

**RESOLUTION NO. 23-1893**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
LAKE FOREST PARK, WASHINGTON, PLEDGING  
SUPPORT FOR THE RE+ (ZERO WASTE) PROGRAM  
WITH KING COUNTY**

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**WHEREAS**, climate change is an urgent challenge with far-reaching current and future impacts on our environment, public health, and economy; and

**WHEREAS**, greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions generated globally from the production, transport, use, and disposal of goods, foods, and services consumed in King County are a major part of our communities' climate footprint and are more than locally generated GHG emissions; and

**WHEREAS**, King County and K4C (King County Cities Climate Collaborative), partners are measuring, reporting, and developing new strategies to reduce consumption-related GHG emissions; and

**WHEREAS**, supporting the Re+ effort will help focus collaborative effort and responsibility to make progress toward reducing local GHG emissions by increasing waste prevention and recycling and laying the foundation for developing a circular economy that keeps materials, projects, and services in circulation as long as possible; and

**WHEREAS**, we recognize that the success of Re+ will require collaboration between King County, local jurisdictions, tribes, businesses, community-based organizations, and others; and

**WHEREAS**, the Re+ Program is consistent with, consolidates, and accelerates progress towards achieving the approved goals and strategies of the King County 2020 Strategic Climate Action Plan, the 2019 King County Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan, and the Joint Climate Action Commitment of K4C in relation to the County's zero-waste goals; and

**WHEREAS**, we will work with the County to identify ways to enhance our efforts to achieve the vision of Re+ with implementation support from the County, including competitive grants, model language for the countywide program and policy implementation, and technical support; and

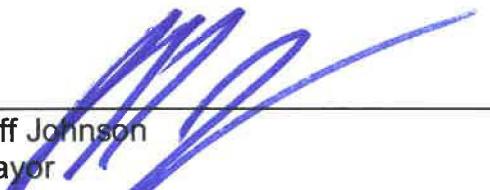
**WHEREAS**, as a core component of this important work, we must engage in ways that are fair, equitable, and inclusive for those who are historically under-represented and have been disproportionately impacted by the status quo in our community.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Lake Forest Park, pledge our support for the shared vision that Re+ represents, and look forward to collaborating to see this vision become a reality.

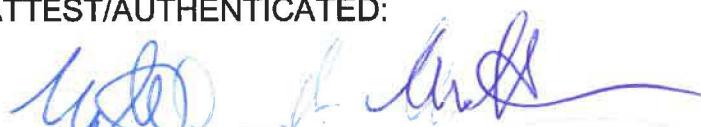
**PASSED BY A MAJORITY VOTE** of the members of the Lake Forest Park City Council this 13th day of April, 2023.

APPROVED:

Jeff Johnson  
Mayor



ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:



Matthew McLean  
City Clerk

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: April 7, 2023  
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: April 14, 2023  
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