

# RESOLUTION NO. 05-2017-07

## MICHIGAN STATE PARKS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (MSPAC)

### RESOLUTION TO RECOMMEND APPROVAL OF THE “PARKS AND RECREATION DIVISION STRATEGIC PLAN 2017-2022: CONNECTIONS”

**ADOPTED: June 8, 2017**

**WHEREAS**, the Michigan Department of Natural Resources’ (DNR) Parks and Recreation Division (PRD) has completed the *Parks and Recreation Division Strategic Plan 2017-2022: Connections*;

**WHEREAS**, the planning process was inclusive of advisory group, employee, stakeholder, and public input through multiple stages of Strategic Plan development;

**WHEREAS**, the planning process reflects a sensitivity and appreciation for Michigan’s natural and cultural resource, attracting and engaging new generations to these resources, providing quality outdoor recreation to Michigan’s residents and communities, engaging in strategies to increase state and community prosperity, sustainably supporting programs, operations and facilities, and employing effective and safe business practices;

**WHEREAS**, the Strategic Plan represents the goals, objectives and strategies, consistent with the mission of the DNR and PRD, to guide the division through 2022;

**WHEREAS**, the Strategic Plan is consistent with the recommendations of the Michigan State Parks and Outdoor Recreation Blue Ribbon Panel report submitted to Governor Rick Snyder (2012), the Michigan Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP) (2013-2017), the Michigan Comprehensive Trail Plan (2013-2018), and the Managed Public Land Strategy (2013);

**WHEREAS**, the Strategic Plan has been reviewed and recommended for approval by the Parks and Recreation Division;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Michigan State Parks Advisory Committee recommends approval of the Parks and Recreation Division Strategic Plan 2017-2022: Connections. And;

**THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Michigan State Parks Advisory Committee further recommends that the DNR Director approve the Parks and Recreation Division Strategic Plan 2017-2022: Connections.

Submitted by: Vicki McGhee, Chief, Planning and Infrastructure Section, PRD

**Motioned by: Tom Baily**

**Seconded by: Julie Clark**

**Yeas: 9**

**Nays: 9**

**Abstained: 0**

**Absent: 5**

*This Resolution was adopted by the Michigan State Parks Advisory Committee at their regular meeting on June 8, 2017 as Resolution No. 05-2017-07*