

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON,
APPROVING A FUNDING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF OLYMPIA AND
VALEO VOCATION FOR THE 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, Valeo Vocation (“VALEO”), 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, since January 1, 2024, VALEO has operated, managed, and maintained the tiny house/shelter facility on property commonly referred to as “Plum Street Village,” for the purpose of providing temporary shelter for homeless persons in tiny houses/shelters; and

WHEREAS, City now wants to have VALEO to operate, manage, and maintain the tiny house/shelter facility in Olympia at 528 Franz Anderson Road, known as the Franz Anderson Village, and the City and the City and VALEO have negotiated terms and conditions whereby the City provides funding to VALEO to enable VALEO to operate, manage, and maintain the Franz Anderson Village; and

WHEREAS, the City Council determines it to be in the best interest of the residents of the City of Olympia to provide funding to VALEO to enable VALEO to operate, manage, and maintain the Franz Anderson Village;

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 Valeo Vocation to provide funding to VALEO for the operation, management, and maintenance of a tiny house/shelter village at 528 Franz Anderson Road in Olympia upon the terms and conditions contained in that Funding Agreement.

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 that Agreement, and to make any minor amendments or modifications as may be required and are consistent with the intent of the Agreement, and to correct any scrivener's errors.

PASSED BY THE OLYMPIA CITY COUNCIL this _____ day of _____ 2025.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michael M. Young

SENIOR DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY