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CITY OF ORTING  
WASHINGTON  
RESOLUTION NO. 2020-38

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**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ORTING,  
WASHINGTON, DECLARING A PUBLIC PURPOSE  
AND AUTHORIZING A CITY GRANT OF FUNDS TO  
SMALL BUSINESSES FOR COVID-19 RELIEF.**

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**WHEREAS**, on August 26, 2020, the City of Orting adopted Resolution 2020-23 establishing the Orting CARES Act Small Business Grant program to provide economic support to eligible small businesses in the City of Orting that incurred in response to the COVID-19 pandemic business interruptions, or incurred costs for personal protective equipment or other materials, supplies and equipment needed to safely operate following a COVID-19-related closure; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has been allocated funding from the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (“CARES Act”), and that funding may be used for this type of grant relief to provide relief to Orting’s businesses from the public health, safety and economic crises resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with the program, the City advertised for eligible applications and Staff has evaluated submitted applications for grant funding from the various business registered with the State of Washington and the City of Orting, and identified those that meet the criteria for the program as set out in Resolution 2020-23; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council approved Resolution 2020-32 authorizing \$100,000 of grants to small businesses; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 1, 2020 the Washington State Commerce Department announced that Orting would receive an additional \$125,700, bringing our total allocation under the program to \$377,100; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council finds that funding these organizations serves the valid municipal purpose of promoting the health, safety and welfare of the City’s residents who are struggling due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the economic impact thereof;

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORTING,  
WASHINGTON, DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1. Amendment.** In light of the additional funds allocated to the City, the City Council desires to amend Resolution No. 2020-23 at “Section 2. Pertaining to the Authorization of Funding” and increase the authorized amount to \$145,000.

**Section 2. Declaration of Public Purpose.** The City Council declares that the award of grant funding to the qualified businesses identified in Exhibit A serves the valid municipal purposes described herein, and that the described intent for the requested funding is instrumental in ensuring that the businesses are equipped to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic and related economic crisis.

**Section 3. Authorization of Funding.** The City Council authorizes the City's grant award to the businesses identified in Exhibit A, pursuant to the aforementioned program, in the amounts shown in Exhibit A. The Mayor is authorized to enter into contracts with the organizations to memorialize the grant funding authorized herein, in a form acceptable to the City Attorney. The City Council authorizes payment of this grant from the City's general fund, and requests the Mayor or designee seek reimbursement from the CARES Act funding allocated to the City.

**Section 4. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its passage.

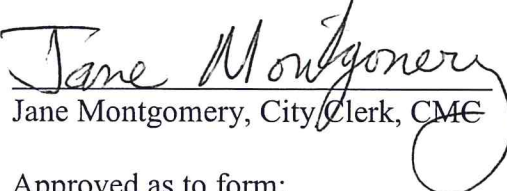
**Section 5. Corrections Authorized.** The City Clerk is authorized to make necessary corrections to this Resolution, including but not limited to correction of clerical errors.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF ON THE 28TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2020.**

CITY OF ORTING

  
Joshua Penner, Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

  
Jane Montgomery, City Clerk, CMC

Approved as to form:

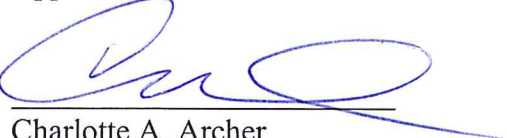
  
Charlotte A. Archer  
Inslee Best  
City Attorney

Exhibit A: CARES Small Business Grant Allocations

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Date Received</u>
Children's Discovery Academy	15,000.00	9/9/2020
Advance Physical Therapy	15,000.00	9/9/2020
Cope's Pharmacy	15,000.00	9/9/2020
Priority Incorporated	15,000.00	9/11/2020
Wanderlust Beauty Bar	10,000.00	9/16/2020
Melodi's Rebar Solutions	15,000.00	9/18/2020
Spar Pole	15,000.00	9/21/2020
<u>Orting Dental Center</u>	<u>15,000.0</u>	<u>9/25/2020</u>
<u>Sheenah's Pet Salon</u>	<u>15,000.00</u>	<u>10/09/2020</u>
<u>Business Solutions Center</u>	<u>15,000.00</u>	<u>10/21/2020</u>