

**RESOLUTION 2019-22**

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING  
DESIGNATION OF UNITED STATES BICYCLE ROUTE 37**

WHEREAS, bicycle tourism is a growing industry in North America, contributing \$47 billion a year to the economies of communities that provide facilities for such tourists; and

WHEREAS, the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) has designated a corridor crossing Indiana to be developed as United States Bicycle Route 37 (USBR 37) and United States Bicycle Route 137 (USBR 137); and

WHEREAS, the Adventure Cycling Association , Bicycle Indiana, with the cooperation of INDOT, have proposed specific route to be designated as USBR 37 and USBR 137, and

WHEREAS, the proposed route for USBR 37 and USBR 137 come through Tippecanoe County and specifically USBR 37 comes through the City of Lafayette and can therefore provide benefits to our City; and

WHEREAS, designation of a United States Bicycle Route does not impose or mandate any changes in maintenance of, or improvements to, the existing infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the City desires that USBR 37 be designated so it can be mapped and signed, thereby promoting bicycle tourism in our area;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF LAFAYETTE, INDIANA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City of Lafayette supports the development of USBR 37 and requests that INDOT get the route officially designated by AASHTO as soon as this can be achieved, and authorizes the posting of signs within City of Lafayette right-of-way identifying any portion of USBR 37 that passes through the City once the official designation has been made.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Common Council for the City of Lafayette this  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

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Ron Campbell, Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

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Cindy Murray, City Clerk

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Lafayette, Indiana, on the \_\_\_ day of  
\_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

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Cindy Murray, City Clerk

This Resolution approved and signed by me on the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

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Tony Roswarski, Mayor

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Sponsored by: Tony Roswarski, Mayor