RESOLUTION NO. 1602

A RESOLUTION introduced by Councilmember Tiffany Muller endorsing the formation of a Friends of the Bark Park organization.

WHEREAS, the Hill's Pet Nutrition Bark Park (Hill's Bark Park) located in Gage Park is a wonderful asset for dog lovers in the Topeka community; and

WHEREAS, Hill's Bark Park gives dogs an opportunity to run and play with other dogs in a controlled environment; and

WHEREAS, Hill's Bark Park as with all parks, will always be in need of improvements that will enhance the facility and better serve the needs of dogs and their owners; and

WHEREAS, the dog owners who routinely use Hill's Bark Park are proposing the formation of a Friends of the Hill's Pet Nutrition Bark Park organization that will support the operation and development of the Hill's Bark Park.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Topeka, Kansas, that the dog owners who routinely use the Hill's Bark Park are proposing the formation of a Friends of the Hill's Pet Nutrition Bark Park organization that will support the operation and development of the Hill's Bark Park.

The City of Topeka encourages citizens to form a Friends of the Hill's Bark Park organization that will volunteer its time and energy to the improvement of the Hill's Bark Park through volunteer work and fund-raising.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Topeka Parks and Recreation Department is hereby encouraged to work with the citizens who have interest in creating/forming the Friends of the Hill's Bark Park so that their volunteer and fund-raising
efforts can be maximized.

ADOPTED and APPROVED by the City Council MAR 2 2 2005

CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS

James A. McClinton, Mayor

ATTEST:

Iris E. Walker, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY
DATE 3/16/05 BY