

Ordinance 13 -19

AN ORDINANCE ENDORSING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE PORTAGE RIVER WATER TRAIL AS A DESIGNATED WATER TRAIL BY THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

WHEREAS, this Council adopted Resolution No. 18-4 supporting the Ottawa County Active Transportation Plan providing for the development of alternative transportation facilities for economic and development purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Portage River Basin Council, of which Ottawa, Sandusky and Wood County are members, has proposed the establishment of the Portage River Water Trail as a means to encourage tourism and eco-friendly, educational, historical, cultural and recreational activities on the Portage River, and

WHEREAS, said Water Trail designation must meet the criteria and guidelines for approval of the Ohio Department of Natural Resources.

NOW THEREFORE, Be It Ordained by the council of the City of Port Clinton, Ottawa County, and State of Ohio:

Section 1 This Council declares its support for the establishment of the Portage River Water Trail as a means to encourage tourism and eco-friendly, educational, historical, cultural and recreational activities on the Portage River.

Section 2. This Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council and any of its Committees concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council or Committees, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its Committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: _____, 2019

President of Council

Attest: _____

Approved: _____, 2019

Mayor