RESOLUTION NO. 777

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF STAYTON TO APPLY FOR A OREGON DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (ODOT) TRANSPORTATION ENHNACEMENT PROJECT GRANT TOGETHER WITH FEDERAL TITLE III AND OREGON STATE PARKS DEPARTMENT MATCHING GRANTS FOR THE ACQUSITION OF PROPERTY LOCATED WEST OF CASCADE HIGHWAY FOR STORMWATER RUNOFF, WATER QUALITY, AND WETLAND ENHANCEMENT AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN THE APPLICATION.

WHEREAS, the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) is accepting applications for the Transportation Enhancement Program;

WHEREAS, the City of Stayton desires to participate in this grant program to the greatest extent possible as a means of providing needed water quality acquisitions, improvements, or enhancements;

WHEREAS, the Stayton City Council has identified the property proposed to be acquired as being located west of Cascade Highway near the Stayton/Sublimity Interchange, and as a high priority need in the City of Stayton;

WHEREAS, the proposed property acquisition consists of some 35 acres of undeveloped property in a wetland area with two water bodies (Mill Creek and Lucas Ditch) flowing through it;

WHEREAS, the scope of this project will acquire the property, enhance the wetland area, and construct natural pedestrian trails along the water bodies; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Stayton will be applying for Federal Title III through Marion County and Oregon State Parks Department grants for the required matching share of this application.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Stayton, through its City Administrator, shall apply for a Transportation Enhancement Program Grant from the ODOT to applied toward the acquisition of some 35 acres and improvements as generally described above.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City, through its Administrator may take the action necessary and appropriate in its applications for Federal Title III through Marion County and Oregon State Parks Department Grants as matching shares to the ODOT grant.

This Resolution shall become effective upon adoption by the Stayton City Council.

ADOPTED BY THE STAYTON CITY COUNCIL this 19th day of June, 2006

CITY OF STAYTON

Attest:

Date: JUNE 23, 2006

Gerry Aboud, Mayor

Date: 6/26 .2000

APPROVED AS TO FOR

Chris Childs, Administrator

David A. Rhoten, City Attorney