RESOLUTION NO. 2016-11

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WINLOCK, WASHINGTON TO PROVIDE THE WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY NOTICE OF WINLOCK'S INTENT TO ADOPT THE SHORELINE MASTER PROGRAM

WHEREAS, local governments are required to prepare and adopt a Shoreline Master Program (SMP) based on the State's Shoreline Management Act (SMA) (RCW 90.58) and Shoreline Master Program Guidelines (WAC 173-26); and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Winlock voted to enter into an Interlocal Agreement with Lewis County at a regularly scheduled open public meeting held on August 8, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the Parties had determined that it would be in their individual and collective interest to plan and work together to meet the update requirements of the SMA, and

WHEREAS, the Parties agreed that Lewis County would be the lead agency responsible for the update; and

WHEREAS, the proposed draft of City of Winlock's SMP includes a set of revised policies, environmental designations, and regulation that are intended to be in compliance with current federal and state standards for lands within Winlock's shoreline jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, prior to the adoption of the SMP, the City of Winlock is required to send a notice of intent to adopt the SMP to the Washington State Department of Ecology, along with a draft of the document and a large amount of non-regulatory supplementary information, including drafts of the Shoreline Inventory and Characterization Report and the Shoreline Restoration Plan; and

WHEREAS, a Citizens Advisory Committee for the SMP update, Winlock and Lewis County Planning Commissions have crafted the components of the SMP update over the course of several years and public meetings; and

WHEREAS, the Winlock Planning Commission conducted a public hearing on the regulatory portion of the SMP, the primary part of the update, on June 20, 2016 and voted unanimously to recommend approval of the document on July 20, 2016; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Winlock City Council that the City of Winlock forward the draft SMP update package to the Department of Ecology for review.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Winlock, Washington, and **APPROVED** by its Mayor, at a regularly scheduled open public meeting thereof this 8th day of August, 2016.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney WSBA #42883