

## **COUNCIL RESOLUTION No. 14-2023**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MILWAUKIE, OREGON, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AGREEMENTS WITH THE RECIPIENTS OF CONSTRUCTION EXCISE TAX (CET) PROGRAM FUNDING.

WHEREAS the City Council adopted Ordinance 2154 authorizing the city to implement a Construction Excise Tax (CET) for the purposes of supporting affordable housing; and

WHEREAS Milwaukie Municipal Code (MMC) Chapter 3.06 provides the authority to levy the CET and outlines the dedication of its revenues; and

**WHEREAS** on January 11, 2023, Governor Tina Kotek issued Executive Order No. 23-02 declaring a state of emergency due to houselessness; and

WHEREAS the city has conducted a competitive request for proposals process to solicit affordable housing projects interested in receiving CET funding; and

WHEREAS the CET selection committee scored the Hillside Park Phase I the highest and nominated it for an award of \$1.7 million; and

**WHEREAS** the CET selection committee scored the Milwaukie Courtyard Housing Project the second highest and nominated it for an award of \$300,000; and

**WHEREAS** both projects provide a mix of critical income-restricted housing for at least 30-years.

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved by the City Council of the City of Milwaukie, Oregon, that the city manager, or their designee, is authorized to execute agreements with the applicants of the Hillside Park Phase I Project for the award of \$1.7 million and the Milwaukie Courtyard Housing Project for the award of \$300,000 for the purposes of supporting the development and creation of long-term affordable housing within the city.

Introduced and adopted by the City Council on March 7, 2023.

This resolution is effective immediately.

Lisa M. Batey, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Scott S. Stauffer, City Recorder

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ATTEST:

Justin D. Gericke, City Attorney