

Sustainable Communities Application 2022

Resolution 2022-02; Local Government Resolution

Resolution of the Mayor and Town Council of Boonsboro to designate the Town of Boonsboro, Maryland as a Sustainable Community, pursuant to the attached Sustainable Community map (and Sustainable Community Plan (the “**Plan**,” as further described in the Sustainable Community Application (the “**Application**”), for approval either directly by the Department of Housing and Community Development (the “**Department**”) of the State of Maryland or through the Smart Growth Subcabinet of the State of Maryland.

WHEREAS, the Mayor & Town Council of Boonsboro recognizes that there is a significant need for reinvestment and revitalization of the communities in Washington County, Maryland; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor & Town Council of Boonsboro proposes to (i) designate the area of Town of Boonsboro, Maryland in Washington County, Maryland, as outlined on the attached map (the “**Area**”), as a Sustainable Community, and to (ii) adopt the Plan, as further described in the Application, for the purposes of contributing to the reinvestment and revitalization in the Area; and

WHEREAS, the Area is located within a priority funding area under Section 5-7B-02 of the Smart Growth Act; and

WHEREAS, the applicable law and the Community Legacy Program regulations require a local government to submit an application to the Department in order to become a designated Sustainable Community, and to adopt a satisfactory Sustainable Community Plan in order to be eligible to receive financial assistance under the Community Legacy Program;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Mayor & Town Council of Boonsboro hereby (i) endorses the designation of the Area as a Sustainable Community; and (ii) adopts the Sustainable Community Plan described in the Application.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the chief elected executive official is hereby requested to endorse this Resolution, indicating his or her approval by signature hereof; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the following persons are hereby authorized to execute documents and take any action necessary to carry out the intent of these resolutions;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, copies of this Resolution are sent to the Secretary of the Department of Housing and Community Development of the State of Maryland for consideration by the Smart Growth Sub-Cabinet.

READ AND PASSED THIS 25 day of April 2022.

BY ORDER: I hereby certify that Resolution Number 2022-02 is true and correct and duly adopted by the Mayor & Council of Boonsboro, MD.

ATTEST:

Mayor and Council of Boonsboro

Kimberly Miller, Interim Town Clerk

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Howard W. Long, Mayor

Rickard Byrd, Assistant Mayor

Marilee Kerns, Council Member

Anthony Nally, Council Member

Terri Hollingshead, Council Member

Ricky Weaver, Council Member

Raymond Hanson, Council Member

Date of Introduction: April 25, 2022

Date of Passage: April 25, 2022

Effective Date: