

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF SPARTANBURG)
CITY OF LANDRUM)

RESOLUTION 2023 - 02

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LANDRUM
SUPPORTING THE CREATION OF THE SALUDA GRADE TRAIL**

The City Council of the City of Landrum, South Carolina (the "Council"), the governing body of the City of Landrum, South Carolina (the "City") has made the following findings of fact:

- A. The 31-mile rail trail will begin in Inman, South Carolina and pass through Campobello, Landrum, Tryon, and Saluda before reaching Zirconia, North Carolina.
- B. The trail will feature scenic views, access to lively downtowns, historic landmarks, unique nature preserves, lakes and waterfalls.
- C. The trail will strengthen Landrum businesses, celebrate our regional history, and connect people with the natural world.
- D. The trail offers potential connections to the Palmetto Trail in and around Landrum.
- E. A coalition of three nonprofits is spearheading the Saluda Grade Trail: Conserving Carolina, PAL: Play, Advocate, Live Well, and Upstate Forever.
- F. Increase in walking, hiking and cycling will improve public health among Landrum residents and visitors.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council duly assembled as follows:

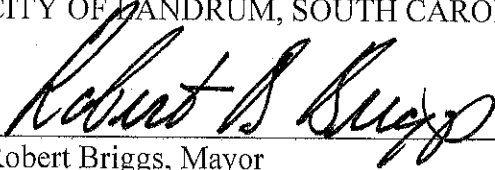
- 1) The City Council supports the transformation of the inactive Norfolk South Railroad line into the Saluda Grade Trail, an active multi-use trail for residents and visitors; and
- 2) The City Council supports additional funding from the State of South Carolina State Legislature and other elected and appointed state and county officials for this project.

This Resolution is effective upon adoption.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Resolution is adopted and made this 14th day of March, 2023.

(SEAL)

CITY OF LANDRUM, SOUTH CAROLINA


Robert Briggs, Mayor

ATTEST:


Rita Bruce, Clerk to Council