## **RESOLUTION NO. R-2023-**

## A RESOLUTION authorizing acceptance and execution of a YVCOG Congestion Mitigation & Air Quality (CMAQ) Grant award of \$500,000 for 2024 Northside Alley Paving Project 2759

**WHEREAS**, on April 18, 2023 the city council approved Resolution R-2023-064 to accept the updated Transportation Improvement Program to include the 2024 Northside Alley project 2759; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is improving and paving approximately 4500 lineal feet of north/south alleys between N 6<sup>th</sup> Ave and N 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, and from W "D" Street to Willow Street; and

WHEREAS, the City of Yakima was selected to receive \$500,000, in federal funding through the 2022-2026 YVCOG Congestion Mitigation & Air Quality (CMAQ) Funding Program and was approved by the YVCOG Transportation Policy Board; and

**WHEREAS**, the CMAQ grant provides for 86.5% of the funding and the CITY provides 13.5% matching funds; and

**WHEREAS**, WSDOT administers federal funds on behalf of the Federal Highway Administration; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is in the best interests of the City of Yakima and its residents to accept and execute the grant agreement with WSDOT for the 2024 Northside Alley Paving project 2759, and authorize the City Manager to take all necessary steps to execute the grant agreement, necessary contracts, and administer the funds received from WSDOT; now, therefore,

## BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YAKIMA:

Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to accept the YVCOG Congestion Mitigation & Air Quality (CMAQ) Grant, not to exceed Five Hundred-Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) as described in the award letter, and directed to take all necessary steps to secure the funding for the 2024 Northside Alley Paving Project 2759.

Section 2. The appropriate administrative officials of the City are hereby authorized to receive monies and to expend the same as authorized by the CMAQ award.

Section 3. The City Manager, or his designee, shall have responsibility for the administration of said funds and expenditure of said funds received pursuant to the CMAQ award, and the budget submitted therewith for the grant.

Section 4. The City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute any and all contracts necessary and not to exceed the budgeted amounts outlined in Exhibit "1", and enter into any other necessary agreements or documents to accomplish the 2024 Northside Alley Paving Project 2759 funded through the CMAQ award.

Section 5. Severability. If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence or clause of this resolution is declared invalid or unconstitutional for any reason, such decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of the resolution.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 6th day of June, 2023.

ATTEST:

Janice Deccio, Mayor

Rosalinda Ibarra, City Clerk