

RESOLUTION NO. ____

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS TO ADOPT AND APPROVE THE DEVELOPMENT OF UNITED STATES BIKE ROUTE 80 (USBR 80) WITHIN THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, bicycle tourism is a growing industry in North America that contributes to the economy of communities that provide facilities for such tourists; and

WHEREAS, the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (“AASHTO”) has designated a corridor crossing in Arkansas to be developed as United States Bike Route 80 (“USBR 80”); and

WHEREAS, the City of North Little Rock and Adventure Cycling Association, and other stakeholders, have proposed a specific route to be designated as USBR 80 (see Exhibit A attached hereto); and

WHEREAS, the proposed route for USBR 80 comes through the City of North Little Rock and can therefore provide benefits to our residents and businesses; and

WHEREAS, the North Little Rock City Council has reviewed the proposed route and found it to be suitable, and desires that the route be designated so that it can be mapped and signed, thereby promoting bicycle tourism in the City of North Little Rock.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1: That the City of North Little Rock expresses its approval and support for the development of United States Bike Route 80.

SECTION 2: That the posting of signs within with the City of North Little Rock right-of-way identifying the route through the community are authorized once the official route designation has been completed.

SECTION 3: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED:

APPROVED:

Mayor Joe A. Smith

SPONSOR:

Joe A. Smith
Mayor Joe A. Smith *by AF*

ATTEST:

Diane Whitbey, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Amy Beckman Fields
Amy Beckman Fields, City Attorney

PREPARED BY THE OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY/cf

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Diane Whitbey, City Clerk & Collector North Little Rock, Arkansas				
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