

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COLUMBIA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

RESOLUTION #2022-24

IN THE MATTER OF SUPPORTING THE GRANT APPLICATION BY TOUCHET VALLEY GOLF AND RECREATION TO THE WA STATE RCO FOR IRRIGATION IMPROVEMENTS AT COLUMBIA COUNTY TOUCHET VALLEY GOLF COURSE

WHEREAS Touchet Valley Golf and Recreation (TVGR), is requesting County support in application for a grant from the Washington State Recreation and Conservation office to complete phase 3 of the Golf Course Irrigation system on the County owned portion of the Columbia County Touchet Valley Golf Course (CCTVGC); and

WHEREAS, Columbia County has, in partnership with other local municipalities, developed and adopted by Resolution 2018-54 on December 17, 2018 a Cooperative Park Master Plan which identifies irrigation improvements at the CCTVGC as a priority; and

WHEREAS, PWP 10-07 Golf Course Irrigation System Phase 3 is listed as priority number 16 on the Columbia County Six Year Facility Capital Improvement Plan adopted on December 6, 2021 by Resolution 2021-57; and

WHEREAS, TVGR has designed, planned and has already begun construction of a new retention pond and irrigation system on the privately owned portion of the CCTVGC; and

WHEREAS, TVGR has designed and planned the completion of the Golf Course Irrigation System on land owned and held by Columbia County and has identified and is diligently seeking to appropriate all necessary matching funds and labor to complete the project at minimal cost to the County; and

WHEREAS, Columbia County is being presented with a unique opportunity to greatly improve the facilities and realize a long term annual deficit reduction at the CCTVGC for a relatively minimal investment.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS of Columbia County, Washington, that the County is committing to partner with and support TVGR's application for RCO grant funds by signing this resolution and attached Applicant Resolution/Authorization from the Washington State Office of Recreation and Conservation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the County directs the offices of the County Engineer and Facilities Director to cooperatively support, as may be required, both grant and project administration of this project pending award and execution of this grant and subsequent contract.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Columbia County Board of Commissioners, State of Washington, this 15th day of August, 2022.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
COLUMBIA COUNTY, WASHINGTON**



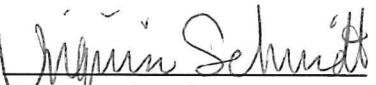
Marty J. Hall, Chairman



Charles L. Amerein, Commissioner



Ryan R. Rundell, Commissioner

Attest: 
Virginia Schmidt
Clerk of the Board