

Resolution # 02-2015

COMMUNITY RECREATION AND NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION PLAN For

City of Watervliet, Berrien County, MI

WHEREAS, the City of Watervliet Commission has undertaken a planning process to determine the recreation and natural resource conservation needs and desires of its residents during a five year period covering the years 2015 through 2019, and

WHEREAS, the City of Watervliet Commission began the process of developing a community recreation and natural resource conservation plan in accordance with the most recent guidelines developed by the Department of Natural Resources and made available to local communities, and

WHEREAS, residents of the City were provided with a well-advertised opportunity during the development of the draft plan to express opinions, ask questions, and discuss all aspects of the recreation and natural resource conservation plan, and

WHEREAS, the public was given a well-advertised opportunity and reasonable accommodations to review the final draft plan for a period of at least thirty (30) days, and

WHEREAS, a final public comment session was held on January 13, 2015 at the City Hall to provide an opportunity for all residents of the planning area to express opinions, ask questions, and discuss all aspects of the recreation and natural resource conservation plan, and

WHEREAS, the City of Watervliet Commission has developed the plan as a guideline for improving recreation and enhancing natural resource conservation for the City.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the City of Watervliet Commission hereby adopts the Watervliet City and Watervliet Charter Township Joint Parks and Recreation Plan 2015-2019.

Duane Cobb--Yes Kevin Beckman--Absent Deah Thornton--Yes Melanie Marvin--Yes Rick Kinzler--yes
Barbara Schofield--yes

CERTIFICATION

I, Dena Yow, the duly appointed Clerk of the City of Watervliet, do hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of a Resolution, passed by the Watervliet City Commission on January 13, 2015, the original of which is on file at the Watervliet City Hall.

David M. Brinker, Mayor

Dena Yow, Clerk

Date

Date

