RESOLUTION

IN SUPPORT OF A STUDY COMMITTEE ON NONMOTORIZED TRAILS

Whereas the Governor’s State Trails Council has the responsibility to represent the interests of all trail users and their trail uses whether motorized or nonmotorized;

Whereas the funding for nonmotorized trails, unlike ATV and snowmobile trails, has not had a sufficient source;

Whereas the majority of trail users in the State of Wisconsin participate in nonmotorized outdoor activities;

Whereas questionnaires and polls indicate that nonmotorized trail users are willing to pay for quality nonmotorized trails; and

Whereas a reliable, sufficient, segregated account for nonmotorized trails does not exist;

It is therefore RESOLVED that the Governor’s State Trails Council appeals to the Joint Legislative Council for the creation of a study committee composed of citizens and legislators to gather, discuss and advance proposals that will result in legislation designed to create a new source of funding for nonmotorized trails.

Passed the eleventh day of April 2007 by the Wisconsin Governor’s State Trails Council.