



Where Life is Sweet

Mayor and Members of the City Council
STAFF REPORT
For the Meeting of April 27, 2026

Title/Subject

RESOLUTION NO. 2421 - Approve Intergovernmental Agreement to operate the Practical Assistance through Transitional Housing (PATH) program

Summary and Background

This IGA is an updated agreement with additional partners and more formal funding information. This IGA continues our work with Umatilla County and regional partner cities to continue implementation of the PATH Project, a coordinated regional effort to address homelessness.

The updated agreement formalizes the continuation of services that have been operating collaboratively since 2022, ensuring no disruption in service delivery, while reinforcing the City of Umatilla's role as fiscal agent and administrative lead.

The PATH program has demonstrated measurable success in providing shelter, coordinating services, and transitioning individuals into permanent housing. Stepping Stones staff recently gave an update to the Council on their efforts implementing the PATH program.

Tie-In to Council Goals

N/A

Fiscal Information

This updated IGA places an estimated budget (before state funding) in the agreement for three fiscal years. Each year the City will budget funds to cover our obligations.

The City's FY25-26 share of operations after state funding is \$49,991.36

Alternatives and Recommendation

Alternatives

1. Approve Resolution No. 2421
2. Reject Resolution No. 2421
3. Table Resolution No. 2421

Recommended Action/Motion

Approve Resolution No. 2421

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