 16 1. That the City of Lincoln hereby expresses its support for the application
- 17 being made by County of Lancaster to the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission for
- 18 financial assistance from the Recreational Trails Program for the purpose of removing
- 19 an existing bridge and constructing a new bridge known as the Wilderness Park Bike

1 Bridge between Old Cheney Road and Pioneers Blvd. in Wilderness Park and its
2 commitment to the on-going maintenance of the park and bridge.

3 2. The City of Lincoln currently has the commitment for \$94,600 plus
4 \$44,000 of in-kind engineering services for the design of the bridge, or 36% local
5 matching share, for the project elements that are identified on the application form and
6 the supplemental documents and will, as it becomes necessary, allocate the local funds
7 for this project.

8 3. The City of Lincoln will manage the contracts for the project if allowed
9 under terms of the grant and commit the necessary financial resources to operate and
10 maintain the completed project in a safe and attractive manner for public use.

11 4. The City of Lincoln will not discriminate against any person on the basis of
12 race, color, age, religion, handicap, sex, or national origin in the use of proposed project
13 acquired or developed pursuant to the project proposal, and shall comply with the terms
14 and intent of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and any of the regulations
15 promulgated pursuant to such Act.

16 5. The City of Lincoln will comply with all rules and regulations of the
17 Recreational Trails Program, applicable Executive Orders and all state laws that govern
18 the grant applicant during the performance of the project.

19 6. The City of Lincoln will comply with the federal disability access and use
20 standards where they can be reasonably applied, in accord with the Americans with
21 Disabilities Act, as amended.

1 7. The City Clerk is directed to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to
2 the Parks and Recreation Department for transmittal to the Nebraska Game and Parks
3 Department.

Introduced by:

Approved as to Form & Legality:

City Attorney

Approved this ___ day of _____, 2012:

Mayor