## **RESOLUTION NO. 6 FOR 2020**

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING STAFF TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR THE 2020 USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT GRANT FOR THE PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT.

WHEREAS, The USDA is accepting applications for the Rural Development Grant Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Sweet Home desires to participate in this grant program to the greatest extent possible as a means of providing needed police equipment; and

WHEREAS, the project will replace an aging Police K9 patrol vehicle and will acquire needed ballistic vest carriers and shields for officer protection; and

WHEREAS, the City of Sweet Home has available local matching funds to fulfill its share of obligation related to this grant application should the grant funds be awarded; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Sweet Home will provide adequate funding for on-going operations and maintenance of the Department and K9 program should the grant funds be awarded; and

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

**Section 1.** The Council of the City of Sweet Home herein authorizes the staff to submit an application for the 2020 USDA Rural Development Grant and authorizes the City Manager to sign the required documents including the USDA Loan Resolution.

**Section 2.** The Council of the City of Sweet Home will accept any USDA award resulting from this application.

**Section 3.** This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED by the Council and executed by the Mayor this 14th day of April 2020 by a vote of \_\_\_\_\_\_ yeas and \_\_\_\_\_ nays.

Mayor Greg Mahler

City of Sweet Home, Oregon

ATTEST:

City Manager - Ex Officio City Recorder