RESOLUTION NO. 2024-9

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DEPUTY CITY MANAGER FOR COMMUNITY SERVICES TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT A LOCAL GOVERNMENT GRANT FROM THE OREGON PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT TO FUND IMPROVEMENTS TO RIVERFRONT PARK.

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

**WHEREAS**, the City of Salem desires to participate in the Local Government Grant Program to the greatest extent possible, as a means of providing needed park and recreation acquisitions, improvements, and enhancements; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has identified improvements at Riverfront Park as a high priority need in the City of Salem; and

**WHEREAS**, grant funds received would be used to construct site improvements at Riverfront Park including, but not limited to, inclusive play and accessible design features, a slide mound, and nature play features; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Salem 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 City of Salem will provide adequate funding for on-going operations and maintenance of this park and recreation facility should the grant funds be awarded.

**NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALEM, OREGON RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1. Authorization.** The Deputy City Manager for Community Services for the City of Salem is hereby authorized to apply for and, if awarded, accept on behalf of the City, a Local Government Grant from the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department for improvements at Riverfront Park as specified in the Resolution.

**Section 2. Support.** The City Council demonstrates its support for the submittal of a grant application to the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department for rehabilitation of a playground at Riverfront Park.

**Section 3. Effective Date.** This Resolution is effective upon adoption.


ADOPTED by the City Council this 11th day of March 2024.


ATTEST:



City Recorder


Approved by City Attorney: _____