CITY OF SAINT PETER, MINNESOTA

RESOLUTION NO. 2019 - 96

STATE OF MINNESOTA) COUNTY OF NICOLLET) CITY OF SAINT PETER)

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN GREENSTEP CITIES PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the League of Minnesota Cities, an organization representing local governments in Minnesota, has created the GreenStep Cities Program; and

WHEREAS, the goal of the program is for participants to meet twenty-nine (29) best practices in the categories of Building and Lighting; Land Use; Transportation; Environmental Management and Economic and Community Development; and

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to obtain certification from the GreenStep Cities Program in order to highlight and continue efforts to ensure sustainable development within the community; and

WHEREAS, the City will attempt to utilize interns to spearhead efforts to obtain certification for the City from the GreenStep Cities project; and

WHEREAS, the GreenStep Cities Program will provide the City with public recognition of efforts in the community to achieve the best practices goals outlined in the program; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends authorization be provided for the City of Saint Peter to participate in the GreenStep Cities program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAINT PETER, NICOLLET COUNTY, MINNESOTA, THAT:

- 1 Participation in the GreenStep Cities Program is hereby approved.
- 2 Staff is directed to proceed with actions necessary to obtain certification through the GreenStep Cities program.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Saint Peter, Nicollet County, Minnesota, this 12th day of August, 2019.

Charles Zieman

Mayor

ATTEST:

Todd Prafke
City Administrator