Borough of Aspinwall Allegheny County, Pennsylvania Resolution No. 2017-5

RESOLUTION INDICATING THE INTENT OF ASPINWALL BOROUGH TO WORK ALONG WITH ALLEGHENY COUNTY TO ACCOMPLISH THE GOALS OF THE LIVE WELL ALLLEGHENY CAMPAIGN

WHEREAS, in January of 2013, Allegheny County Executive Rich Fitzgerald, under the leadership of the Board of Health and Health Department Director Dr. Karen Hacker, launched a comprehensive, innovative strategy on wellness called *Live Well Allegheny*; and

WHEREAS, living well is a broad concept that incorporates physical health, mental wellness, personal and community safety, prevention and preparedness, physical activity, nutrition, fitness, managing chronic disease, improving well-being, quality of life, education, improving our standard of living, cessation programs, vaccinations, weight loss, anti-aging, health literacy and so much more; and

WHEREAS, the health of our county residents, and the health of Aspinwall Borough residents, requires a coordinated effort to ensure that programs, studies, outreach events and other efforts have the ability to improve our overall health; behavior changes requires a cultural change which Live Well Allegheny is intent on providing; and

WHEREAS, one of the main initiatives of the *Live Well Allegheny* campaign is to endeavor to have the participation of all 130 municipalities and to provide programming in each of those communities; the campaign can enhance the capacity of communities to effectively plan, implement, evaluate and sustain activities and interventions that accomplish the goals;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Borough of Aspinwall will endeavor to work along with Allegheny County to accomplish the goals of the *Live Well Allegheny* campaign; and

FURTHERMORE, that the Council of Aspinwall Borough pledges to take the following steps within our community toward these goals:

- * Promote and support farmers' markets
- * Encourage involvement with community volunteer activities
- * Utilize web sites and social media to provide information on physical activity, nutrition, stress management, tobacco cessation, and other health and wellness related initiatives

ADOPTED this 3rd day of May, 2017 by the Council of the Borough of Aspinwall.

ATTEST:

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BOROUGH OF ASPINWALL

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