BILL NO. _16-736_

RESOLUTION NO. _6109_

A RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING, SUPPORTING AND PROMOTING THE FIRST SUBURBS COALITION, KC COMMUNITIES FOR ALL AGES, AND MID-AMERICA REGIONAL COUNCIL'S COMMUNITIES FOR ALL AGES INITIATIVE AND RECOGNITION PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City of Independence has worked in partnership with the First Suburbs Coalition, KC Communities for All Ages and the Mid-America Regional Council; and,

WHEREAS, the First Suburbs Coalition, KC Communities for All Ages, and the Mid-America Regional Council have through the efforts of its members, developed a Communities for All ages Tool Kit and Communities for All ages Idea Book attached hereto as Exhibit “A”; and,

WHEREAS, The First Suburbs Coalition, KC Communities for All Ages, and the Mid-America Regional Council have, through the efforts of its membership, developed a Communities for All Ages Checklist, attached hereto as Exhibit “B”; which helps communities orient their physical and service efforts to meet the needs of all ages; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Independence intends to utilize the checklist to assess City policies, programs and investments to make sure they are responsive to the needs of all residents of the city; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council desires the City of Independence to be a Community of All Ages in furtherance of the City Council’s Strategic Goals;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby expresses its support for the recommended concepts and strategies of the Community for All Ages.

SECTION 2. City Staff is hereby directed to take reasonable steps necessary to participate in the Communities for All Ages Recognition Program for the City of Independence.

PASSED THIS ______ 20th DAY OF JUNE __________, 2016, BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI.

[Signature]

Presiding Officer of the City Council of the City of Independence, Missouri

ATTEST:

[Signature]

City Clerk
APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

[Signature of person]
City Counselor

REVIEWED BY:

[Signature of person]
City Manager