

CITY OF JOHNSTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

RESOLUTION NO. 10431

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOHNSTOWN PENNSYLVANIA AUTHORIZING THE INTERIM CITY MANAGER AND/OR HIS DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE AND TAKE ANY/ALL ACTIONS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE AN APPLICATION FOR FUNDING ASSISTANCE FROM THE PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$15,000.00 THROUGH THE COMMUNITY CONSERVATION PARTNERSHIPS PROGRAM TO BE USED TOWARDS THE CREATION OF A MASTER PLAN FOR STACKHOUSE PARK.

WHEREAS, the City of Johnstown desires to undertake the Stackhouse Park Master Site Development Plan Project; and

WHEREAS, the City of Johnstown desires to apply to the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources("Department") for a grant for the purpose of carrying out this project; and

WHEREAS, the application package includes a document entitled "Terms and Conditions of Grant" and a document entitled "Signature Page for Grant Application and Grant Agreement"; and

WHEREAS, the City of Johnstown understands that the contents of the document entitled "Terms and Conditionsof Grant," including appendices referred to therein, will become the terms and conditions of a Grant Agreement between the applicant and the Department if the applicant is awarded a grant; and

WHEREAS, the City of Johnstown understands that, by signing the "Signature Page for Grant Application andGrant Agreement" and submitting it to the Department as part of the grant application, the applicant agrees to the terms and conditions of the grant and will be bound by the Grant Agreement if the Department awards a grant.

NOW THEREFORE, it is resolved that:

- 1 The "Signature Page for Grant Application and Grant Agreement" may be signed on behalf of the applicant by the official who, at the time of signing, has the title of City Manager.
- 2 If this official signed the "Signature Page for Grant application and Grant Agreement" prior to the passage of this Resolution, this grant of authority applies retroactively to the date of signing.
- 3 If the City of Johnstown is awarded a grant, the "Signature Page for Grant

Application and Grant Agreement,” signed by the above official, will become the City of Johnstown’s executed signature page for the Grant Agreement, and the City of Johnstown will be bound by the Grant Agreement.

4. Any amendment to the Grant Agreement may be signed on behalf of the grantee by the official who, at the time of signing of the amendment, has the title specified in paragraph one and the grantee will be bound by the amendment.

NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED, that the City of Johnstown (the Governing Body”) shall be, and the same hereby are authorized to submit a Grant Application to the Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for the purpose of developing a Master Site Plan for Stackhouse Park The Interim City Manager and/or his designee is hereby authorized to execute and take any/all actions necessary to effectuate all certifications and documentation required in connection with the application.

ADOPTED:

June 9, 2021

By the following vote:

Yeas: Mrs. Mock, Mr. Vitovich, Mr. Arnone, Mr. Britt, Mayor Janakovic, Rev. King.(6)

Nays: None (0)

Absent: Mr. Capriotti (1)

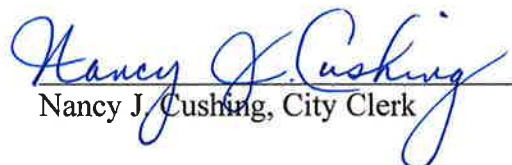


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Frank J. Janakovic, Mayor  
Marie Mock, Deputy Mayor

ATTEST:

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. **10431** as the same adopted by the City Council of the City of Johnstown, Pennsylvania.



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Nancy J. Cushing, City Clerk



**Stackhouse Park - Master Site Development Plan  
DCNR Grant Application –  
Providing Matching Funding**

City of Johnstown,  
John Dubnansky, Economic Development Director

Stackhouse Park, Inc is hereby confirming that we will provide the matching funds necessary for acceptance of the DCNR grant award. The submitted Application included a total project budget of \$30,000 to complete the Master Plan. DCNR requires a 50% local match. This requires Stackhouse Park, Inc. to provide \$15,000 in match towards the project. Stackhouse Park, Inc will provide this match.

Please contact me at [mzibura@gmail.com](mailto:mzibura@gmail.com) or Lauren Lazzari at (814) 525-6071 or with any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Mike Zibura, Stackhouse Park Board President

Powell Stackhouse Park, Inc. 998 Luzerne St., Johnstown, PA 15905 (814)536-1674, [www.StackhousePark.com](http://www.StackhousePark.com)

CITY OF JOHNSTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

RESOLUTION NO. 10432

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOHNSTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA, AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE INTERIM CITY MANAGER AND/OR HIS DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE AND TAKE ANY/ALL ACTIONS NECESSARY TO EFFECUATE A GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION FOR THE ALLEGHENIES UNDER THE COMMUNITY INITIATIVES PROGRAM, FOR A GRANT AMOUNT OF \$60,000.00 TO BE USED FOR THE REHABILITATION OF THE ROXBURY PARK PLAYGROUND

WHEREAS, the Community Foundation for the Alleghenies makes grants available to support local governments and organizations with community funding and;

WHEREAS, the City of Johnstown is eligible, able, and desires to enter into agreement with the Community Foundation for the Alleghenies for purposes of ensuring receipt of the grant funding made available under the Community Foundation in the amount of \$60,000.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Interim City Manager and/or his designee is hereby authorized and directed to execute and take any/all actions necessary to effectuate grant agreement with the Community Foundation for the Alleghenies, Community Initiatives Program, for Sixty thousand dollars and zero cents (\$60,000.00).

ADOPTED:

June 9, 2021

By the following Vote:

Yeas: Mr. Vitovich, Mr. Arnone, Mr. Britt, Mayor Janakovic, Rev. King, Mrs. Mock. (6)

Nays: None (0)

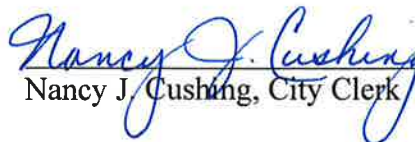
Absent: Mr. Capriotti (1)



Frank J. Janakovic, Mayor  
Marie Mock, Deputy Mayor

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Nancy J. Cushing, City Clerk



COMMUNITY FOUNDATION  
FOR THE ALLEGHENIES

SERVING BEDFORD, CAMBRIA, SOMERSET, AND INDIANA COUNTIES

June 1, 2021

Dan Penatzer  
City Hall, Room 104  
401 Main Street  
Johnstown, PA 15901

Dear Dan:

The Community Foundation for the Alleghenies is pleased to inform you that a grant of \$60,000 has been awarded to City of Johnstown for its Roxbury Park Playground Rehabilitation project. The grant was made possible through the CONCEPT Playground Distribution Fund of the Community Foundation for the Alleghenies.

Enclosed is a copy of the grant agreement, which must be signed and returned to us, as soon as possible. We cannot issue your payment until we have received your signed grant agreement. Please make a copy of the agreement for your records.

Please read the grant agreement carefully and note any contingencies regarding your project. Also, remember to submit the online Final Project Report by the due date on the grant agreement. Instructions to complete the Final Project Report can be found at [cfalleghenies.org/grants](http://cfalleghenies.org/grants).

In a continuing effort to make the philanthropy of our donors more visible we ask that, if possible, you publicize our support of your project. If you need assistance publicizing this opportunity, please reach out to our Communications Officer, Kecia Bal. As a reminder, this grant should be recognized as coming from the CONCEPT Playground Distribution Fund of the Community Foundation for the Alleghenies.

Thank you for the work you do in our community. We look forward to working with you in the future.

Very truly yours,



Mike Kane  
President

Enclosure

CC: John Dubnansky





The undersigned hereby agrees to the following grant conditions:

1. To use the funds only for the purpose described in the grant application and this grant agreement; to notify the Community Foundation of and obtain its consent to any substantial deviation from said purpose; and to not use the funds for any purpose prohibited by law.
2. To maintain its books and records to show, and separately account for, the funds received under this grant, and to maintain records of expenditures adequately to identify the purposes for which, and manner in which, grant funds have been expended.
3. To permit the Community Foundation, at its request, to have reasonable access to the grantee's records for the purpose of making financial audits, verifications, and investigations concerning the grant, and to maintain such records for at least four years after completion of the project.
4. To return to the Community Foundation any portion of the grant not used as specified herein.
5. To recognize the Community Foundation in all publicity materials related to the funded project or program, as specified in the grant notification letter.
6. To submit an online Final Grant Report by the Final Grant Report Due Date listed below. If an extension is needed for any reason, please contact the Community Foundation.
7. I hereby certify that this organization does not directly or indirectly engage in or support any terrorist activity. Neither the organization, nor its officers or directors, are included on any lists of terrorists compiled by the U.S. government or any other national or international body. The organization does not distribute funds to benefit any individual or organization engaged in or supportive of terrorism.
8. I hereby certify that our organization does not discriminate on the basis of ethnicity, race, color, creed, religion, gender, national origin, age, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, gender expression, or veteran status.

Name of Organization: City of Johnstown  
 Project Name: Roxbury Park Playground Rehabilitation  
 Description: To support the City of Johnstown in replacing and/or repairing play equipment and rubberized surfaces of the inclusive playground at Roxbury Park.

CONTINGENCY: NONE

Grant Timeframe: May 31, 2021 – May 31, 2022  
 Final Grant Report Due: June 30, 2022  
 Grant Amount: \$60,000.00  
 Fund Name: CONCEPT Playground Distribution Fund

We certify that this grant will be used for the purpose designated in the grant application and will verify the outcomes to the Community Foundation for the Alleghenies.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
 Executive Director Telephone Date

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
 Board Chairperson Telephone Date

PLEASE SIGN, MAKE A COPY FOR YOURSELF, AND RETURN ONE ORIGINAL TO THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION.

If appropriate, may we provide your grant information to other potential funders? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

CITY OF JOHNSTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

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WHEREAS, the United States Department of Transportation assists local governments within the state of Pennsylvania to sustain and grow transportation assets, and

WHEREAS, the City of Johnstown has been working with Vision Together 2025 on identifying key transportation needs within the City, and

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Transportation has opened the RAISE Program to accept grant applications to support transportation needs, and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City Council to access funding through RAISE to help us maintain and grow our transportation assets; and

WHEREAS, the proposed project will include making improvements to the train station, the Main Street Greenway, the Inclined Plane, the CamTran Downtown Transit Center, and the trail systems expanding into Downtown; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Johnstown has agreed to submit a grant application to the United States Department of Transportation for \$24,447,764,

WHEREAS, the City of Johnstown is requesting a waiver of any matching funds associated with this grant request;

NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED, that the City of Johnstown (the Governing Body”) shall be, and the same hereby are authorized to submit a Grant Application to the Pennsylvania United States Department of Transportation for the purpose of making improvements to City-located transportation assets. The Interim City Manager and/or his designee is hereby authorized to execute and take any/all actions necessary to effectuate all certifications and documentation required in connection with the application.

ADOPTED:

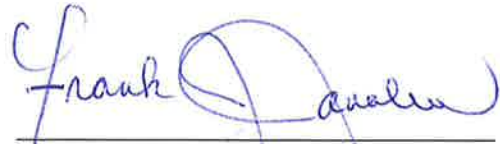
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Marie Mock, Deputy Mayor

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Nancy J. Cushing, City Clerk



# JOHNSTOWN'S IRON-TO-ARTS CORRIDOR

## U.S. DOT RAISE Project to Restore Johnstown, PA Transit Hubs & Connect the Community for Downtown Revitalization & Heritage Tourism



Cambria County and the City of Johnstown, PA are working with partners including PennDOT and regional transit agency CamTran on the "Iron-to-Arts Corridor Project". The Iron-to-Arts Corridor will upgrade three downtown transit systems for low-income and working-class commuters, connect these proximate transit hubs with complete street upgrades, and help Johnstown overcome economic distress by boosting downtown revitalization and heritage tourism for the city and the broader region.

Johnstown's three transit hubs – the Johnstown Train Station, the CamTran Downtown Intermodal Transportation Center, and the Johnstown Inclined Plane – need facility upgrades in order to serve 325,000+ annual workers and tourism passengers.

Total cost for the Iron-to-Arts Corridor project is just over \$49 million with \$24,547,500 in state, local, philanthropic, other federal, and Amtrak funding already secured. Cambria-Johnstown now seeks support from the Biden Administration, Governor Tom Wolf, and the Pennsylvania congressional delegation for a **\$24,447,764 U.S. DOT RAISE 2021 grant** accomplish this project. The "Johnstown Iron-to-Arts Corridor" project will:

(1) **Restore the grand, historic Johnstown Train Station** as a multimodal center with daily Amtrak, regional rail, and bus transit services, supported by transit oriented development at the station including a new Johnstown Visitors Center, a healthy food & farmers market, the headquarters of the Artists-Blacksmith Association of North America, and retail TOD expansion that will boost the local economy and draw tourists from the broader region. This builds on millions of recent investment for station improvements by PennDOT and Amtrak, and will leverage an additional \$12 million in Amtrak funding, already secured, for improvements to the train platform and passenger station facilities. RAISE funding will support station building improvements deemed critical by a 2021 PennDOT condition assessment.

**Cost = \$23,281,411, with RAISE ask of \$11,281,411** for station upgrades, leveraged with \$12 million for Amtrak facility improvements already secured.



(2) **Restore the Inclined Plane** passenger and vehicle funicular transit system to full function, to boost ridership on this central CamTran transit link from 50,000 to 200,000+ annually, and to foster an expanded regional tourism market and new economic development. The project is fully designed & shovel-ready. **Cost = \$12.675M** for capital construction, with \$11.7M in state and local resources secured, and a **RAISE ask of**

**\$879,292**



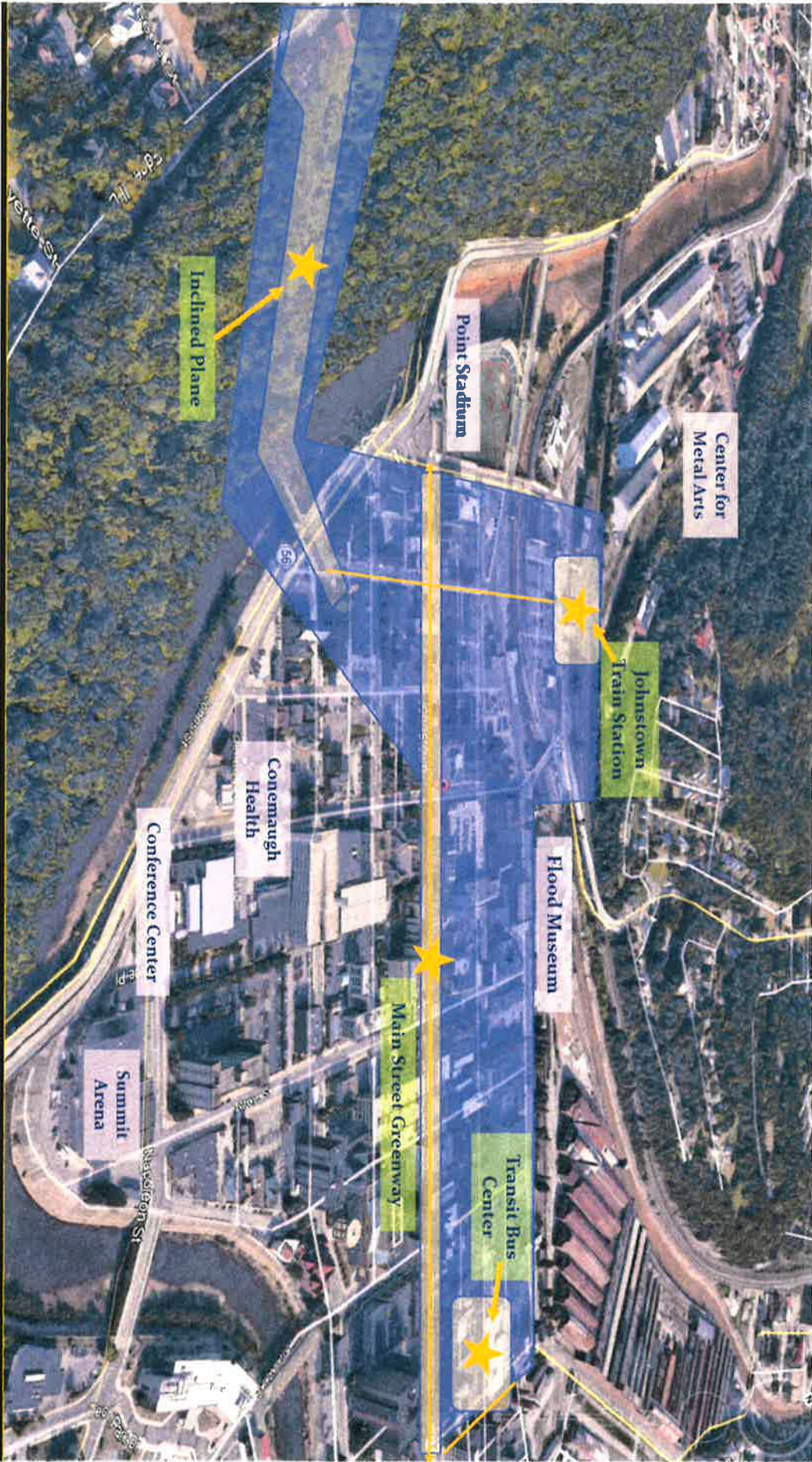
(3) **Upgrade the CamTran Downtown Intermodal Transportation Center** to enhance downtown and regional bus transit with passenger safety upgrades, station improvements, and mobility connections to the surrounding catchment area. **Cost = RAISE ask of \$3.6 million**

(4) **Connect Transit Centers & Economic Hubs via the "Main Street Greenway & Urban Connectivity Corridor"**, to improve walkability with 0.5 miles of complete street upgrades on Main Street including sidewalk, traffic calming, transit stop enhancements, ADA-accessibility, green infrastructure, streetscape improvements. This project component will complete key downtown segments of the Path of the Flood Trail and the Jim Mayer Riverwalk Trail, which will connect these three transit hubs and key community anchors, as well as link Johnstown



to the National 9/11 Trail. **Cost = RAISE ask of \$8,687,061**, with \$847,500 already secured.





For info contact Cambria County MPO Director Ethan Imhoff at 814.262.5722 or [eimhoff@co.cambria.pa.us](mailto:eimhoff@co.cambria.pa.us) or Matt Ward at Sustainable Strategies DC at [matt.ward@strategiesdc.com](mailto:matt.ward@strategiesdc.com) or 202.422.2411