

## **RESOLUTION NO. 24-R-**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA, APPROVING A STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STATE-FUNDED GRANT AGREEMENT, AND AUTHORIZING THE CHAIR AND CLERK TO EXECUTE SAME; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the State of Florida Department of Transportation and Marion County desire to facilitate the design of a trail along the SUNTrail network connecting Baseline Road Trailhead to Santos Paved Trailhead. The asphalt trail will be twelve feet wide and approximately 6.8 miles in length. This project will connect a critical missing link in the Heart of Florida Loop Trail in Marion County, and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Florida Department of Transportation has requested Marion County to execute and deliver a State-Funded Grant Agreement for the aforementioned project (Cross Florida Greenway Baseline Rd. to Santos Paved Trail; 422772-2-34-01).

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Marion County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida:

**SECTION 1. Agreement Approval.** The Board hereby approves the State-Funded Grant Agreement for the aforementioned project and the Chair and Clerk are authorized to make, execute, and deliver said Agreement to the State of Florida Department of Transportation.

**SECTION 2. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

**DULY ADOPTED** in regular session this 19th day of March, 2024.

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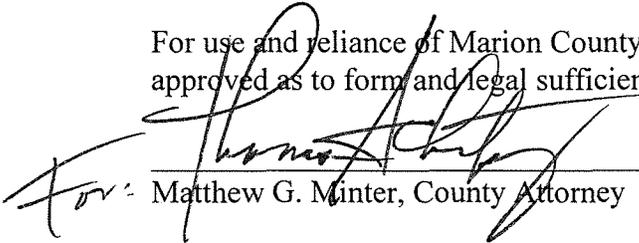
**MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA, a political  
subdivision of the State of Florida, by its  
Board of County Commissioners**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Michelle Stone, Chairman

**ATTEST:**

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Gregory C. Harrell, Clerk of Court  
and Comptroller

For use and reliance of Marion County only,  
approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

  
For: \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew G. Minter, County Attorney

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