Resolution authorizing a Substantial Amendment of the 2022 Action Plan

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse allocated \$250,000 of Community Development Block Grant funding for Business Assistance to expand licensed child care or early learning opportunities in its 2022 Action Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse has received American Rescue Plan Act Funding and has since dedicated \$2 million to address the need to increase childcare and learning opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse has prioritized quality affordable housing as one of the greatest needs within the city; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse has two anticipated Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) projects that need additional financial support to ensure affordable housing units are built in the city; and

WHEREAS, these LIHTC projects are anticipated to leverage over \$24 million in LIHTC credits; and

WHEREAS, a substantial amendment is required when a change in scope of an activity exceeds 25% of the funding allocation.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA CROSSE, that the 2022 Action Plan is hereby amended.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that these activities shall have oversight by the Economic and Community Development Commission.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is designated as the authorized representative of the City of La Crosse to act in connection with the Substantial Amendment to the 2022 Action Plan and to provide such additional information as may be required.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is authorized to execute any documents with are necessary for the implementation of activities funded by this resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that City staff is hereby authorized to take any and all steps necessary to effectuate this resolution.

I, Nikki M. Elsen, certify that this resolution was duly and officially adopted by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse on March 9, 2023.

Nikki M. Elsen, WCMC, City Clerk City of La Crosse, Wisconsin

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