

# CITY OF CHIPLEY

## STAFF REPORT

**SUBJECT:** Revolution Road Interpretive Panels & Wayfinding Locations & Driving Tour  
Directions – Heather Lopez

### MEETING DATE

Tuesday, April 14, 2026

### PREPARED BY

Patrice Tanner, City Administrator

### SUMMARY

The TDC is launching their America 250 driving tour that will include interpretive panels like those we did as part of the Old Spanish Trail project. This time, we will have the painted black metal frames. We are proposing one 24x42 sign that will include the full map of our trail overlaid on the 1776 British Purcell Map used during the Revolutionary War and two 24x24 signs (one on each side of the map) that will describe the Revolutionary War and the Declaration of Independence. We would like to have them placed on the left-hand side of the front door of the building, if you are looking straight at the building. This was the same location we had the Old Spanish Trail sign before it was removed. A 511 was already done for that sign so unless something has been added since 2023, we shouldn't need to do another one, unless this is something the city or state requires.

The trail will be permanent, and the Washington County Chamber of Commerce/Washington County TDC Visitor Center building, located at 672 5<sup>th</sup> Street, will be the starting point. We are planning to have the frames in hand around May 13th with the panels soon to follow. Washington County Public Works is storing and helping to install the frames for us. We will hold a launch event on July 2nd for the trail. A ribbon cutting will happen at the building around 10am and then we will travel on to Orange Hill Park for the rest of the event.

### RECOMMENDATION

City Staff recommend approval of the Revolution Road Interpretive Panels & Wayfinding Locations & Driving Tour Directions.

### ATTACHMENTS

1. Frame Designs
2. Tour Directions