

**RESOLUTION No. 20/21-5**  
**City of Dayton, Oregon**

***A Resolution of the City of Dayton establishing the Dayton COVID-19 Community Assistance Grant Fund and the Dayton Dollars Program in response to the novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic using the City's CARES Act Funding Allocation from the State of Oregon***

**WHEREAS**, on March 13, 2020, Mayor Wytoski declared a local state of emergency due to the COVID-19 virus, that was extended through May 5<sup>th</sup> and redeclared on September 8, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, Governor Brown issued Executive Order 20-03 on March 8, 2020, declaring a statewide state of emergency pursuant to ORS Chapter 401, due to the COVID-19 outbreak in Oregon. The emergency declaration was extended for sixty days through May 7, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, Governor Brown issued Executive Order 20-24 on May 1, 2020, finding that COVID-19 continued to threaten public health and safety, and remains a statewide emergency under ORS 401.025, extending the state of emergency for an additional sixty days through July 6, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, Governor Brown issued Executive Order 20-30 on June 30, 2020, extending the state of emergency through September 4, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, Governor Brown issued Executive Order 20-38 on September 1, 2020, finding that COVID-19 continues to threaten public health and safety, and remains a statewide emergency under ORS 401.025, extending the state of emergency through November 3, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, the Dayton City Council recognizes that one of its essential functions is to secure the health and welfare of the Dayton residents; and

**WHEREAS**, the Dayton City Council recognizes the impact of COVID-19 on the small businesses operating in Dayton; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 27, 2020, the United States Congress adopted the Coronavirus Air, Relief, and Economic Security Act ("CARES Act") which, among other things, amended Section 601(a) of the Social Security Act and established the Coronavirus Relief Fund ("CRF"), as amended by section 5001 of the Coronavirus Aid Relief Fund and appropriated \$150 billion to the Fund to be used to make payments for specified uses to States and certain local governments; and

**WHEREAS**, guidance issued by the U.S. Treasury Department indicates that necessary expenditures incurred due to COVID-19 public health emergency includes costs incurred to support local residents and small businesses that suffered financial losses due to COVID-19; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Oregon's allocation of Fund resources has been designated to reimburse certain additional local governments in the state;

**Therefore, the City of Dayton resolves as follows:**

**SECTION 1. THAT**, the City of Dayton, hereby, establishes the Dayton COVID-19 Community Assistance Grant Fund and Dayton Dollars Program to provide support to residents and small businesses

that suffered from financial losses due to COVID-19. Grant awards will be issued at the sole discretion of the City of Dayton through an application process and distribution of Dayton Dollars; and

**SECTION 2:** THAT, all funding for this program comes solely as reimbursement to the City from the State of Oregon for COVID-19 related expenses. The City has no obligation to provide grant recipients or applicants funds from this or any source; and

**SECTION 3:** THAT, the City Council approves allocating \$50,000 of the City's CRF allocation from the State of Oregon for the Dayton COVID-19 Community Assistance Grant Fund for the Dayton Dollars Program, and authorizes the City Manager to execute any agreement with recipient on behalf of the City of Dayton to receive financial assistance from the Fund; and

**SECTION 4:** THAT, the City Manager is authorized to sign all contracts and other documents and to take all other actions, necessary or expedient in fulfilling the purposes of the Resolution; and

**SECTION 5:** THAT, a copy of the Program award eligibility and criteria, included in Exhibit 1, is attached hereto and incorporated herein; and

**SECTION 6:** THAT this resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

ADOPTED this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 2020.

**In Favor:** Collins, Holbrook, Mackin, Marquez, Price, Sandoval-Perez, Wytoski  
**Opposed:** None  
**Absent:** None  
**Abstained:** None

  
Elizabeth Wytoski, Mayor

  
Date Signed

ATTEST:

  
Patty Ringnald, City Recorder

  
Date of Enactment