

**CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEARLAKE
RESOLUTION NO. 2025-23**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLEARLAKE, CALIFORNIA,
AUTHORIZING SUBMITTAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
SAFE STREETS AND ROADS FOR ALL (SS4A) IMPLEMENTATION GRANT PROGRAM
AND IDENTIFYING LOCAL NON-FEDERAL MATCH FUNDING SOURCES**

WHEREAS, the Public Law 117-58 establishes the US Department of Transportation's Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Implementation Grant Program to support local, regional, and Tribal initiatives that implement Safe System infrastructure projects and strategies to prevent roadway deaths and serious injuries;

WHEREAS, the FY 2025 SS4A Notice of Funding Opportunity requires a non-federal match of at least twenty percent (20 percent) of total eligible project costs;

WHEREAS, the Lakeshore Drive Safety Enhancement Project aims to significantly improve road safety along approximately 1.03 miles of Lakeshore Drive from 300 feet north of Olympic Drive to Highway 53, enhancing accessibility and safety for all road users, including pedestrians, cyclists, motorists, and the disabled;

WHEREAS, the City of Clearlake is committed to the Vision Zero goal of eliminating all traffic fatalities and serious injuries, recognizing that these are preventable and that road safety must be the most critical factor in transportation planning;

WHEREAS, this project aligns with long-term safety objectives, including continuous improvement of road safety through regular evaluations, updates to safety measures, and ongoing community engagement to address emerging safety challenges;

WHEREAS, the Lakeshore Drive Safety Enhancement Project is strategically aligned with the broader goals of the Clearlake Local Road Safety Plan and the objectives of the California Department of Transportation, forming part of a coordinated effort to enhance transportation safety comprehensively;

WHEREAS, public engagement has played a pivotal role in shaping the project, reflecting the City's commitment to inclusive and participatory planning processes;

WHEREAS, the updated itemized budget for the Lakeshore Drive Streetscape Project reflects a total eligible cost of **\$19,934,000**, comprising an SS4A federal request of **\$16,325,000** (80 percent) and a required local non-federal match of **\$3,986,800** (20 percent);

WHEREAS, to ensure full compliance, the City Council hereby commits funding from the Pavement Management Program and the Transportation Development Act Article 3 Funds for the required local non-federal match in the aggregate amount of **\$3,986,800**:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Clearlake as follows:

1. Application Authorization.

The City Manager is authorized to apply for up to **\$16,325,000** in SS4A Implementation Grant funding for the Lakeshore Drive Streetscape Project.

2. **Match Commitment.**

The City commits a total non-federal match of **\$3,986,800** from the sources identified above and directs the Finance Director to allocate these funds upon SS4A award.

3. **Execution of Grant Documents.**

The City Manager, or designee, is authorized to execute all grant-related documents, including applications, certifications, assurances, and match-commitment letters.

4. **Project Delivery Oversight.**

The City Manager shall ensure that CEQA/NEPA clearances, permit approvals, and project schedule milestones remain on track to meet SS4A requirements.

5. **Recordkeeping.**

The Finance Director shall maintain documentation of all match funding expenditures and in-kind contributions for reporting and audit purposes.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the City Council directs that this project be integrated into the City's long-term transportation planning and safety strategies, with regular updates and community consultations to ensure its success and alignment with evolving community needs and safety technologies.

THIS RESOLUTION WAS PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Clearlake, State of California, at a regular meeting thereof held on June 5, 2025 by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

CITY OF CLEARLAKE

Greg Folsom, Mayor

ATTEST: Ruthie Somers
City Clerk

By: _____