

**RESOLUTION NO. R2011-62**

**RESOLUTION TO SEEK MEMBERSHIP IN THE AARP NETWORK OF AGE-FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES**

**WHEREAS**, the health and safety of residents of all ages of highest concern to the citizens of Gallatin; and

**WHEREAS**, as the U.S. population ages and people stay healthy and active longer, communities must adapt; and

**WHEREAS**, planning processes including community revitalization and economic development plans should include the needs of all people regardless of age, income, physical ability, race, and other factors of older adults; and

**WHEREAS**, community decisions on land use, housing, and transportation should be consistent with comprehensive plans that have been developed with public input; and

**WHEREAS**, members of the AARP Network of Age-Friendly Communities become part of a global network of communities that are committed to giving their older residents the opportunity to live rewarding, productive and safe lives; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF GALLATIN, TENNESSEE**, that in order to ensure Gallatin is a well-designed, livable community that promotes health and sustained economic growth for residents of all ages, the City of Gallatin supports the planning process and requests participation in the Network of Age-Friendly Communities.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this resolution shall take effect from and after its final passage by the City Council, the public welfare requiring such.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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DATE: November 17, 2020.

  
MAYOR PAIGE BROWN

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
CONNIE KITTRELL  
CITY RECORDER

  
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