CITY OF FALCON HEIGHTS COUNCIL RESOLUTION

September 11, 2024

No. 24-49

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING PALEBLUEDOT PROPOSAL AND AUTHORIZING CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH PALEBLUEDOT FOR CLIMATE ACTION PLAN

WHEREAS, in January 2023, the City of Falcon Heights declared a climate crisis with Resolution 23-04; and

WHEREAS, climate action planning is currently underway in Ramsey County, the MET Council, the University of Minnesota, and many other units of local government in the Twin Cities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Falcon Heights acknowledges the need for a well-planned transition to a clean energy economy and commits to working for a just transition and climate mobilization effort by moving forward to consider a City Climate Action Plan (CAP) with input from the residents, businesses, and non-profit entities in the community; and

WHEREAS, the City applied for and was awarded a grant in the amount of \$46,075 with a \$2,469 City match for a Climate Action Plan from the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency; and

WHEREAS, paleBLUEdot submitted a proposal for a Climate Action Plan in the amount of \$48,544; and

WHEREAS, Staff recommends the City hire paleBLUEdot to conduct and author the Falcon Heights Climate Action Plan.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Falcon Heights, Minnesota:

- 1. Funding from the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency's Local Climate Action Grant is accepted in the amount of \$46,075 by the City Council of the City of Falcon Heights and the City Administrator is authorized to sign documents related to this.
- 2. The proposal from paleBLUEdot for the Climate Action Plan in the amount of \$48,544 is accepted by the City Council of the City of Falcon Heights.
- 3. The City Council of the City of Falcon Heights approves the Professional Services Agreement with paleBLUEdot, LLC.

ADOPTED this 11th day of September, 2024 by the City Council of Falcon Heights, Minnesota.

Moved by:	Mielke	Approved by: Randall Gustarson
CLICTATCON	5	Mayor
GUSTAFSON	In Favor	Attested by:
LEEHY		Jack Linehan
MEYER	Against	City Administrator
WASSENBERG		
MIFIKE		