



**RESOLUTION NO. 26-010**  
**DIRECTING PREPARATION OF UPDATED STORMWATER DESIGN STANDARDS**  
**AND AUTHORIZING INTERIM INTERPRETATION**

**WHEREAS**, the City adopted Portland Stormwater Management (SWM) standards as part of the settlement and MOU with the Santiam Water Control District (SWCD) in 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, applying the Portland SWM standards worked well until the Portland SWM standards were re-organized and modified; and

**WHEREAS**, both the City and the SWCD have identified an existing gap in the ability to apply the intended standards; and

**WHEREAS**, the City desires clear, locally appropriate stormwater regulations; and

**WHEREAS**, reliance on external manuals may create ambiguity and reduce local control; and

**WHEREAS** the City Council finds it in the public interest to modernize the City's stormwater framework.

**NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY OF STAYTON RESOLVES:**

**SECTION 1.** Staff is directed to prepare a Stayton Stormwater Design Standards Manual

**SECTION 2.** Staff is directed to prepare code and design manual amendments replacing outdated external references.

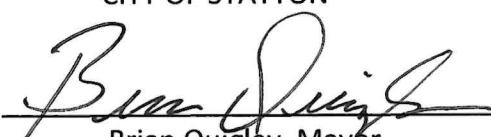
**SECTION 3** Pending final adoption, the City Engineer or delegate may interpret existing references consistent with public health, safety, and sound engineering practice.

**SECTION 4** Referenced Portland standards shall apply only where specifically approved by the City Engineer or delegate pending adoption of Stayton standards.

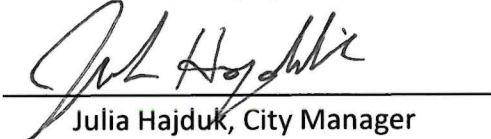
This Resolution shall become effective upon its adoption by the Stayton City Council.

**ADOPTED BY THE STAYTON CITY COUNCIL THIS 4th DAY OF May 2026.**

Signed: May 4, 2026

CITY OF STAYTON  
BY:   
Brian Quigley, Mayor

Signed: May 5, 2026

ATTEST:   
Julia Hajduk, City Manager