

# CITY OF WILLIAMSPORT, PA RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION # 9213

DATE 12-02-21

TITLE

## RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE WILLIAMSPORT HEART & SOUL PEER REPORT AND ACTION PLAN

**WHEREAS**, Williamsport Heart & Soul Volunteers have been working as an ongoing collaborative partnership between the Susquehanna Greenway Partnership (Peer Consultant), the Pennsylvania Humanities Councils (a partner of the National Endowment for the Humanities), the Orton Family Foundation, the Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources – Bureau of Recreation and Conservation and the City of Williamsport since January of 2016; and

**WHEREAS**, through extensive community outreach, the following community values were identified – Arts, Culture & Heritage; Beautiful, Natural Environment; Diverse Community; Educational Assets; Health, Safety & Welfare; Opportunities & Economic Growth; Small Town Feel; and Urban Amenities; and

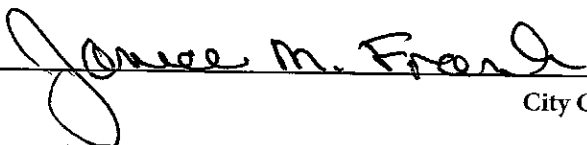
**WHEREAS**, on April 11, 2019, the City of Williamsport passed Resolution 8871 agreeing to base their future decisions, in part, in these values; and


**WHEREAS**, the presented Heart of Williamsport 2021 Community Heart & Soul Peer Report and Action Plan summarizes what citizens shared and their project recommendations for further action.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLIAMSPORT:**

1. That Williamsport City Council recognizes this Peer Report as the official civic engagement document of the Heart & Soul Peer Project.
2. That the Heart of Williamsport 2021 Community Heart & Soul Peer Report and Action Plan submitted by Susquehanna Greenway Partnership is hereby adopted by the Williamsport City Council.

Approved

  
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City Clerk

  
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President