

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-58

A RESOLUTION OF THE FLAGSTAFF CITY COUNCIL, AMENDING THE FLAGSTAFF REGIONAL PLAN 2030 BY AMENDING CHAPTERS IV AND X TO ADDRESS THE 2021 FLAGSTAFF CARBON NEUTRALITY PLAN AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

RECITALS:

WHEREAS, in response to community appeals, on June 23 2020, the Flagstaff City Council adopted Resolution 2020-09 endorsing a Declaration of a Climate Emergency for the City of Flagstaff, and requesting regional collaboration on an equitable transition and urgent mobilization effort to restore a safe climate; and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2021, the Flagstaff City Council adopted Resolution 2021-34 adopting the 2021 Flagstaff Carbon Neutrality Plan; and

WHEREAS, City staff, on behalf of the Sustainability and Planning and Zoning Commissions, applied for a major plan amendment to the Flagstaff Regional Plan 2030 to modify and add policies that align with Council's objective of having a carbon neutral community by 2030; and

WHEREAS, the amendments to Chapters IV and X accurately reflect the 2021 Flagstaff Carbon Neutrality Plan adopted by City Council on June 15, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the amendments to Chapters IV and X meet the findings for providing community benefits and conforming to the Flagstaff Regional Plan 2030's and other goals and policies; and

WHEREAS, staff's application and the notice and hearing process for the amendment complies with Section 11-10 of the Flagstaff City Code and Arizona Revised Statutes Section 9-461.05 and 06; and

WHEREAS, the Planning and Zoning Commission recommends the amendment after the required notice and hearing.

ENACTMENTS:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLAGSTAFF AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That staff's application to amend the Flagstaff Regional Plan 2030 to amend Chapters IV and X to address the 2021 Flagstaff Carbon Neutrality Plan as indicated in the attached Exhibit A is hereby approved with an effective date thirty (30) days after the resolution is adopted.

SECTION 2. The adopted and effective date, the resolution number and description of the amendment will be added to Chapter XVI of the Flagstaff Regional Plan 2030 and the amended date on the cover page will also be changed for consistency with this amendment as indicated in the attached Exhibit B.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Flagstaff this 7th day of December, 2021.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CITY ATTORNEY

Exhibits:

A – Chapters IV and X of the Flagstaff Regional Plan 2030, as amended January 6, 2022

B – Cover Sheet and Chapter XVI of the Flagstaff Regional Plan 2030, as amended January 6, 2022