CITY OF BUCKLEY, WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION NO. 17-02

IN THE MATTER OF DELEGATING TO THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR AUTHORITY TO LEGALLY BIND THE CITY OF BUCKLEY, PIERCE COUNTY, WASHINGTON FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE OF REQUESTING FEDERAL REIMBURSEMENT

WHEREAS, The City Administrator has been duly appointed by the Mayor in accordance with BMC 2.06, which includes administration of the business of the City government; and,

WHEREAS, The Federal Highway Administration, through the State authorizes federal transportation funding to the City of Buckley, Pierce County, Washington for transportation projects; and,

WHEREAS, The Code of Federal Regulations, 2 CFR 200.415(a), has been revised to ensure that final fiscal reports or vouchers requesting payment under Federal agreements must include a certification, signed by an official who is authorized to legally bind the non-Federal Agency; and,

WHEREAS, the City Administrator executes all Federal grant funding agreements and supplemental agreements; and,

WHEREAS, in order to seek timely reimbursement for proper expenditures related to the Federally funded grant projects, the City Council of the City of Buckley delegates to the person appointed as the City Administrator the authority to legally bind the City of Buckley, Pierce County, Washington solely for the purpose of requesting Federal Grant reimbursement;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Buckley that for the purposes of requesting reimbursement for Federally funded transportation projects, the City Administrator shall be delegated authority per 2 CFR 200.415(a) to legally bind the City of Buckley, Pierce County, Washington in furtherance of the intent of this resolution; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Buckley that the person duly appointed as the City Administrator shall be authorized to sign all grant reimbursement vouchers for grant funded transportation projects on behalf of the City of Buckley.

2 CFR 200.415(a):

"By signing this report, I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the report is true, complete, and accurate, and the expenditures, disbursements and cash receipts are for the purposes and objectives set forth in the terms and conditions of the Federal award. I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent information, or the omission of any material fact, may

subject me to criminal, civil or administrative penalties for fraud, false statements, false claims or otherwise. (U.S. Code Title 18, Section 1001 and Title 31, Sections 3729-3730 and 3801-3812)."

Introduced, passed and approved this 14th day of February, 2017.

for. Pat Johnson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Joanne Starr, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Phil Olbrechts, City Attorney

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