



City of Berlin
NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Seventeen

A RESOLUTION authorizing an application to the NH Charitable Foundation for a \$14,000.00 "You Have Our Trust" Grant to create a parking lot and trailhead area at the base of Mount Forist, create a new hiking trail on the mountain and associated activities.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Berlin as Follows:

Whereas, there is an active climbing community in the City and Mount Forist has become a destination for beginning and intermediate climbers and the activity is increasing in popularity; and

Whereas, there is a funder through the NH Charitable Foundation who has taken an interest in Mount Jasper and Mount Forist and wishes to continue to fund community based recreational opportunities in the City; and

Whereas, the City has a willing landowner to donate land for the parking and trailhead area;

Whereas, designated parking will give the neighborhood relief from unorganized, on-street parking; and

Whereas, this will be another recreational opportunity the City can promote and

Whereas, all grant proceeds shall be deposited with the City Treasurer and that any additional use of these funds beyond the scope of work as listed in the application shall require prior approval of the City Council.

Now Therefore Be It Resolved by the City Council of the City of Berlin as Follows:

That, the City Manager is authorized to apply for and receive a NH Charitable Foundation "You Have Our Trust" Grant in the amount of \$14,000.00 to create a parking lot and trailhead area at the base of Mount Forist, create a new hiking trail on the mountain and associated activities and upon approval of said application, the City Manager is authorized to execute any documents which may be necessary to effectuate the contract.

Be it further resolved that, upon receipt of the grant, \$14,000.00 is hereby appropriated for the purpose of the grant.

This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after passage.

PASSED: _____
April 17, 2017

APPROVED: _____
Paul Grenier, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Elaine Riendeau, City Clerk