



# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

## City Administration

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### Golden Valley City Council Meeting

March 6, 2024

#### Agenda Item

**3D.** Adopt Resolution No. 24-020 Approving Public Purpose Spending Authorization

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#### Summary

The City of Golden Valley is committed to ensuring employees, elected officials, and volunteers have the tools and resources needed to deliver strong, equitable, transparent services to the community. In addition, the City Council believes in approving reasonable spending authorizations under its existing Public Purpose Spending Authorization policy to meet City and community goals. The proposed resolution outlines the reasonable expenses by which the City Council authorizes City staff to execute City initiatives under these policies.

#### Financial or Budget Considerations

All eligible items are approved annually by the City Council during its annual budget process.

#### Legal Considerations

This resolution and the policies referenced in the resolution were drafted with input from the City Attorney.

#### Equity Considerations

The City strives to create and execute policies and practices that support diversity, equity, and inclusion, including appropriately funding initiatives that directly impact the City's diverse workforce and community. The resolution adopting the public purpose spending authorization along with the City's Public Purpose Expenditure Policy authorizes City staff to spend reasonable amounts on efforts to be inclusive, responsive, and transparent both internally and externally.

#### Recommended Action

Motion to adopt Resolution No. 24-020 approving public purchase spending authorization.

#### Supporting Documents

- [Resolution No. 24-020 - Public Purpose Spending Authorization](#)