RESOLUTION NO. R18-66

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ISSUE A FORMAL WRITTEN REQUEST TO THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION REQUESTING USE OF URBAN FUNDS FOR THE IDENTIFIED PRIORTY PROJECT LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY OF LAUREL AND YELLOWSTONE COUNTY.

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Laurel, Montana:

Section 1: <u>Approval</u>. The attached letter to the Montana Department of Transportation ("MDOT") is hereby approved and the project described within the MDOT Letter is approved as a high priority project by the City Council. The City Council further authorizes MDOT to utilize the City's Urban Funds to pay for the project described in the attached letter.

Section 2: <u>Joint Request</u>. Since the Project is located within the jurisdiction of both the City of Laurel and Yellowstone County, the City Council authorizes the Mayor to issue the attached letter as part of the City and County's joint request to MDOT.

Section 3: <u>Authorization and Execution</u>. The Mayor of the City of Laurel is hereby authorized to execute and deliver the MDOT Letter that is attached hereto constituting the City's portion of the joint request that is being made with Yellowstone County.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council on September 18, 2018, by Council Member Herr.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Laurel, Montana, this 18th day of September 2018.

APPROVED by the Mayor this 18th day of September 2018.

CITY OF LAUREL

Thomas C. Nelson, Mayor

ATTES Bethany Langve,/Clerk-Treasurer, Clerk-Treasurer Approved as to Form:

Sam S. Painter, Civil City Attorney

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DEPARTMENT

September 18, 2018

Carol Strizich Statewide & Urban Planning Supervisor Montana Department of Transportation Rail, Transit & Planning Division PO Box 201001 Helena, MT 59620

Re: City of Laurel/Yellowstone County Joint Urban Fund Priority Project

Dear Ms. Strizich:

Please be advised that West Railroad Street from South 1st Avenue to South 8th Avenue located both within the jurisdiction of the City of Laurel and Yellowstone County, has been identified as a City of Laurel/Yellowstone County urban priority project. Please accept this letter and attached City Council Resolution as the City's official notification and request. Be advised Yellowstone County is submitting their portion of the joint request via separate communication.

West Railroad Street from South 1st Avenue to South 8th Avenue

This project constitutes West Railroad Street from South 1st Avenue to South 8th Avenue and the cost estimate for the project is unknown. The State Department of Transportation will help determine the estimated total cost.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you need additional information, please feel free to contact me at City Hall.

Sincerely,

Thomas C. Nelson Mayor

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