## AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF OREGON CITY ADOPTING AN UPDATE TO THE OREGON CITY SANITARY SEWER MASTER PLAN, AN ANCILLARY DOCUMENT TO THE OREGON CITY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN.

WHEREAS, a high quality, well maintained sanitary sewer system is critical for providing adequate and reliable sanitary sewer service to the present and future residents of Oregon City; and

**WHEREAS,** the Oregon City Sanitary Sewer Master Plan (SSMP) is an ancillary document to the City's adopted Comprehensive Plan consistent with federal requirements, state statutes, and the Statewide Planning Goals; and

WHEREAS, the SSMP identifies current sanitary sewer system capacity concerns, build out capacity concerns, required improvements, a rehabilitation and replacement program and develops a capital improvement program (CIP) to meet these needs; and

WHEREAS, adoption of the SSMP will help Oregon City plan for efficient and timely provision of sanitary sewer service to planned growth areas within Oregon City's Urban Growth Boundary; and

WHEREAS, on August 6, 2014, the City Commission adopted Ordinance 14-1006 which imposed a moratorium on development as a result of sanitary sewer capacity deficiencies within areas within Oregon City; and

**WHEREAS,** ORS 197.530(1) requires that the City adopt a program to correct the problem creating the moratorium within 60 days, or before October 3, 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, the SSMP identifies solutions necessary to remedy the capacity deficient sewers and therefore, serves as the City's corrective program.

## NOW, THEREFORE, OREGON CITY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** The City Commission hereby adopts the findings contained in the Legislative Staff Report for file LE 14-02 and attached to this Ordinance as Appendix A.

**Section 2.** The City Commission hereby adopts the SSMP, attached to this Ordinance as Appendix B, as an ancillary document to the City's Comprehensive Plan.

**Section 3.** Adoption of the SSMP, as the corrective program in response to the moratorium, shall serve to extend the effective date of the moratorium adopted through Ordinance 14-1006, and shall expire six months from the date of SSMP enactment unless otherwise extended in accordance with state law.

Read for the first time at a regular meeting of the City Commission held on the 17th day of September, 2014 and the City Commission finally enacted the foregoing ordinance this 15th day of October, 2014.

DOUG NEELEY, Mayor

Attested to this 15th day of October, 2014:

Approved as to legal sufficiency:

Nancy Ide, City Recorder

City Attorney

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