

RESOLUTION NO. 2359

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF HERMISTON TO ACCEPT A CRITICAL OREGON AIRPORT RELIEF GRANT FROM THE OREGON DEPARTMENT OF AVIATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN ALL NECESSARY DOCUMENTS ON BEHALF OF THE CITY

WHEREAS, the City of Hermiston (City) owns and operates the Hermiston Municipal Airport; and

WHEREAS, the Airport Master Plan includes moving Ott Road to eliminate the potential for people being located within the Runway Protection Zone and for potential expansion of the runway; and

WHEREAS, to accomplish this, the City has received a Federal Aviation Administration (“FAA”) grant to purchase the necessary property to allow the rerouting of Ott Road; and

WHEREAS, the grant funds from the FAA include a 10% match by the City; and

WHEREAS, the City has been awarded a Critical Oregon Airport Relief (“COAR”) grant of \$150,000 from the Oregon Department of Aviation that can be used as part of the City’s matching funds, therefore reducing the City’s amount of the 10% match; and

WHEREAS, City staff believe it is in the best interest of the City to accept the COAR grant from the Oregon Department of Aviation.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF HERMISTON RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the City Manager is authorized to accept the Critical Oregon Airport Relief grant funds of \$150,000 from the Oregon Aviation Department and to sign all necessary documents on behalf of the City to accept the grant.
2. That this resolution is effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED by the Common Council this 10th day of March 2025.

SIGNED by the Mayor this 10th day of March 2025.

Doug Primmer, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Lilly Alarcon-Strong, CMC, CITY RECORDER