RESOLUTION NO. 3466

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF RED LODGE, MONTANA TO ADOPT THE RED LODGE URBAN FOREST MANAGEMENT PLAN

WHEREAS, The City of Red Lodge received a grant from the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC) in January of 2017 to conduct an update of the 2009 Urban Forest Management Plan (UFMP); and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the UFMP includes, but is not limited to, compiling a GIS database of trees on City-owned land, evaluating tree health, identifying locations for new trees and recommending tree species; and

WHEREAS, The Red Lodge Parks, Trees and Recreation Board reviewed the UFMP on March 5th, 2018 and recommended approval of the UFMP; and

WHEREAS, adoption of the Red Lodge UFMP by the City Council will provide for ongoing opportunities to secure grants that can help fund urban tree plantings, fertilizing and tree pruning; and

WHEREAS, the 2018 Urban Forest Management Plan is located on the City of Red Lodge website at: http://cityofredlodge.net/departments/parks-board/

NOW, THERFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Red Lodge City Council:

- 1. That the City Council adopts the Red Lodge Urban Forest Management Plan.
- 2. That the 2018 Red Lodge Urban Forest Management Plan be considered to replace the 2009 Urban Forest Management Plan in the Red Lodge Growth Policy when the Growth Policy process is opened for update and modification.

INTRODUCED at a Regular meeting of the Red Lodge City Council on March 27, 2018, by Council Member Andrew Dimich.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE RED LODGE CITY COUNCIL on this 27th Day of March, 2018.

City of Red Lodge:

William Larson, Mayor

Loni Hanson, City Clerk

Rebecca Narmore, Attorney

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