RESOLUTION NO. 7316



A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF ALBANY TO PARTICIPATE IN A REGIONAL GRANT APPLICATION FOR FUNDING FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND A COMMITMENT TO PROVIDE THE REQUIRED LOCAL MATCH.

WHEREAS, The United States Department of Transportation has a Safe Streets and Roads for All grant program which provides planning and implementation grant funds for projects that reduce preventable deaths and injuries on the nation's roadways; and

WHEREAS, local jurisdictions including the Cascades West Council of Governments and the City of Albany are eligible applicants for these grant funds; and

WHEREAS, the Cascades West Council of Government intends to submit an application for a planning grant under the Safe Streets and Roads for All program to develop an Action Plan as required by the federal program for the Linn County region, and to manage the planning project if the grant is awarded; and

WHEREAS, development of an approved Action Plan is required in order to apply for future project implementation grants to fund safety improvements on our roadways under this grant program; and

WHEREAS, a twenty percent match from non-federal funds is required for the Safe Streets and Roads for All grant; and

WHEREAS, the City of Albany's proportionate share of the match requirement will not exceed \$37,000; and

WHEREAS, projects identified in the Action Plan for the City of Albany will be incorporated into the city's Transportation System Plan in order to improve the safety of our transportation system and reduce deaths and serious injuries on our roadways.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Albany City Council that the City of Albany approves and endorses the city's participation in the submittal of a grant application by the Cascades West Council of Governments to the federal Safe Streets and Roads for All grant program for the purposes of developing a regional Action Plan.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Albany approves a local match of \$37,000.

DATED THIS 8TH DAY OF MAY 2024.



Mayor