

RESOLUTION 2025-03

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING CITY COUNCIL RULES OF GOVERNANCE

WHEREAS, the Coburg Charter Section 3.1 states: *“The Mayor shall be the Executive Officer of the City. The Mayor presides over and facilitates Council meetings, preserves order, enforces Council rules, and determines the order of business under Council rules. The Mayor is not a voting member of the Council, has no veto authority, and may only vote in order to break a tie.”*; and

WHEREAS, the Coburg Charter Section 3.4 states: *“The Council must by resolution, adopt rules of governance of its members and meetings.”*; and

WHEREAS, the state legislature amended the Oregon Public Meeting law to require virtual attendance and participation in public meetings; and.

WHEREAS, the current version of Rules of Governance was adopted by Resolution 2014-02 on February 11, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the City Council reviewed the proposed rules and procedures during the January 14, 2025 City Council Meeting.

WHEREAS, regular review, updating, discussion and approval of the rules of governance strengthens the effectiveness and efficiency of the Council in their work as the elected governing body for the City of Coburg; therefore

THE CITY OF COBURG RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The 2025 City Council Rules of Governance, attached as Exhibit A, is hereby adopted as the operating procedures and policies of the City Council.

Section 2. Resolution 2014-02, and all other rules, procedures, and implied applied policies are repealed.

Section 3. This resolution is effective immediately upon its approval, and passage.

Adopted by the **City Council** of the **City of Coburg**, Oregon, by a vote of ___ for and ___ against, this 11th day of March, 2025.

Nancy Bell, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Sammy L. Egbert, City Recorder