

**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**

WHEREAS, the City of Republic, Missouri (“City” or “Republic”), is a municipal corporation and Charter City located in Greene County, Missouri, being duly created, organized, and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri; and

WHEREAS, Greene County, Missouri (“the County”) has proposed an Intergovernmental Cooperative Agreement (“IGA”) with the City, to govern the parties’ respective rights and obligations pertaining to the maintenance and operations of portions of the Shuyler Creek Trail, beginning at the parcel containing 7083 West Farm Road 182, directly north of the center line of Farm Road 99, and extending east to the west side of the driveway at 6556 West Farm Road 182, approximately 290 feet west of the center line of ZZ Highway (“the Trail Segment”); and

WHEREAS, under the IGA, the City will be responsible for maintenance of the Trail Segment, including, but necessarily limited to, routine upkeep, repairs, resurfacing, vegetation management, mowing, landscaping, and trash and debris removal, as well as maintenance of related signage, pavement markings, and any other safety features; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds that the proposed IGA is appropriate under the identified circumstances and is in the best interest of the City and its citizens.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REPUBLIC, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1:** The City Administrator, or their designee, on behalf of the City, is authorized to execute an Intergovernmental Cooperative Agreement with Greene County, Missouri, to provide for the ongoing maintenance and operations of the portions of Shuyler Creek Trail, as identified herein and on Exhibit A to the IGA, said IGA to be in substantially the same form as that attached hereto and labeled Attachment 1.
- Section 2:** The City Administrator, or their designee, on behalf of the City, is authorized to take the other, additional necessary steps to execute this Ordinance.
- Section 3:** The WHEREAS clauses above are specifically incorporated herein by reference.
- Section 4:** The provisions of this Ordinance are severable and if any provision hereof is declared invalid, unconstitutional, or unenforceable, such determination shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this Ordinance.
- Section 5:** This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Republic, Missouri, this _____ day of _____, 2025.

Attest:

Eric Franklin, Mayor

Laura Burbridge, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:



Megan McCullough, City Attorney

Final Passage and Vote: