



CITY OF ALLENTOWN

No. 29611

RESOLUTION

R27 – 2018

Introduced by City Council on February 21, 2018

**Hamilton District Main Street Program of the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce
Foundation of the City of Allentown Proposal**

Resolved by the Council of the City of Allentown, That

WHEREAS, the Hamilton District Main Street Program of the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce Foundation of the City of Allentown is desirous of working toward the revitalization of its central business district, and

WHEREAS, the Hamilton District Main Street Program shares the desire to revitalize the central business district of the City of Allentown; and

WHEREAS, the Hamilton District Main Street Program has been functioning as a Pennsylvania designated Main Street Program and has prepared a vision statement, a mission statement and a five-year action strategy required by DCED as a designated Main Street program; and

WHEREAS, the Hamilton District Main Street Program of the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce Foundation of the City of Allentown has reviewed the aforementioned vision statement, mission statement and action strategy and desires to enter into a cooperation agreement, pending designation by DCED with the Hamilton District Main Street Program; and

WHEREAS, the Hamilton District Main Street Program of the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce Foundation of the City of Allentown is desirous of obtaining designation from the Department of Community and Economic Development, (hereinafter referred to as DCED), and implementation of activities related to, the Commonwealth's Main Street Program for a five year period.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT:

- A. The Hamilton District Main Street Program of the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce Foundation will assume responsibility for the provision of the full local share of the project costs.
- B. The Hamilton District Main Street Program of the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce Foundation of the City of Allentown acknowledges the creation of the vision statement and the five-year action strategy and supports these documents as the current plan for the revitalization of the central business district of the City of Allentown.
- C. Pending official notification of designation by DCED that the Greater Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce Foundation of the City of Allentown intends to work collaboratively with the City of Allentown.

The Secretary of the Hamilton District Main Street Program of the City of Allentown is directed to execute a certificate attesting to the adoption of this resolution and to furnish a copy of this Resolution.

	Yea	Nay
Candida Affa	X	
Julio A. Guridy	X	
Daryl Hendricks	X	
Cynthia Mota	X	
Courtney Robinson	X	
Ed Zucal	X	
Roger MacLean, Pres.	X	
TOTAL	7	0

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the above copy of Resolution No. 29611 was adopted by the City Council of Allentown on the 21st day of February, 2018, and is on file in the City Clerk's Office.

City Clerk