

**RESOLUTION DONATING COUNCIL DISCRETIONARY FUNDS TO SOULFUL SEEDS A NON-PROFIT DEDICATED TO GROWING CONNECTION AND RESILIENCY THROUGH NEIGHBORHOOD GARDENS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$500. (GENERAL FUND)**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Reno may donate funds in accordance with NRS 268.028(01), entitled “Expenditure of public money; grant of public money and donation of certain property to certain nonprofit organizations or governmental entities” when such expenditure provides a substantial benefit to the inhabitants of the City; and,

**WHEREAS**, Soulful Seeds, vision is to cultivate a thriving community where everyone is welcome; and

**WHEREAS**, Soulful Seeds, is a social and environmental, grassroots non-profit dedicated to reducing food insecurity by developing and managing urban gardens; and

**WHEREAS**, Soulful Seeds, grow neighborhood gardens through community partnerships to create opportunity for people to learn, grow, and flourish; and

**WHEREAS**, Soulful Seeds, participants act with respect and dignity and cultivate partnerships in the community; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the City of Reno approves the Council donation from Vice Mayor Kathleen Taylor in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) to Soulful Seeds; and,

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that should the above donation or any portion thereof not be used for the purpose as set forth in this Resolution, any unused funds shall be returned to the City of Reno.

Upon motion by Councilmember \_\_\_\_\_, and seconded by Councilmember \_\_\_\_\_, the foregoing Resolution was passed and adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025, by the following vote of the Council:

AYES: \_\_\_\_\_

NAYS: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSTAIN: \_\_\_\_\_ ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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HILLARY SCHIEVE MAYOR

ATTEST:

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MIKKI HUNTSMAN  
CITY CLERK