

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH DUPLANTIS DESIGN GROUP FOR GRANT ASSISTANCE FOR THE CHIASSON PARK WALKING TRAIL RESTORATION PROJECT**

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Thibodaux in regular session assembled, that;

**WHEREAS**, the City will be applying for grant funding through the Federal Highway Administration Recreational Trails Program to help with the costs of the Chiasson Park Walking Trail Restoration Project; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to apply for grant funding, the City needs to have prepared plan packages to include overall project layout, and cost estimate for this project; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor has selected Duplantis Design Group to provide grant funding application assistance services for this project for a fee of \$5,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary to execute a contract with the said engineering firm for the services to be rendered in conjunction with this project.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council that the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to sign a professional services agreement with Duplantis Design Group for the aforementioned project.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of the said contract is attached hereto as "Exhibit A" and thereby made a part hereof.

The above resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS:  
NAYS:  
ABSTAIN:  
ABSENT:

And the above resolution was declared adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2026.

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Jennifer Morvant, Council Adm.

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Mike Naquin, President