

CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA
CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2019-052

ACCEPTING DONATION TO THE CITY OF NORTHFIELD BY JAN SHOGER

WHEREAS, the generation and disposal of recyclable materials as waste contributes to carbon emissions in a variety of ways; and

WHEREAS, current estimates are that 15% of the recycling in the City of Northfield is contaminated and not able to be recycled; and

WHEREAS, one step in an effort towards zero waste in the City of Northfield is a vigorous education campaign to help residents, businesses, government and institutions in the City understand what the City's current recycling program allows and does not to allow as recyclable materials in order to reduce the amount of contaminated recycling; and

WHEREAS, Jan Shoger, Donor, desires to donate funds to the City to help the City implement a recycling education for City residents in order to reduce the amount of contaminated recycling within the City; and

WHEREAS, the City of Northfield is authorized to accept donations/gifts pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 465.03 for the benefit of its citizens in accordance with the terms prescribed by the Donor, and that acceptance of such grant is subject to a resolution of the City Council adopted by a two-thirds majority of its members.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL THAT:

1. The City Council of the City of Northfield hereby accepts, with great appreciation, the donation of \$50,000 given by Jan Shoger to be used for City-wide recycling waste reduction educational efforts as described in the Donor's letter attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit A to this resolution.
2. The City Clerk is hereby directed to issue a receipt to the Donor acknowledging the City's receipt of the Donor's donation.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Northfield on this 4th day of June 2019.

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Mayor

VOTE: ___ POWNELL ___ DELONG ___ GRABAU ___ NAKASIAN
 ___ NESS ___ PETERSON WHITE___ ZWEIFEL

EXHIBIT A

Donation Letter