



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

MEETING DATE: May 16, 2022
PREPARED BY: Chuck Stifter, parks and recreation director
AGENDA ITEM: Resolution No. 22-094 - Nine Regional Trails Master Plan

PREVIOUS ACTIONS:
None

RECOMMENDED COUNCIL ACTION:
Motion approving Resolution No. 22-094 supporting Three Rivers Park District in their work pursuant to the Nine Regional Trails Master Plan.

COMMENTS:

The Nine Regional Trails Master Plan is complementary to the City's comprehensive park and trail system plan, and the many recreational opportunities available to the community. Regional trails are one of several vital components to making our communities and greater region healthy and desirable places to live, work, and play. Maple Grove residents consistently rate the widespread and accessible trails within the community as a significant reason for them residing here. Three Rivers regional trails are the backbone of the trail network in Maple Grove and have greatly contributed to the livable quality of this great community.

Medicine Lake Regional Trail, which is one of the nine trails in the master plan and the only one within the city boundaries, is fully developed in Maple Grove. The regional corridor runs south from the Mississippi river in Dayton through Maple Grove and Plymouth to the southwest corner of Medicine Lake linking Maple Grove residents to many of the other regional trail systems within the master plan.

The City of Maple Grove is fortunate to have deeply rooted in our community the wonderful recreational facilities provided by Three Rivers Park District. The mutual respect and support provided between the city and park district has fostered a successful and cooperative relationship.

ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment A: Resolution No. 22-094