

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF ALBANY TO SUBMIT A JOINT TRANSPORTATION ENHANCEMENT GRANT APPLICATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A PORTION OF THE CORVALLIS TO ALBANY TRAIL PROJECT AND A COMMITMENT TO PROVIDE THE REQUIRED LOCAL MATCH.

WHEREAS, the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) has grant funding available statewide for non-highway projects involving bicycle and pedestrian projects; and

WHEREAS, Albany submitted the required Notice of Intent for prospective applicants to ODOT; and

WHEREAS, the Corvallis to Albany Trail project was one of the projects invited to submit a grant application by December 13, 2012; and

WHEREAS, the grants requires a minimum local match of 10.27 percent; and

WHEREAS, a receipt of these funds will allow the City to construct the Corvallis to Albany Trail project, which is divided into three segments, any one or all of which ODOT could choose to fund under this grant application; and

WHEREAS, the project's three segments are divided as follows:

- Segment A would construct a multi-use path on the south side of West Thornton Lake Road from Scenic Drive east approximately 2,725 feet; and
- Segment B would construct 3,700 feet of multi-use path from West Thornton Lake Drive to existing street and bike lane improvements on Hickory Street; and
- Segment C would construct a multi-use path along the east side of Springhill Drive from Hickory Street south across the Lyon Street Bridge to First Avenue together with a traffic signal at the Hickory Street/Springhill Drive intersection; and

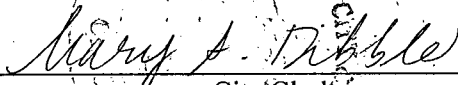
WHEREAS, Benton County has indicated they could contribute up to \$100,000 in matching funds towards construction of Segment A; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funds are available from Albany's Transportation System Development Charges (TSDC) to fund the local match for Segment B and Segment C.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Albany approves and endorses the submittal of a grant application to the Oregon Department of Transportation for the purpose of a joint Transportation Enhancement Grant with Benton County to construct the Corvallis to Albany Trail project.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 5TH DAY OF DECEMBER 2012.

ATTEST:



City Clerk



Mayor