

RESOLUTION NO. ____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS SUPPORTING THE DALLAS AREA RAPID TRANSIT APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S 2023 TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES SET-ASIDE CALL FOR PROJECTS.

WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) issued a call for projects in December 2022 for communities to apply for funding assistance through the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program (the "Program"); and

WHEREAS, since 2018, DART has been working cooperatively with the North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) and respective cities along the Silver Line Corridor on a regional partnership to design and construct the Cotton Belt / Silver Line Rail Trail (the "Trail") within the DART owned rail right-of way; and

WHEREAS, DART is coordinating engineering design and construction of the Trail through the Federal Transit Administration (FTA), and entering into necessary agreements with FTA to construct the Trail with funding awarded for the project; and

WHEREAS, The Program funds requested from TxDOT will be used for construction of portions of the Cotton Belt / Silver Line Rail Trail within the Town of Addison, and the Program funds require a local match. The Town of Addison will be contributing \$307,469 of local match funding previously committed with funding awards by the NCTCOG Regional Transportation Council; and

WHEREAS, the NCTCOG and DART will coordinate funding for cost overruns, if any for construction of the Trail. Upon completion, the Town of Addison will be responsible for maintenance of the Trail; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby authorizes this resolution in support the Dallas Area Rapid Transit Detailed Application of the Texas Department of Transportation 2023 Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program Call for Projects which includes funding to construct segments of the Cotton Belt / Silver Line Rail Trail in the Town of Addison.

SECTION 2. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

DULY RESOLVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the Town of Addison, Texas, on this 23^d day of MAY 2023.

TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS

Bruce Arfsten, Mayor

ATTEST:

Irma G. Parker, City Secretary