MCNENRY COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT
RESOLUTION # 20-04

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MCENRY COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT TO
EXECUTE DOCUMENTS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE
ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES (IDNR)
FOR A FEDERAL RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROGRAM (RTP) GRANT
TO FUND THE TRAIL CONNECTION AT LANGE ROAD NEAR HEBRON, ILLINOIS
ALONG THE HEBRON TRAIL

WHEREAS, the McHenry County Conservation District (hereinafter referred to
as the “District”), is authorized to acquire and hold lands for Conservation District Act
purposes as set forth in the Conservation District Act; and

WHEREAS, the District protects and preserves wildland not under cultivation or
otherwise subject to intensive use or development; and

WHEREAS, the District has plans to connect two portions of the Hebron Trail
near Hebron, Illinois at Lange Road; and

WHEREAS, the Illinois Department of Natural Resources is accepting
applications for the Federal Recreational Trail Program (RTP) for grant to aid in the
development and repair of trail infrastructure.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the McHenry County Conservation
District Board of Trustees hereby authorizes the Executive Director or her designee to
execute all documents necessary and to submit an application for an Illinois
Department of Natural Resources Federal Recreational Trail Program grant for
connecting the two portions of the Hebron Trail at Lange Road near Hebron, Illinois as
per the terms of the grant application.

PASSED AND APPROVED, by the Board of Trustees for the McHenry County
Conservation District, the 21st day of January 2020.

Ayes:  0
Nays:  0
Absent:  1
Abstain:  0

VERNON SCACCI, PRESIDENT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

CAROLYN CAMPBELL, SECRETARY
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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BOARD SUMMARY

DATE: January 21, 2020

TO: Board of Trustees

THROUGH: Elizabeth S. Kessler, Executive Director

FROM: John Kremer, Director of Operations and Public Safety
       Amy Peters, Planning Manager

RE: Resolution #20-04 - Authorizing the Submission of an Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) Federal Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Application for Linking the east and west segments of the Hebron Trail near Lange Road in rural Hebron Township

SUMMARY:
Staff is seeking authorization to submit a grant application to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR), Federal Recreational Trails Program (RTP) application for linking the east and west segments of the Hebron Trail near Lange Road in rural Hebron Township. The grant, if awarded, pays up to eighty percent (80%) of the project funding. The remaining twenty percent (20%) will be at the District’s cost. The project’s preliminary cost projection is $210,000. Twenty percent (20%) of that is $42,000.

The Federal Recreational Trails Program (RTP) was created through the National Recreational Trail Fund Act established in 1991. Applications must be completed and submitted to IDNR by March 2, 2020, 5:00 pm.

RECOMMENDATION:
Staff recommends the submission of Illinois Department of Natural Resources Federal Recreational Trails Program (RTP) application for linking the east and west segments of the Hebron Trail near Lange Road in rural Hebron Township.

MOTION:
Consent Agenda. Resolution #20-04 authorizing the Executive Director to execute and submit an Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) Federal Recreational Trails Program (RTP) application for linking the east and west segments of the Hebron Trail near Lange Road in rural Hebron Township.

Motion Made By: ____________________  Seconded By: ____________________

Ayes: ___  Nays: ___  Abstentions: ___  Motion: Passed  Failed  Tabled