RESOLUTION #R-23-17

RESOLUTION TO APPLY FOR WATER SOURCES DEVELOPMENT GRANT THROUGH NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF WATER QUALITY (NCDWQ)

WHEREAS, the Town of Black Mountain Town Council desires to sponsor the Fairway Drive Stormwater Diversion Project; and

WHEREAS, the Fairway Drive Stormwater Diversion Project is called for in the Stormwater Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, the estimated project cost of the Fairway Drive Stormwater Diversion Project is $170,000; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council requests the State of North Carolina to provide financial assistance to the Town of Black Mountain for the Fairway Drive Stormwater Diversion Project in the amount of $85,000; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Black Mountain will provide $85,000 for the Fairway Drive Stormwater Diversion Project from the stormwater fund balance; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Black Mountain will assume full obligation for payment of the balance of the project costs; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Black Mountain will obtain all necessary state and federal permits; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Black Mountain will comply with all applicable laws governing the award of contracts and the expenditure of public funds by local governments; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Black Mountain will supervise construction of the project to assure compliance with permit conditions and to assure safe and proper construction according to approved plans and specifications; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Black Mountain will obtain suitable soil disposal areas as needed and all other easements or rights-of-way that may be necessary for the construction and operation of the project without cost or obligation to the State; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Black Mountain will assure that the project is open for use by the public on an equal basis with no restrictions; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Black Mountain will hold the State harmless from any damages that may result from the construction, operation, and maintenance of the project; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Black Mountain will accept responsibility for the operation and maintenance of the completed project.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Black Mountain Town Council bless staff to apply for the Water Resources Development Grant through the North Carolina Department of Water Quality in the amount of $85,000 for the Fairway Drive Stormwater Diversion Project.

I move and adopt the foregoing resolution:

Alice Berry
Council Member

READ, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, by a vote of 5 to 0 on this 13th day of November 2023.

C. Michael Sobol, Mayor

ATTEST:

Wesley Barker, Town Clerk

Josh Harrold, Town Manager