



RESOLUTION NO. 40545

1 A RESOLUTION relating to surface water; authorizing the execution of a financial
2 assistance grant and loan agreement and any associated term extensions
3 with the Washington State Department of Ecology (“DOE”), in the maximum
4 amount of \$5,000,000 from the Stormwater Financial Assistance Program
5 grant and, in the maximum amount of \$2,797,752 for the DOE State
6 Revolving Fund loan; accepting and depositing said sums into the Surface
7 Water Fund; said funds in the maximum total amount of \$7,797,752 to be
8 expended to install permeable pavement in the Larchmont neighborhood
9 between East 84th and East 88th Streets, and McKinley Avenue and
10 East “A” Street.

11 WHEREAS, a need exists to improve water quality in Flett Creek, a tributary
12 to Chambers Creek, and

13 WHEREAS, installation of permeable pavement reduces stormwater flows
14 and pollutants by increasing stormwater infiltration, and

15 WHEREAS, the Larchmont Permeable Neighborhood Project offers a
16 unique opportunity to retrofit residential streets into green infrastructure using
17 pavement installation of permeable pavement for 27 blocks in the Larchmont
18 neighborhood, between East 84th and East 88th Streets, around Larchmont
19 Elementary School (“School”), and

20 WHEREAS the proposed design has the capacity to infiltrate approximately
21 43 acres of road and sidewalk surface, as well as the surrounding residential area,
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23 WHEREAS, in addition to reducing surface water runoff, as well as
24 associated fine particulate matter, sidewalks will be built in the areas adjacent to
25 the School to improve pedestrian and bicycle connectivity, and
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WHEREAS, under the grant process guidelines, the City Council must approve acceptance of grant funding; Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to accept grant fund distributions from the Washington State Department of Ecology Stormwater Financial Assistance Program, in the maximum amount of \$5,000,000; and accept loan fund distributions from the Department of Ecology, State Revolving Fund Loan, in the maximum amount of \$2,797,752, for a cumulative maximum total of \$7,797,752, for deposit into the Environmental Services Surface Water Fund, for the purposes of installing permeable pavement in the Larchmont neighborhood between East 84th and East 88th Streets, and McKinley Avenue and East "A" Street.



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Section 2. That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to execute a financial assistance grant and loan agreement, and any associated term extensions, with the Washington State Department of Ecology in the maximum cumulative amount of \$7,797,752, for the administration of the funding accepted pursuant to Section 1, said documents to be substantially in the form of the proposed agreements on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted _____

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk

Approved as to form:

Chief Deputy City Attorney