

**RESOLUTION NO. 2010-62**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WILLCOX, COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA, (“CITY”) APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF AN APPLICATION TO THE TRANSPORTATION ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM THROUGH THE ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE SIDEWALKS, CURBS, GUTTERS AND ADA RAMPS, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE THIS RESOLUTION AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY TO EXIST.**

**WHEREAS**, the CITY shall have control of the finances and property of the corporation pursuant to A.R.S. § 9-240 (A); and

**WHEREAS**, the CITY is authorized and empowered to exercise exclusive control over the streets, avenues, alleys and sidewalks of the town and to lay out, establish or otherwise improve same pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 9-240 (B) and 9-276 (A); and

**WHEREAS**, the Willcox City Council supports enhancement of the quality of life for city residents and visitors; and

**WHEREAS**, the Round 18 Transportation Enhancement application is for a state sponsored project on State Route 186 and State Route 86 also known as Rex Allen Drive, Haskell Avenue and Maley Street; and

**WHEREAS**, the CITY is a small rural community that plays host to hundreds of tourists annually; and

**WHEREAS**, enhancing this area would create a visual amenity reminiscent of the historical flavor of the area as well as increase the safety of the community and tourists; and

**WHEREAS**, if funded, the Arizona Department of Transportation will be the sponsor of the project and pay the matching funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the CITY accepts the responsibility for continued maintenance of the project; and

**WHEREAS**, CITY staff seek Mayor and Council approval to submit an application to the Transportation Enhancement Program Round 18 through the Arizona Department of Transportation; and

**WHEREAS**, Mayor and Council have determined that it is in the best interest of the City of Willcox, Cochise County, Arizona and its citizens to submit the application Grant funds as presented; and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary for the preservation of the peace, health, and safety of the City of Willcox, Cochise County, Arizona, that an emergency be declared to exist to assure timely submission of the application, and that this Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF WILLCOX, COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA, AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1: The City Manager of the CITY is hereby authorized to submit the application to the Transportation Enhancement Program Round 18 through the Arizona Department of Transportation as presented.

Section 2: The City of Willcox, if funded, accepts the responsibility for continued maintenance of this project.

Section 3: The immediate operation of the provisions of this Resolution is necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the City of Willcox, Cochise County, Arizona.

Section 4: The Mayor is authorized and empowered to execute this Resolution.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by Mayor and Council of the City of Willcox, Cochise County, Arizona, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2010.

**APPROVED/EXECUTED:**

/S/ GERALD W. LINDSEY  
MAYOR, GERALD W. LINDSEY  
Signed: June 8, 2010

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

**ATTEST:**

/s/ Cristina G. Whelan, CMC  
City Clerk, Cristina G. Whelan, CMC

/s/ Hector M. Figueroa  
City Attorney, Hector M. Figueroa

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