Authorizing Resolution

WHEREAS, the applicant, is interested in obtaining a cost-share grant from Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for the purpose of funding urban and community forestry projects or urban forestry catastrophic storm projects specified in s. 23.097(1g) and (1r), Wis. Stats.;

WHEREAS, the applicant attests to the validity and veracity of the statements and representations contained in the grant application; and

WHEREAS, the applicant requests a grant agreement to carry out the project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the applicant, <u>City of La Crosse Parks, Recreation & Forestry Department</u> will comply with all local, state, and federal rules, regulations and ordinances relating to this project and the cost-share agreement;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the applicant will budget a sum sufficient to fully and satisfactorily complete the project and hereby authorizes and empowers <u>City Outdoor Recreation Coordinator</u> its official or employee, to act on its behalf to:

- 1. Sign and submit the grant application
- 2. Sign a grant agreement between applicant and the DNR
- 3. Submit interim and/or final reports to the DNR to satisfy the grant agreement
- 4. Submit grant reimbursement request to the DNR
- 5. Sign and submit other required documentation

Adopted this 18 day of September, 2025.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by (applicant organization's governing body) at a legal meeting on the 18 day of September 2025.

Authorized Signature – CM Jennifer Trost	Title – President, Board of Park Commissioners	September 18, 2025