## **RESOLUTION 10456**

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE APPLICATION FOR THE NEW OR EXPANDING INDUSTRY TAX BENEFIT FOR CALUMET MONTANA REFINING LLC'S RENEWABLE FUEL CONVERSION PROJECT, LOCATED AT ITS FACILITY ON 1900 10<sup>TH</sup> STREET NE, GREAT FALLS, MT, FURTHER DESCRIBED AS GOVERNMENT LOTS 2-3, MARK 8, LOCATED IN SEC. 01, T20N, R3E, CASCADE COUNTY, MONTANA, PURSUANT TO MONT. CODE ANN. §§ 15-24-1401 AND 15-24-1402

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**WHEREAS**, the State of Montana has provided enabling legislation to encourage new industry or expansion of existing industry, and;

**WHEREAS**, said encouragement allows for new or expanding industries to be taxed at 50% of their taxable value for the first five years, and;

**WHEREAS**, in years six through ten, the taxes will increase by equal percentages until the full taxable value is attained in the tenth year, and;

**WHEREAS**, Mont. Code Ann. §§ 15-24-1401 and 15-24-1402 provide the opportunity for local governing bodies to give Tax Benefits for New or Expanding Industry, and;

**WHEREAS**, the applicant, Calumet Montana Refining, LLC), has submitted an application for a New or Expanding Industry Tax Benefit pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. §§ 15-24-1401 and 15-24-1402 for the property located at 1900 10<sup>th</sup> Street NE, described as Government Lots 2-3, Mark 8, City of Great Falls, Cascade County, MT, and;

**WHEREAS**, in order for a taxpayer to receive the tax benefits, following due notice as defined in Mont. Code Ann. § 7-1-4127 and a public hearing, the City Commission, having jurisdiction, must approve by separate resolution for each project the application for tax benefits, and;

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission adopted Resolution 10119 on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2015, Establishing Criteria for Evaluating Tax Abatement or Benefit Requests.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF GREAT FALLS, MONTANA, THAT:

Following a public hearing and taking into consideration the criteria established in Resolution 10119, the City Commission of the City of Great Falls does hereby approve Calumet Montana Refining, LLC's Application for a New or Expanding Industry Tax Benefit pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. §§ 15-24-1401 and 15-24-1402.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Commission of the City of Great Falls, Montana, on May 3, 2022.

|                                    | Bob Kelly, Mayor |  |
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| ATTEST:                            |                  |  |
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| Lisa Kunz, City Clerk              |                  |  |
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| (SEAL OF CITY)                     |                  |  |
| APPROVED FOR LEGAL CONTENT:        |                  |  |
| ALL ROYED FOR ELUAL CONTENT.       |                  |  |
| Jeffrey M. Hindoien, City Attorney | _                |  |