**RESOULTION 2011-25**

**A RESOLUTION CREATING A NINE MEMBER CITIZEN AD HOC ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR THE CITY OF LARAMIE, WYOMING TO ASSIST WITH THE COMPLETION OF A PARKS, TRAILS AND RECREATION MASTER PLAN FOR THE CITY AND ALL CITY OWNED PROPERTIES.**

**WHEREAS,** the City of Laramie, Wyoming (City) approved and adopted the first Comprehensive Plan for Parks, Recreation and open space in June of 1982 which set forth a system wide plan for improving Laramie's parks, recreation and open space resources,

**WHEREAS,** on August 4th, 1998 the City approved and adopted the Laramie Bicycle Facility Master Plan to promote and encourage the increased use of bicycles as an alternative form for recreation and connectivity between residential areas, UW, schools, parks and other recreational facilities, and connection points to bicycle routes outside the city,

**WHEREAS,** on August 21, 2007 the City approved and adopted the Laramie Comprehensive Plan which called for the completion of a new Parks, Trails and Recreation Master Plan for the city and city owned properties,

**WHEREAS,** the City approved $100,000 in the FY11 budget and $103,000 in the FY12 budget for the completion of a Parks, Trails and Recreation Master Plan for the city and city owned properties,

**WHEREAS,** the City Council developed their goals for 2011 & 2012 on January 29, 2011 that included the completion of a Recreation Master Plan for the city and city owned properties, along with completing a detailed location plan for the Greenbelt Trail system,

**WHEREAS,** the city staff is recommending the City Council create a citizen ad hoc advisory committee consisting of nine members, appointed by the Council representing the following stakeholder groups:

- Two (2) current members from the Parks, Tree and Recreation Advisory Board.
- One (1) current member from the Ad Hoc Ranch Advisory Committee.
- One (1) current member of the Laramie Planning Commission.
- One (1) representative from the Laramie Bicycling Network.
- Four (4) at large citizen/community members.

**NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF LARAMIE, WYOMING, RESOLVES:**

**SECTION 1**: That the foregoing recitals are incorporated in and made part of this resolution by this reference.

**SECTION 2:** That, City Council hereby creates a nine member citizen ad hoc advisory committee for the City of Laramie, Wyoming to assist with the completion of a Parks, Trails and Recreation Master Plan for the city and all city owned properties.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** on this 22nd day of March, 2011.

Scott Mullner, Mayor and President of
the Laramie City Council, Laramie, WY

**ATTEST:**

Sue Morris-Jones, MMC
City Clerk