

RESOLUTION R-16-15

**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE TO SUPPORT
THE WHITEWATER CREEK WATER TRAIL**

WHEREAS, the citizens of the City of Fayetteville value its natural resources and outdoor recreational opportunities afforded by Whitewater Creek; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of the City of Fayetteville value the Whitewater Creek for water quality and habitat protection; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of the City of Fayetteville will greatly benefit from the recreational and natural experiences provided by the water trail; and

WHEREAS, providing access to the creek is a desired goal for the City of Fayetteville, and the City of Fayetteville supports activities that promote recreation on water resources; and

WHEREAS, The City of Fayetteville has worked with Southern Conservation Trust to perform a preliminary study to evaluate this water trail; and

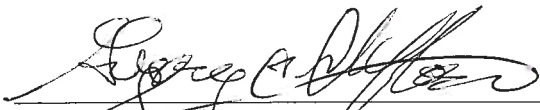
WHEREAS, the water trail is consistent with the comprehensive land use plan of the City of Fayetteville for recreational facilities for its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fayetteville supports Southern Conservation Trust to work and educate the citizens (through meetings and other events) of Fayetteville and to obtain easements with land owners along Whitewater Creek; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fayetteville affirms and supports the water trail, beginning at The Ridge Nature Area, located in the City of Fayetteville and ending at Starr's Mill, located in Fayette County, to be of value and benefit to the citizens of the City of Fayetteville and its neighboring communities;


THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council of the City of Fayetteville give full support to the Whitewater Creek Water Trail.

SO RESOLVED THIS 21st day of May, 2015.



Gregory O. Clifton, Mayor

Attest:



Arne Barksdale, City Clerk