

RESOLUTION NO. 14-34

A RESOLUTION RESCINDING RESOLUTION NO. 01-27 AND ACKNOWLEDGING OREGON CITY – TATESHINA CULTURAL EXCHANGE COMMITTEE, INC. (DBA: OREGON CITY – TATESHINA SISTER CITY COMMITTEE) AS THE ENTITY CHARGED, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, WITH PROMOTING AND MAINTAINING THE SISTER CITY RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN OREGON CITY AND TATESHINA, JAPAN.

**WHEREAS**, on August 7, 1974 the City of Oregon City extended an invitation to Tateshina, Japan via Resolution No. 74-22 to become Oregon City's Sister City; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Oregon City and the City of Tateshina, Japan have been involved in a sister city relationship for the past 40 years; and

**WHEREAS**, the sister city relationship with Tateshina has resulted in significant benefits to both Tateshina and Oregon City in terms of international benefits as well as cultural and educational benefits; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oregon City – Tateshina Sister City Committee has worked to develop the relationship and exchange of information with Tateshina; and

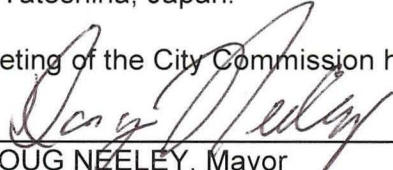
**WHEREAS**, the OREGON CITY – TATESHINA CULTURAL EXCHANGE COMMITTEE, INC. ( DBA Oregon City – Tateshina Sister City Committee) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation; and

**WHEREAS**, Oregon City wishes to continue to continue and strengthen the long-standing relationship between the cities and allow the Oregon City – Tateshina Sister City Committee to represent the City in the relationship.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Commission of the City of Oregon City, Oregon, as follows:

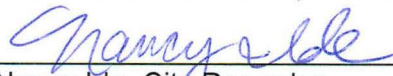
1. The Oregon City – Tateshina Sister City Committee is hereby recognized as the official committee continuing to promote the City of Oregon City's Sister City relationship with Tateshina, Japan.
2. The Mayor or designee shall serve as an ex-officio member on the Oregon City – Tateshina Sister City Committee Board of Directors.
3. The City Commission authorizes the City Manager or designee to sign any reasonably necessary agreements with the Oregon City – Tateshina Sister City Committee and make any necessary amendments in the future to keep a good working relationship between the City and the Oregon City – Tateshina Sister City Committee.
4. Nothing in this Resolution should be construed as limiting the City of Oregon City or its officials from representing Oregon City in their official capacity directly or indirectly in interactions with representatives or citizens of Tateshina, Japan.


Approved and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Commission held on the 17th day of December 2014.

  
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DOUG NEELEY, Mayor

Attested to this 17th day of December 2014:

Approved as to legal sufficiency:

  
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Nancy Ide, City Recorder

  
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City Attorney