

ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION 1-2017

**A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING CITY COUNCIL TO HIRE ADDITIONAL
URBAN PLANNING STAFF**

Whereas, the City of Reading currently does not have any planning staff; and

Whereas, the City's draft Comprehensive Plan is currently under review; and

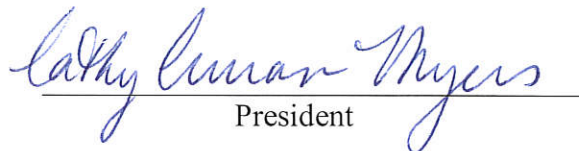
Whereas, Reading is an urban environment and planning staff with urban experience is essential; and

Whereas, the Environmental Advisory Council understands the importance of plan review and the planning process on projects which may have environmental implications; and

Whereas, the Environmental Advisory Council also understands the importance of City planning staff in the implementation of the Comprehensive Plan.

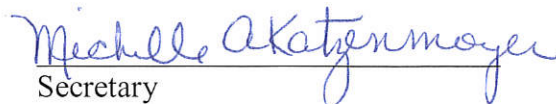
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Reading Environmental Advisory Council encourages Reading City Council to hire an urban planner dedicated solely to the implementation of the Comprehensive Plan and other visionary plans for the City. This would be in addition to the hiring of other City staff dedicated to the administration of the Subdivision and Land Development Ordinance and to other planning duties.

Adopted Feb 28, 2017



President

Attest:



Secretary