

Councilmember _____ introduced the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

RESOLUTION #26-228

RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING THE CITY'S POLICY REQUIRING COMPLIANCE WITH MINN. STAT. § 16C.285 RESPONSIBLE CONTRACTOR FOR PROJECTS RECEIVING CITY FUNDING GREATER THAN \$50,000

WHEREAS, On September 22, 2026, at the Ramsey City Council Work Session, the Council discussed the requirements of Minn. Stat. § 16C.285 regarding Responsible Contractors and the City's options for incorporating a requirement for compliance for projects that receive financial assistance from the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes that projects that receive financial assistance from the City require a greater level of scrutiny and protection due to the use of public funds and the Responsible Contractor criteria and reporting requirements under Minn. Stat. § 16C.285 provide a reasonable framework for creating that additional scrutiny and protection; and

WHEREAS, at the October 13, 2026 Council meeting, the Council considered the following policy:

Any project receiving financial assistance from the City valued at more than \$50,000 shall be required to meet the minimum criteria for a responsible contractor identified in Minn. Stat. § 16C.285, subd. 3, and shall comply with the reporting requirements provided in Minn. Stat. § 16C.285, subd. 4, 5, and 6, as applicable.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF RAMSEY, ANOKA COUNTY, STATE OF MINNESOTA, as follows:

1. Responsible Contractor Policy

(a) Any project receiving financial assistance from the City valued at more than \$50,000 shall be required to meet the minimum criteria for a responsible contractor identified in Minn. Stat. § 16C.285, subd. 3, and shall comply with the reporting requirements provided in Minn. Stat. § 16C.285, subd. 4, 5, and 6, as applicable.

(b) Projects receiving \$50,000 or less in financial assistance from the City and privately funded projects shall not be required to comply with Minn. Stat. § 16C.285.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Councilmember _____, and upon vote being taken thereon, the following voted in favor thereof:

and the following voted against the same:

and the following abstained:

and the following were absent:

Whereupon said resolution was declared duly passed and adopted by the Ramsey City Council this the 13th day of October, 2026.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk