

**CITY OF WESTWOOD HILLS, KANSAS  
RESOLUTION NO. 2022-2  
A RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE REGIONAL CLIMATE ACTION PLAN**

**WHEREAS**, Climate Action KC (“CAKC”) is a regional nonprofit formed to promote strategies and solutions that drawdown greenhouse emissions and promote economic opportunity and quality of life; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mid-America Regional Council (“MARC”) is a nonprofit association of city and county governments and serves as the metropolitan planning organization for the bistate Kansas City region; and

**WHEREAS**, CAKC and MARC partnered together to complete a Regional Climate Action Plan containing a regional emissions inventory and climate risk and vulnerability assessment; and

**WHEREAS**, the Climate Action Plan creates a voluntary framework to guide and align local action in ways that make a difference for the entire Kansas City region; and

**WHEREAS**, the Climate Action Plan contains a comprehensive set of goals and strategies that can be tailored to meet local community needs and priorities; and

**WHEREAS**, the strategies in the Climate Action Plan build stronger, healthier, more vibrant, and economically vital communities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Climate Action Plan serves 10 counties and 123 municipalities in two states, with a population of 2.14 million. In Kansas, these counties include Douglas, Johnson, Leavenworth, Miami, and Wyandotte. In Missouri, the planning area includes Cass, Clay, Jackson, Platte, and Ray counties; and

**WHEREAS**, over 1,000 regional residents participated in the planning, prioritization, and drafting of the Climate Action Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, success will only be achieved if there is equitable access to the benefits of the Climate Action Plan among the entire population of the metropolitan area without regard to race, gender, ethnicity, religion, nationality, sexual orientation, income, age, disability, or any other classification.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WESTWOOD HILLS, KANSAS, AS FOLLOWS:**

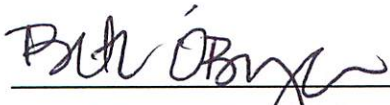
**Section 1. Endorsement.** We endorse the KC Regional Climate Action Plan and further resolve to review and implement, as appropriate, the solutions and strategies enumerated therein.

**Section 2. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its adoption by the City.


ADOPTED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WESTWOOD HILLS, KANSAS,  
ON AUGUST 8, 2022.

By:   
Rosemary Podrebarac, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Beth O'Bryan, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
James R. Orr, City Attorney