

**CITY OF DUNES CITY,  
LANE COUNTY, OREGON**

**RESOLUTION SERIES 2023, NO. 1**

Effective Date: 3/15/2023

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE CITY OF DUNES CITY TO APPLY FOR AN OREGON DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT GRANT FROM THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA) FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN EMERGENCY EVACUATION TRAIL ACROSS THE LANDS DESIGNATED AS REBECCA'S TRAIL AND DELEGATING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN THE GRANT APPLICATION.**

**WHEREAS**, the Oregon Office of Emergency Management is accepting applications for the FEMA Hazard Mitigation Grant Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the historic Westlake area has been identified by the Department of Geology and Mineral Industries (DOGAMI) as the only tsunami inundation zone in the Dunes City limits; and

**WHEREAS**, the residents of the Westlake area located within the Dunes City limits would be entirely cut off from Highway 101 and other means of escape, should a tsunami occur; and

**WHEREAS**, the Dunes City Council desires to participate in this grant program to the greatest extent possible as a means of providing a necessary method for people to escape the projected tsunami inundation zone, should a catastrophic event occur; and

**WHEREAS**, Dunes City has acquired land for the development of a hiking and biking trail that would also serve as a method of providing Americans with Disabilities Act compliant evacuation facilities to the residents and visitors of the Westlake area; and

**WHEREAS**, Dunes City has already acquired the properties necessary to complete the trail and has engineers and wetlands experts working on a feasible path line; and

**WHEREAS**, Dunes City needs assistance in installing the pathway to provide the escape route for the residents and visitors to the historic Westlake area of Dunes City.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE DUNES CITY COUNCIL AS FOLLOWS:**

The City Council of Dunes City demonstrates its support for the submittal of a grant application to the Oregon Office of Emergency Management/FEMA Mitigation Grant Program for the development of an ADA

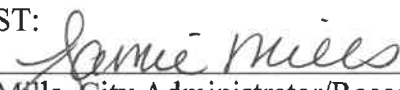
compliant hiking and biking trail to serve as an evacuation route for residents and visitors of the historic Westlake area of Dunes City, should a tsunami occur;

This Resolution shall be effective following its adoption by the City Council of the City of Dunes City.

**ADOPTED BY THE DUNES CITY COUNCIL THIS 15TH DAY OF MARCH, 2023.**

Ayes:   4   Nays:   0   Abstain:   0   Absent:   2   Vacant:   0  

  
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Sheldon Meyer, ~~Council President~~  
MAYOR

ATTEST:  
  
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Jamie Mills, City Administrator/Recorder