



RESOLUTION NO. 7250

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF ALBANY PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT TO ENTER INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE GREATER ALBANY PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR PROCUREMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF A THERAPEUTIC SPA AT ALBANY COMMUNITY POOL AND DELEGATING AUTHORITY TO THE PARKS AND RECREATION DIRECTOR TO SIGN RELATED DOCUMENTS

WHEREAS, ORS 190.003 et. seq. provides for intergovernmental cooperation in the interest of furthering economy and efficiency of local units of government; and

WHEREAS, ORS 190.003 for purposes of such intergovernmental cooperation defines a unit of local government as including a county, city, district, or other public corporation, commission, authority, or entity organized and existing under statute or county or city charter; and

WHEREAS, ORS 190.010 provides that a unit of local government may enter into a written agreement with any other unit or units of local government for the performance of any or all functions and activities that are party to the Agreement, its officers or agencies have authority to perform; and

WHEREAS, the Albany Community Pool was built and opened by GAPS in 1979; and

WHEREAS, while GAPS owns the facility and is the primary regarding upkeep of the structure, operations of the pool transferred to the City in 1996; and

WHEREAS, the Parties have a history of cooperatively working together for mutual benefit; and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to build upon that cooperative history in providing aquatic facilities and services in Albany; and

WHEREAS, a grass roots community group began fundraising for a replacement for the outdated hot tub in 2017; and

WHEREAS, the group developed preliminary design plans for an inground spa that would allow more community members access to the spa's therapeutic value; and

WHEREAS, the group fundraised over \$20,000 through can collections, craft sales and donations; and

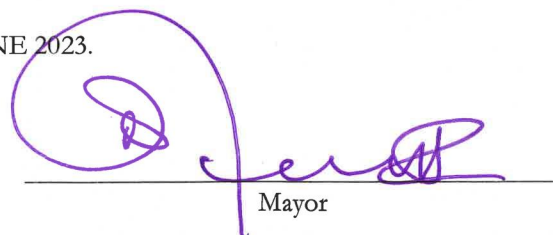
WHEREAS, in 2022 the group received unofficial bids ranging from \$154,000 to \$300,000 for the project; and

WHEREAS, the Bill and Doris Scharpf Foundation has donated \$180,000 to fund the construction of the new therapeutic spa; and

WHEREAS, GAPS has agreed to oversee and manage the procurement and construction processes;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Albany City Council that the parks and recreation director is authorized to sign the intergovernmental agreement with Greater Albany Public Schools, and that the parks and recreation director is authorized to sign related documents.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 28TH DAY OF JUNE 2023.



Mayor

ATTEST:

Allison Reese

City Clerk

