RESOLUTION NO: 2022-12-193

LIVINGSTON COUNTY DATE: December 27, 2022

Resolution to Adopt the 2023 - 2027 Livingston County Parks & Open Space Plan – Planning Department/Livingston County Parks & Open Space Advisory Committee (POSAC)

- WHEREAS, the Livingston County Parks & Open Space Advisory Committee, a Committee of the Livingston County Board of Commissioners is made up of twelve representatives from throughout the County who undertake activities especially related to the maintenance and development of park and open space land in Livingston County; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Livingston County Parks & Open Space Advisory Committee has undertaken a planning process to determine the recreation and open space needs and desires of Livingston County residents during a five-year period covering the years 2023 through 2027; and
- **WHEREAS,** this Plan has been prepared by the Livingston County Planning Department in accordance with the most recent guidelines developed by the Department of Natural Resources and made available to local communities; and
- **WHEREAS,** residents of Livingston County were provided with a well-advertised opportunity during the development of the draft plan to express their views of Livingston County recreation through a public opinion survey, ask questions and discuss all aspects of the recreation and open space plan; and
- **WHEREAS,** the public was given a well-advertised opportunity and reasonable accommodations to review the final draft plan for a period of at least 30 days; and
- WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on December 19, 2022, at the Livingston County Administration Building prior to the regular meeting of the Court, Public Safety, Infrastructure & Development (CPSID) Committee, to provide an opportunity for all residents of Livingston County to express opinions, ask questions, and discuss all aspects of the 2023 2027 Livingston County Parks & Open Space Plan; and
- whereas, the Livingston County Parks & Open Space Advisory Committee has developed the plan as a guideline for improving recreation and enhancing open space conservation in the County of Livingston and the committee conveys its support for the preparation and submission of the 2023 2027 Parks and Open Space Recreation Plan.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners hereby adopt the 2023 – 2027 Livingston County Parks & Open Space Plan.

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