RESOLUTION NO. 2024-2395

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOODYEAR, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A PUBLIC SAFETY APPLICATION FOR STATE SHARED REVENUE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS TO THE GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS RELATING TO SAID APPLICATION, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A GRANT AGREEMENT (IF GRANT FUNDS ARE AWARDED), AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO APPROVE THE REQUIRED BUDGET TRANSFER (IF GRANT FUNDS ARE AWARDED).

WHEREAS, Mobile Elementary School District No. 86 provides K-8 education in the community of Mobile, and is one of more than 13 schools providing elementary education to Goodyear residents; and

WHEREAS, the school administration strives to foster a secure and conducive learning environment for the students of Mobile Elementary School District No. 86 and desires to improve fencing as a proactive measure to address safety concerns and bolster community confidence in the school's commitment to student welfare; and

WHEREAS, the school has a very small operating budget with an unrestricted capital budget that is insufficient for the proposed project (\$37,526 in FY23); and

WHEREAS, student safety is paramount, and the proposed project represents a tangible step towards achieving that objective; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City to apply for Gila River Indian Community State Shared Revenue grant funds to aid Mobile Elementary School District No. 86 in the construction and installation of improved security fencing; and

WHEREAS, the project qualifies as eligible under the State Shared Revenue Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, there is no match requirement for this application;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOODYEAR, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, AS FOLLOWS:

- SECTION 1. The City Manager, or her designee, is hereby authorized to submit an application to the Gila River Indian Community for the State Shared Revenue Grant program to aid Mobile Elementary School District No. 86 in the construction and installation of improved security fencing for a total amount of \$120,000.
- SECTION 2. If the grant application is awarded, the City will enter into a Grant Agreement with the Gila River Indian Community to implement the project approved by the Gila River Indian Community.
- SECTION 3. The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute all documents relating to this application and any grant offer resulting from such application.

Joe Pizzillo, Mayor

Date: 3-25-2024

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Darcie McCracken, City Clerk

Roric Massey, City Attorney