

RESOLUTION NO. 14-11

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO STATING SUPPORT OF THE MAINSTREET ROSWELL PROGRAM BY PROVIDING THE REQUESTED FUNDING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN THE BIENNIAL MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE NEW MEXICO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, the New Mexico MainStreet Program is the affiliated "State Coordinating" program of the National Trust Main Street Center; and

WHEREAS, the New Mexico MainStreet Program, hosted through the New Mexico Economic Development Department, wishes to enter into Memorandums of Understanding with certain municipalities that foster community economic development by supporting downtown business district revitalization that is based upon the Main Street Four-Point Approach as its framework; and

WHEREAS, Roswell's MainStreet Program has been in existence for 25 years, since January 1989, making it one of the first MainStreet Programs in New Mexico; and

WHEREAS, the MainStreet Roswell Program has taken the lead position in the creation of the Downtown Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the City of Roswell supports the continued efforts of the MainStreet Roswell Program and agrees to abide by the eligibility and participation requirements; and


WHEREAS, the City of Roswell supports this vision, principles and values of comprehensive district revitalization and has budgeted thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000.00) for each of the past seven years.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO that: the Mayor be authorized to sign the Biennial Memorandum of Understanding with the New Mexico MainStreet Program, a program of the New Mexico Economic Development Department; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that: the City of Roswell has budgeted thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) as pledged support in fiscal year 2015 to contract with the MainStreet Roswell Program to work on the City's behalf in community economic development efforts in downtown. Subject to the availability of funds in future years, this level of support is not planned to be changed.

PASSED, ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED: this 10th day of April, 2014.

CITY SEAL


Dennis Kintigh, Mayor

ATTEST:


Sharon Coll, City Clerk