

**CITY OF FLORENCE
RESOLUTION NO. 26, SERIES 2023**

**A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING APPROVAL TO APPLY FOR A GRANT FROM
THE OREGON DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR ALL ROADS
TRANSPORTATION SAFETY (ARTS) PROGRAM AND DELEGATING AUTHORITY
TO THE CITY MANAGER OR DESIGNEE TO SIGN THE APPLICATION**

RECITALS:

1. The Oregon Department of Transportation is accepting grant applications for the ARTS Program.
2. The City of Florence desires to participate in this grant program to the greatest extent possible as a means of improving pedestrian and bicyclist safety at the intersection of Oak and 35th streets, including sidewalk infill along 35th from Pine to Kingwood streets.
3. ODOT has developed a list of locations for potential projects using its Safety Priority Index System (SPIS), and Safety Implementation Plans for three emphasis areas including potential remedies and countermeasures: Roadway Departure, Intersections and Pedestrian and Bicycle.
4. The SPIS list identifies the best potential projects for improving safety in relation to crash history between 2017-2021.
5. Selected projects will be added to the 2027-2030 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP).
6. The City of Florence has available local matching funds to fulfill its share of obligation related to this grant application should the grant funds be awarded.
7. The City of Florence will provide adequate funding for on-going operations and maintenance of these facilities should the grant funds be awarded.

Based on these findings,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLORENCE RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City Council demonstrates its support for the submittal of a grant application to the Oregon Department of Transportation for the All Roads Transportation Safety grant cycle to complete pedestrian and bicycle safety enhancements at the intersection of Oak and 35th streets, including sidewalk infill along 35th Street between Pine and Kingwood streets.
2. This Resolution takes effect immediately upon adoption.

ADOPTION:

This Resolution is passed and adopted on the 11th day of December, 2023.



Rob Ward, Mayor

Attest:



Lindsey White, City Recorder