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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR GRANT**

IN THE MATTER OF AUTHORIZING THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT TO APPLY FOR A LOCAL GOVERNMENT GRANT FROM THE OREGON PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT FOR UPDATES TO THE 2016 COMPREHENSIVE PARKS MASTER PLAN AND DELEGATING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN THE APPLICATION.

**WHEREAS**, the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department is accepting applications for the Local Government Grant Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Astoria City Council desires to participate in this grant program to the greatest extent possible as a means of planning for needed park and recreation acquisitions, improvements and enhancements; and

**WHEREAS**, the Astoria City Council has identified the need to update the 2016 Comprehensive Parks Master Plan as a high priority need in Astoria; and

**WHEREAS**, updating the Master Plan will provide community input opportunities and allow citizens to share their desires and needs from the City's Parks system; and

**WHEREAS**, the Astoria City Council has available local matching funds to fulfill its share of obligation related to this grant application should the grant funds be awarded; and

**WHEREAS**, the Astoria City Council will adopt the plan updates and recommendations in order to encapsulate the current and future priorities for the Parks and Recreation Department's operations, should the grant funds be awarded; and


**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASTORIA CITY COUNCIL AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1: The ASTORIA CITY COUNCIL demonstrates its support for the submittal of a grant application to the Oregon Park and Recreation Department for updates to the 2016 Comprehensive Parks Master Plan

Section 2: This Resolution shall be effective following its adoption by the ASTORIA CITY COUNCIL.

Passed by the ASTORIA CITY COUNCIL this 15 day of April, 2024

ATTEST:

  
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Mayor Sean Fitzpatrick

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City Manager Scott Spence