

RESOLUTION No. 2016-3309

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AN APPLICATION TO THE
TRANSPORTATION AND GROWTH MANAGEMENT PROGRAM FOR A
GRANT TO UPDATE THE NEWBERG RIVERFRONT MASTER PLAN**

RECITALS:

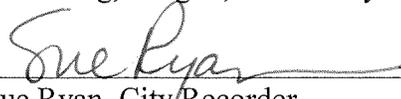
1. The Transportation and Growth Management Program supports community efforts around land use and transportation planning by offering grants to local governments for planning projects that “promote compact, mixed-use, pedestrian friendly development; increase walking, biking, and transit options; or reduce reliance on the state highway system for local travel needs.”
2. City Council adopted the Newberg Riverfront Master Plan in 2002. The Riverfront Master Plan created a comprehensive plan for the riverfront area, including proposed land uses and a transportation network that included parks and trails. There have been many changes over the past decade, including the ultimate location of the Phase 1 Bypass through the Riverfront area and the recent closure of the paper mill site (most recently known as WestRock). These changes impact the base assumptions of the Riverfront Master Plan.
3. The City should apply for a Transportation and Growth Management Program grant of \$200,000.00 to update the Riverfront Master Plan. An update would revisit the assumptions in the prior plan, and craft a new comprehensive outlook for land use and transportation throughout the Riverfront area, allowing the city to capitalize on this asset in the future. Grant applications are due on June 10, 2016, and work on the project would begin in spring 2017 if selected.

THE CITY OF NEWBERG RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. City Council supports an application to the Transportation and Growth Management Program for a grant to update the Newberg Riverfront Master Plan.
2. The City Manager is authorized to negotiate and execute necessary contracts associated with any resulting awards from the grant application.

➤ **EFFECTIVE DATE** of this resolution is the day after the adoption date, which is: June 7, 2016.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Newberg, Oregon, this 6th day of June, 2016.



Sue Ryan, City Recorder

ATTEST by the Mayor this 9th day of June, 2016.



Bob Andrews, Mayor