

RESOLUTION NO. 16-14

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE OREGON CITY HIGH SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION GROUP

OREGON CITY MAKES THE FOLLOWING FINDINGS:

WHEREAS, The Oregon City High School Construction Group provides an excellent opportunity for students to gain experience in project management and construction techniques; and

WHEREAS, the construction projects that are completed by the program provide students with job experiences that are directly related to construction and building knowledge that can lead directly to employment opportunities in the construction and development industry; and

WHEREAS, the Oregon City High School Construction Group provides an opportunity for local students to improve their community through the projects they complete; and

WHEREAS, the program has completed numerous projects in several Oregon City Parks, including Clackamette Park, Wesley Lynn Park, Hillendale Park, Barclay Park and at the End of the Oregon Territory Museum; and

WHEREAS, the improvements to the parks have included a new stage, playground equipment, kiosks, dugouts, a restroom, a pavilion, paths, arbors, benches and bird houses; and

WHEREAS, since 2008 the program has received grants to complete over \$150,000 worth of improvements, which does not include volunteer time and donated resources; and

WHEREAS, the projects that have been completed are of a high quality and craftsmanship and have improved the park experience for Oregon City residents and other users; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission congratulates Mr. Britt Tucker on leading this program and on his upcoming retirement; and


WHEREAS, the City Commission of Oregon City recognizes the educational benefits for the students that participate in the program and the improvements to the City's park system through the completion of their projects; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission would like to make their appreciation known for our relationship with the Oregon City School District and that the City Commission supports the continuation of the Oregon City High School Construction Group for the educational opportunities provided to students and the benefits to the community through the projects completed.

NOW, THEREFORE, OREGON CITY RESOLVES:

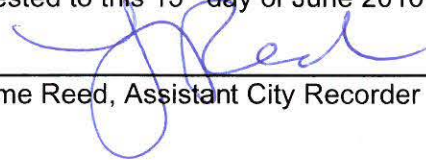
Section 1. Based on the educational opportunity, job training and demonstrated benefits to the community, the City Commission encourages the Oregon City School District to continue to support the funding and staffing of the Oregon City High School Construction Group as a program available to students.

Approved and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Commission held on the 15th day of June 2016.




DAN HOLLADAY, Mayor

Attested to this 15th day of June 2016:



Jaime Reed, Assistant City Recorder

Approved as to legal sufficiency:



City Attorney