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## Resolution in Support of Parks CUP for Location of an Accessory Recreational Structure in the Floodway

WHEREAS, the Transportation Committee of the Highland District Council met on May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2017 to discuss the Conditional Use Permit for location of an accessory recreational structure in the Floodway at 1313 Mississippi River Blvd S.(Hidden Falls Park), and

WHEREAS, the Great River Passage Plan states that; Innovative public and private partnerships are one way to develop new facilities, such as a kayak course or mountain-biking trail... (and) provide more opportunities for river access, and provide facilities and improvements that encourage recreational use of the river, and

WHEREAS, the City of St Paul Parks and Recreation will be partnering with the National Park Service, Nice Ride MN, MN Department of Natural Resources, Ramsey County Sheriff and MN DOT to expand an existing kayak rental service to Hidden Falls Regional Park, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Highland District Council Transportation Committee recommends support for the request by the City of St Paul Parks and Recreation Department in their application for a Conditional Use Permit for the location of an accessory recreational structure in the Floodway at Hidden Falls Park.

Approved May 9, 2017 By the Transportation Committee of the Highland District Council

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