

CONSENT AGENDA MEMO

Needs Legal Review: Yes

Meeting Date: May 4, 2022

Agenda Item: Washington State ZAP Car Share Program, Joint Grant Authorization

Presented By: Jan Brending, Clerk Treasurer

Action Required

Authorization to allow the City of White Salmon to participate in a joint grant application to Washington Department of Transportation for the ZAP Car Share Program.

Proposed Motion

None unless the agenda item is pulled from the Consent Agenda. If pulled from the Consent Agenda the following motion is recommended:

Motion to authorize the City of White Salmon to participate in a joint grant application to Washington Department of Transportation for a Car Share Program.

Explanation of Issue

The city is working with a number of local citizens and resources and the City of Bingen to prepare a joint application to Washington Department of Transportation for a car share program. The program would provide electric vehicles to those in need in both White Salmon and Bingen. The local match requirement of \$20,000 is being provided by the Bonneville Foundation. The working group has been looking at five different locations for charging stations and electric vehicles. The cost estimate will including the costs for charging stations, electric cars and the cost for establishing electricity to the sites. The City of White Salmon may provide in-kind services related to trenching for the electrical utility at the site within White Salmon.

Recommendation of Staff/Committee

Staff recommends authorizing the submittal of a joint grant application to Washington Department of Transportation for a car share program.