RESOLUTION NO. 24-63

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA GRANTING APPROVAL OF TAX ABATEMENT ON IMPROVEMENTS MADE TO REAL PROPERTY AT 2702 MID AMERICA DRIVE IN THE MID-AMERICA URBAN REVITALIZATION AREA FOR THE 2024 TAX ASSESSMENT YEAR (2023 CALENDAR YEAR).

WHEREAS, the City Council has at its discretion the ability to approve tax abatement requests when improvements are made to real property within certain urban revitalization areas; and

WHEREAS, Horseshoe Council Bluffs LLC has made such improvements by completing an interior/exterior remodeling project on a 26,900 square foot hotel/motel; and

WHEREAS, this development is addressed 2702 Mid America Drive and is legally described as Horseshoe Subdivision Lot 2 (parcel number 744403400014); and

WHEREAS, the building is owned by Horseshoe Council Bluffs LLC; and

WHEREAS, for the 2024 tax assessment year (2023 calendar year), eligible costs of $5,220,551 were incurred during calendar year 2023 and $2,832,064 were incurred during calendar year 2022; and

WHEREAS, the tax abatement request pertains to property improvements located entirely within the boundaries of the Mid-America Urban Revitalization Area; and

WHEREAS, said work is consistent with all applicable city ordinances and codes, the goals and objectives of the Mid-America Urban Revitalization Area and Section 404 of the Iowa Code; and

WHEREAS, the applicant has requested a partial exemption for ten years as authorized under Iowa Code 404.3 and the Mid-America Urban Revitalization Area; and

WHEREAS, the tax abatement application and all necessary attachments have been reviewed and approved by the Community Development Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED
BY THE
CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA

The City Council hereby finds that the request for review of property tax abatement on improvements made to real property located at 2702 Mid America Drive for the 2024 tax assessment year to be in compliance with the purpose and intent of the Mid-America Urban Revitalization Plan and that approval of tax abatement will be in the best interest of the City of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED

That the City Council does hereby approve tax abatement for said project for the 2024 tax assessment year.

ADOPTED
AND
APPROVED February 26, 2024

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Matthew J. Walsh Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Jodi Quakenbush City Clerk