



City Council Resolve

IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLVED, that the Auburn City Council, in accordance with section 13 of the Auburn Water District Charter, hereby grants permission to the Auburn Water (the “Water District”) District to issue its bonds and notes in anticipation thereof, referred to herein as the “Water District Bonds” in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$2,000,000 to finance upgrades to the Water District’s water distribution system, including water main replacement, with other improvements ancillary and related thereto.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Auburn City Council, that the Water District bonds shall not constitute any debt or liability of the City or a pledge of the faith and credit of the City, but shall be payable solely by the Water District, and the issuance of the Water District Bonds shall not directly or indirectly or contingently obligate the City to levy or to pledge any form of taxation whatever therefor or to make any appropriation for their payment.

Passage on 2/7/2022 7-0.

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Jason J. Levesque, Mayor

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APRIL 4, 2022 A resolution of the City Council expressing support of and utilization of Maine's Dual Enrollment Program on the campuses of Central Maine Community College, Bates College, and the University of Southern Maine Lewiston-Auburn.

WHEREAS, the Auburn City Council are dedicated to ensuring all of our Students have the opportunities to be career ready upon graduation from Edward Little High School

WHEREAS, Auburn's businesses are experiencing a shortage of workers properly trained in foundational jobs such as construction, electricians, plumbers, welders, equipment operators, public service and fabricators.

WHEREAS, recently over 190 interested ELHS students participated in a field trip to the LRTC campus to learn more, the program has 60 slots open to our students and more students will be able to participate when the new high school is opened.

WHEREAS, Auburn is fortunate to have Central Maine Community College, Bates College, and the University of Lewiston Auburn in such close proximity to our High School, which both offer diverse course offerings and skilled educators.

WHEREAS, the State of Maine has authorized a dual enrollment program that allows all Maine High School Students to attend up to 2, 3 credit classes per semester on site within the University and Community College System at little to no cost.

WHEREAS, credits earned through the dual enrollment program are transferable through the University and Community College system within Maine as well as other post-secondary institutions, thereby significantly offsetting the upfront cost and future debt encumbered by our residents.

WHEREAS, there are currently obstacles that prevent our students from fully utilizing the benefits of dual enrollment such as transportation and current high school schedules.

LET IT BE RESOLVED that the Auburn City Council encourages the Auburn School Committee Chair to create a stakeholder group made up of leaders from the business community, educators, parents, and municipal staff who will assess, evaluate, and take appropriate action to eliminate those obstacles within our control, such as modifying ELHS class schedule, and solving transportation challenges all of which prevent students from fully and seamlessly integrating post-secondary courses with High School curriculum and experience.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the need is urgent and any solutions from the stakeholder group being proposed should be considered for the fall of 2022.

Passage on 4/4/2022, 7-0.

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