

**RESOLUTION #09/10-15
CITY OF DAYTON, OREGON**

Title: A Resolution Supporting the Implementation of the Yamhill County 10 Year Plan to End Homelessness Now

WHEREAS, safe and decent shelter is one of the most basic of all human needs; and

WHEREAS, the lack of adequate and affordable housing is being felt by individuals of all ages and income levels; and

WHEREAS, inadequate housing and homelessness make it more difficult for children to learn, adults to be productive, and people of all ages to stay healthy; and represents an economic burden on the community, especially the public safety and public health systems; and

WHEREAS, many non-profit groups, individuals, and government agencies in Yamhill County are working valiantly to address shelter needs; and

WHEREAS, the local resources to deal with the problem fall far short of the need, with housing and shelter programs of all types reporting long waiting lists; and

WHEREAS, the federal government has adopted a ten-year goal to end homelessness, and has asked local jurisdictions to join in this effort; and

WHEREAS, the abolition of homelessness, especially chronic homelessness and offering transitional housing, requires collaboration and coordination of resources at all levels of government, together with community institutions, non-profit organizations, businesses, faith-based organizations and interested individuals to best accomplish this goal;

The City of Dayton resolves as follows:

THAT the City of Dayton supports implementation of the Yamhill County 10 Year Plan to End Homelessness Now and will strive to achieve its goals through working with other governmental partners at all levels, community institutions, non-profit organizations, businesses, faith-based organizations, and interested individuals in Dayton and Yamhill County; and

THAT this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED this 5th day of **October, 2009**.

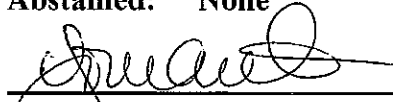
In Favor: Blackburn, Dickson, Evers, Hensley, Wytoski

Opposed: None

Absent: Henry, White

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Abstained: None

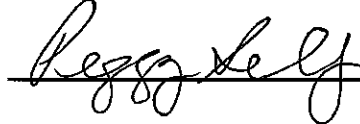


Jolie White, Mayor

10/16/09

Date of Signing

ATTEST:



**Peggy Selberg
City Recorder**

10/5/09

Date of Enactment