



## RESOLUTION NO. 2007-719

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CAMP VERDE, YAVAPAI COUNTY, ARIZONA, SUPPORTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A VERDE VALLEY REGIONAL TRAIL PLAN COMMITTEE TO BE COMPRISED OF ONE STAFF MEMBER, AND/OR COMMISSION MEMBER OF THE TRAILS AND PATHWAYS COMMISSION OR AN APPOINTED REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE COMMUNITY, EACH, FROM THE INCORPORATED COMMUNITIES IN THE VERDE VALLEY, YAVAPAI COUNTY AND STATE, FEDERAL AND TRIBAL LAND MANAGEMENT AGENCIES SO AS TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE WITH THE DEVELOPMENT OF THIS REGIONAL TRAIL PLAN.**

**WHEREAS**, the various communities and land agencies in the Verde Valley, including Camp Verde, Clarkdale, Cottonwood, Jerome, Sedona, Yavapai County, Arizona State Parks, Coconino National Forest, Prescott National Forest, National Park Service, Yavapai-Apache Nation, and Cocopai RC&D, have expressed interest in furthering the trail planning process in the Verde Valley through a collaborative planning effort; and

**WHEREAS**, the Verde Valley Regional Trail Plan is intended to serve as a guide and resource for trail planning efforts for the mutual benefit of all; and

**WHEREAS**, there will be opportunities for public input from all areas of the region throughout the development of this plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council recognize that improved trail facilities will benefit the health, safety and well-being of the residents of Camp Verde.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CAMP VERDE, YAVAPAI COUNTY, ARIZONA, RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1:** That a staff representative will be assigned to participate as a member of the Verde Valley Regional Trail Plan Committee.

**SECTION 2:** Membership of said Committee shall consist of a representative from Camp Verde, Clarkdale, Cottonwood, Jerome, Sedona, Yavapai County, Arizona State Parks, Coconino National Forest, Prescott National Forest, National Park Service, Yavapai-Apache Nation, and Cocopai RC&D.

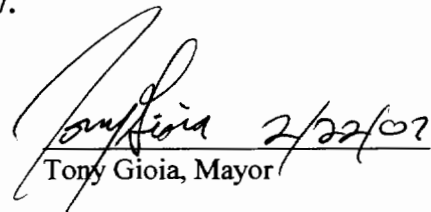
**SECTION 3:** Said Committee shall appoint a Chair from their membership who will facilitate the meetings and a Vice-Chair who will facilitate in the absence of the Chair.

SECTION 4: The Committee shall meet at the earliest possible date to determine a course of action which will result in a Draft Verde Valley Regional Trail Plan, which shall include the following for presentation to the Council for their input.

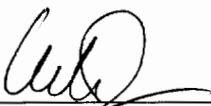
- A. Identification of planning area and inventory of existing trail facilities, trail plans, adopted policies, system maps, and related program information.
- B. Identification of user data characteristics, user groups and related agencies.
- C. Trail facility development guidelines.
- D. Trail education, publicity and advocacy programs.
- E. Trail funding strategies and opportunities.
- F. Inter-agency coordination and management programs and procedures.
- G. Implementation strategies.
- H. Other trail information as necessary to address the development of plan.

SECTION 5: Unless extended by agreement of the participating communities and agencies, this Committee shall cease to exist as of 18 months from its initial meeting, by which time a draft Regional Trail Plan shall be produced for public review.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** by a majority vote of the Town Council of Camp Verde, Yavapai County, Arizona 21 day of February, 2007.

  
Tony Gioia, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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Town Attorney

ATTEST:

  
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Deborah Barber, Town Clerk