

RESOLUTION NO. M-2488

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON, APPROVING A FUNDING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF OLYMPIA AND VALEO VOCATION, A WASHINGTON NONPROFIT CORPORATION, FOR OPERATION OF A TINY HOUSE VILLAGE AT PLUM STREET VILLAGE

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

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

WHEREAS, Valeo Vocation (hereafter "VALEO") is a Washington non-profit corporation with experience in assisting those who are homeless by establishing tiny house villages as transitional housing and connecting residents with essential services to allow them the best chance of success in transitioning to permanent housing and offering related workforce development services; and

WHEREAS, VALEO has supported several tiny house villages throughout the City of Olympia through their Journey to Jobs program, and the City would like to continue to fund the operation of Plum Street Village to assist with addressing the homelessness crisis; 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 and manage Plum Street 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 to provide funding to VALEO for the operation and management of Plum Street Village within the City of 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 said Agreement, and to make any amendments or minor 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 12th day of December 2023.


MAYOR

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Mark Barber
CITY ATTORNEY