ORDINANCE NO. 2024-17

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RICHLAND, WASHINGTON, AMENDING THE 2024 BUDGET TO PROVIDE FOR ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE CARRYOVER OF PRIOR YEAR BUDGET TO COMPLETE CERTAIN UNCOMPLETED CAPITAL PROJECTS AND ENCUMBERED PURCHASES OF GOODS AND SERVICES AND CERTAIN REVENUES NOT PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED, AND DECLARING A PUBLIC EMERGENCY IN VARIOUS CITY FUNDS.

WHEREAS, on November 21, 2023, Richland City Council passed Ordinance No. 2023-29, approving the 2024 Budget, including the 2024-2029 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP); and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to carry over unexpended appropriations from the prior fiscal year to the current fiscal year for goods and services which were not received by the end of the year, but were encumbered and committed in the prior year; and for uncompleted improvements in progress, including capital improvement and business license reserve projects, and grant-related expenditures at the end of the year; and

WHEREAS, RCW 35.33.151 provides for carryover of appropriations to the following year for payment of uncompleted programs and improvements in progress or on orders subsequently filled or claims subsequently billed for goods or services not completed by the end of the fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, this funding appropriation enables completion of unfinished capital improvement projects and payment of encumbered goods and services not received by year end; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 35.33.091, a duly noticed public hearing was held on May 7, 2024 regarding the increase in appropriations from beginning fund balance and new revenue as listed in Section 3 of this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Richland as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>. Facts Constituting Emergency. The expenses contained within this Ordinance were not anticipated when the 2024 Budget was approved. The increased appropriations contained within this Ordinance total \$91,893,639 of which \$91,893,639 was previously appropriated in the prior fiscal year's final budget. These appropriations are necessary for the completion of approved projects and purchases, and are identified by fund in Section 3 of this Ordinance.

<u>Section 2</u>. Declaration of Public Emergency. Due to circumstances described above, Richland City Council declares that a public emergency exists in the City's funds described in Section 3 of this Ordinance.

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<u>Section 3</u>. Amendment of the 2024 Budget. The 2024 Budget is hereby amended to provide for additional appropriations as provided herein. The sources of funds contained in this Ordinance include unrealized grants, loans and contributions in the amount of \$15,283,338, and fund balance in the amount of \$76,610,301. These balances are identified for each fund in the following table:

CHANGES IN 2024 APPROPRIATION FROM 2023 CARRYOVERS							
		SOURCES OF FUNDS			USES OF FUNDS		
			CARRYOVER	TOTAL INCREASE	CURRENT		
		CARRYOVER	APPROPRIATED	IN SOURCES OF	APPROVED	CHANGE IN	TOTAL AMENDED
FUND#	FUND NAME	REVENUE	FUND BALANCE	FUNDS	APPROPRIATIONS	APPROPRIATIONS	APPROPRIATIONS
001	General	\$ -	\$ 3,289,068	\$ 3,289,068	\$ 77,808,690	\$ 3,289,068	\$ 81,097,758
101	Streets	-	179,260	179,260	4,262,422	179,260	4,441,682
112	Industrial Development	-	6,174,305	6,174,305	6,882,296	6,174,305	13,056,601
117	Public Safety Sales Tax	-	16,346	16,346	3,239,605	16,346	3,255,951
150	Hotel/Motel Tax	-	60,000	60,000	1,360,282	60,000	1,420,282
153	Community Dev. Block Grant	473,393	326,532	799,926	434,385	799,926	1,234,311
154	HOME	4,622,975	1,305,417	5,928,392	1,122,119	5,928,392	7,050,511
301	Streets Capital Construction	7,842,950	6,156,937	13,999,887	16,101,000	13,999,887	30,100,887
319	Fire Station Construction	-	5,198,731	5,198,731	-	5,198,731	5,198,731
380	Park Project Construction	1,560,000	10,937,428	12,497,428	3,467,000	12,497,428	15,964,428
385	General Government Const.	-	1,162,635	1,162,635	50,000	1,162,635	1,212,635
402	Water Utility	-	15,864,222	15,864,222	21,943,652	15,864,222	37,807,874
403	Wastewater Utility	784,020	11,775,123	12,559,143	13,520,708	12,559,143	26,079,851
404	Solid Waste Utility	-	5,675,126	5,675,126	14,195,512	5,675,126	19,870,638
405	Storm Water Utility	-	2,198,885	2,198,885	5,023,870	2,198,885	7,222,755
407	Medical Services Utility	-	69,211	69,211	9,258,243	69,211	9,327,454
408	Broadband Utility	-	238,455	238,455	703,919	238,455	942,374
502	Equipment Maintenance	-	81,014	81,014	5,553,743	81,014	5,634,757
503	Equipment Replacement	-	5,897,967	5,897,967	5,485,869	5,897,967	11,383,836
505	Public Works Admin & Eng	-	3,638	3,638	5,358,544	3,638	5,362,182
	Total	\$ 15,283,338	\$ 76,610,301	\$ 91,893,639	\$ 195,771,859	\$ 91,893,639	\$ 287,665,498

<u>Section 4</u>. This Ordinance shall take effect the day following its publication in the official newspaper of the City of Richland.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Richland, Washington, at a regular meeting on the 21st day of May, 2024.

Theresa Arkhardson, Mayor

Heather Kintzley, City Attorney

Approved as to Form:

Jennifer Rogers, City Clerk

First Reading: May 7, 2024 Second Reading: May 21, 2024 Date Published: May 26, 2024

Attest: