



## **AGENDA ITEM ANALYSIS**

Project/Issue Name: 25-16 An Ordinance of the City Council Authorizing Execution of an Intergovernmental Cooperative Agreement with Greene County for Maintenance of Certain Portions of the Shuyler Creek Trail.

Submitted By: Karen Haynes, Community Development Director

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### **Issue Statement**

The Community Development Department is requesting approval of the execution of an Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with the Greene County Commission for maintenance of those portions of the Shuyler Creek Trail located in Greene County.

### **Discussion and/or Analysis**

The IGA outlines the terms of a Maintenance Agreement between the City of Republic and the Greene County Commission for perpetual maintenance and upkeep needs of the Shuyler Creek Trail, including but not limited to routine upkeep, repairs, resurfacing, vegetation management, mowing, landscaping, and trash and debris removal. Additionally, the City will maintain all Trail related signage, pavement markings, and any other measures to ensure the Trail remains safe, accessible, and in good condition.

The Agreement also formalizes the responsibility of the City to receive and manage requests for access to the Trail, which could include requests for new residential access roads and or driveways, continue to work with Greene County to review any trail improvements which could impact County ROW, and agree to Greene County's conveyance of the Right-of-Way to the City within in a ten year timeframe.

### **Recommended Action**

Staff recommends approval.