

CITY OF BROOKINGS

STATE OF OREGON

RESOLUTION 24-R-1253

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF BROOKINGS

WHEREAS, The City of Brookings is a recognized local government in the State of Oregon, and

WHEREAS, The City of Brookings is therefore entitled to engage in the coordination process with all agencies as mandated by Congress; and

WHEREAS, The City of Brookings exercises the local police powers to protect public health, safety and welfare reserved to the States and to the people under the tenth amendment of the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, the proper exercise of those reserved powers requires that all federal agencies engage in the coordination process with The City of Brookings; and

WHEREAS, The City of Brookings formally requests that state, federal and local agencies recognize the Outdoor Recreation Act of 1963 and engage in coordination prior to any further development with the U.S. Bureau of Ocean Energy Management Offshore Wind Energy Project in the Pacific Ocean off the Coast of The City of Brookings.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Brookings, Curry County, Oregon, that it is the policy of The City of Brookings that it will engage in the coordination process with all federal and state agencies;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that since Congress defined the coordination process in the Federal Land Policy Management Act, and the United States Supreme Court has ruled that when Congress defines a term, the term means the same in any statute that is in pari materia, it is the policy of The City of Brookings that it will engage in the coordination process as defined by Congress in the FLPMA.

Passed by the City Council April 22, 2024; effective the same date.



Mayor Isaac Hodges

Attest:



Deputy City Recorder Brooklyn Osterhage