

RESOLUTION NO. 2505

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN A LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR A THREE-CITY TRANSPORTATION GROWTH MANAGEMENT GRANT APPLICATION

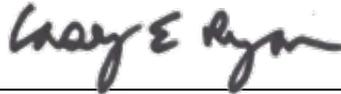
THE TROUTDALE CITY COUNCIL FINDS AS FOLLOWS:

1. In 2017 the Troutdale City Council adopted the Main Streets on Halsey Strategic Economic Action Plan and created the Halsey Community Collaborative Compact (HC3) to solidify the commitment of each City and Multnomah County to implement the Main Streets Plan.
2. During the Main Street planning process, the community identified many transportation improvements needed to make Halsey Street safer and more welcoming to all people, and that now require more detailed planning and design, and updates to current road standards.
3. The Main Streets Plan identifies Coordinated Funding for Street and Safety Improvements as a strategic action to signal public investment and spur private development, as well as to create a safe and inviting main street environment and distinct sense of community.
4. The Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) and Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD) administer a Transportation and Growth Management (TGM) Grant program to help local jurisdictions plan for streets and land to lead to more livable, sustainable, and economically vital communities that increase opportunities for transit, walking and bicycling.
5. This grant provides an opportunity to advance Halsey Street transportation improvements and better position the three cities and Multnomah County for capital funding opportunities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROUTDALE

- Section 1. The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign a letter of support for a Transportation Growth Management grant application as provided in Attachment A.

**YEAS: 7
NAYS: 0
ABSTAINED: 0**



**Casey Ryan, Mayor
Date: July 15, 2020**



**Sarah Skroch, City Recorder
Adopted: July 14, 2020**

July 15, 2020



State of Oregon
Department of Transportation
Transportation Growth Management Grant Program

To Whom it May Concern,

On behalf of the Troutdale City Council, I have been authorized to provide our endorsement of a Transportation Growth Management (TGM) grant application to support a multi-jurisdictional effort to study improvements for Halsey Street for expanded travel choices and improved safety.

The "Main Streets on Halsey" project has been a multi-year effort between the cities of Troutdale, Wood Village, and Fairview to make land use and transportation improvements to the Halsey Street corridor in order to foster development opportunity and enhance economic viability. In 2017, the cities finalized the Main Streets on Halsey plan, which presented a roadmap for future planning projects that were designed to execute the vision that was established in the plan.

Since that time, three separate planning efforts have been established, with two having been completed and a third nearing completion. This application will build on the legacy of land use planning and economic development work by focusing our efforts to improving how Halsey Street as a transportation asset is planned and engineered for the future. Halsey Street connects our three communities and our largest regional destination asset, McMinnamins Edgefield.

This study can help us find ways to better link these destinations to create a cohesive network for residents and visitors to enjoy, fulfilling a vision that our communities have shared in for a long time. Please contact me if you have any questions and we look forward to receiving your support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Casey E. Ryan".

Casey Ryan
Mayor