Midway City Council
1 December 2020
Regular Meeting

Resolution 2020-38 / Gardner Legacy Preserve



## RESOLUTION 2020-

A RESOLUTION TO CODIFY THE UNANIMOUS SUPPORT FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE LAND KNOWN AS THE KEM C. GARDNER LEGACY PRESERVE, AS A CLEAR DEMONSTRATION OF THE INTENTION OF THE CITY OF MIDWAY TO PRESERVE OPEN SPACE NECESSARY TO FOREVER PROTECT THE COMMUNITY'S RURAL CHARACTER AND OPEN SPACE VALUES

**WHEREAS**, the City of Midway values the pastoral community character of the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Midway has recognized through the passage of an open space bond in 2018 that protecting lands in and around the City are critical to ensure the quality of life of its citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Midway has placed importance on protecting those open spaces along the three entry corridors to the City including S.R. 113/US 189; and

**WHEREAS**, the Kem C. Gardner Legacy Preserve is a landscape that holds tremendous open space value for its visual aesthetic alone and is along the entry corridor to the City; and

**WHEREAS**, the reservation of public uses on this property further provides public benefits to the citizens of Midway; and

**WHEREAS**, the riparian and natural habitat values encompassed by this Property, in part by the preservation of a portion of Snake Creek that passes through this property, is of vital value to the citizenry of Midway; and

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it resolved that on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2020 the Midway City Council passed this resolution clearly identifying that the value of protecting the Kem C. Gardner Legacy Preserve of approximately 80 acres is supported and further endorsed by the City Council as the type and kind of land that unequivocally meets the criteria of the open space bond and further supports the Midway City General Plan

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of Midway City, Wasatch County, Utah this  $1^{\rm st}$  day of December, 2020.

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Council Member Steve Dougherty		
Council Member Jeff Drury		
Council Member Lisa Orme		
Council Member Kevin Payne		
Council Member JC Simonsen		
APPROVED:		
Celeste Johnson, Mayor		
ATTEST:	APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Brad Wilson, City Recorder	Corbin Gordon, City Attorney	