

COUNCIL RESOLUTION No. 48-2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MILWAUKIE, OREGON, AUTHORIZING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF THE GRAND RONDE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A FIRST FISH HERONS ARTWORKS PROGRAM AT MILWAUKIE BAY PARK.

WHEREAS in Fall 2021 the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon (Tribe) approached the City of Milwaukie (City) with a proposal to install cultural art exhibits featuring First Fish Herons at Milwaukie Bay Park; and

WHEREAS the Milwaukie community and city leaders expressed strong support for the project and directed staff to develop an intergovernmental agreement (IGA) with the Tribe to bring cultural art exhibits to Milwaukie Bay Park; and

WHEREAS the Tribe and City wish to create a program that will select, produce, and maintain tribal cultural exhibits (artworks) installed at Milwaukie Bay Park; and

WHEREAS the City believes that art created and placed by Indigenous Peoples is one of the most effective and recognizable ways that Indigenous People can hold a place in their homelands; and

WHEREAS the City will use available resources to install and maintain plinths in Milwaukie Bay Park to support the First Fish Herons artworks and will dedicate resources to support programming around the artworks and provide an annual report.

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved by the City Council of the City of Milwaukie, Oregon, that the city manager is authorized to execute an intergovernmental agreement (Exhibit A) with the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon for the First Fish Herons cultural art program.

Introduced and adopted by the City Council on September 17, 2024.

This resolution is effective immediately.

Lisa M. Batey, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Justin D. Gericke, City Attorney

ATTEST:

Scott S. Stauffer, City Recorder