

RESOLUTION NO. M-2537

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON, APPROVING A FUNDING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF OLYMPIA AND OLYMPIA MUTUAL AID PARTNERS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT, OPERATION, MANAGEMENT, AND MAINTENANCE OF A TINY HOUSE/SHELTER VILLAGE

WHEREAS, the City of Olympia (City) declared a public health emergency related to homelessness on July 17, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the City has worked since then to find solutions that will assist in alleviating the homeless crisis in Olympia; and

WHEREAS, Olympia Mutual Aid Partners (hereafter "OlyMAP"), a Washington nonprofit corporation is experienced in building relationships with unhoused community members through engagement and education, and by offering health, safety, self-management, self-advocacy, and survival support to those living outdoors; and


WHEREAS, the City and OlyMAP have negotiated terms and conditions whereby the City provides funding to OlyMAP to enable OlyMAP to establish, operate, manage, and maintain a tiny house/shelter facility on property commonly referred to as "Franz-Anderson Tiny House Village," for the purpose of providing temporary shelter and housing for homeless persons in tiny houses/shelters; and

WHEREAS, the City Council considers it to be in the best interest of the residents of the City of Olympia to provide funding to OlyMAP to enable OlyMAP to establish, operate, manage, and maintain a tiny house/shelter village in Olympia at 528 Franz Anderson Road;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE OLYMPIA CITY COUNCIL DOES HEREBY RESOLVE as follows:

1. The Olympia City Council hereby approves the form of Funding Agreement between the City and Olympia Mutual Aid Partners to provide funding to Olympia Mutual Aid Partners for the establishment, operation, management, and maintenance of a tiny house/shelter village off Franz Anderson Road in Olympia upon the terms and conditions contained therein.
2. The City Manager is authorized and directed to execute on behalf of the City of Olympia the Funding Agreement, and any other documents necessary to execute said Agreement, and to make any minor amendments or modifications as may be required and are consistent with the intent of the Agreement, or to correct any scrivener's errors.

PASSED BY THE OLYMPIA CITY COUNCIL this 18th day of June 2024.



MAYOR

ATTEST:

Sean Krier

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Mark Barber

CITY ATTORNEY