

RESOLUTION NO. 24 FOR 2003

A RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT REOPENING THE SWEET HOME CITY LIBRARY

WHEREAS, the City of Sweet Home dedicated a new library in 1969, and has had a long and consistent history of supporting its public library; and

WHEREAS, the numbers of users of said library have consistently increased over the years; and

WHEREAS, the tax levy needed to fund the continued operation of the Library ended June, 2003, and the library was closed; and

WHEREAS, the amount of the requested tax levy has been reduced since the May election to provide the same level of service as the past four years for the next four years; and

WHEREAS, for many years our City Library has been a vital part of making our community a better place to live by providing young and old the opportunity to read a book of their choice, to research information on various subjects, for access to computer and video information, for story time for many children and other services to encourage learning; and

WHEREAS, without the availability of our City Library the citizens of this community will be deprived of this access to a world of information;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT: the Sweet Home City Council does hereby proclaim their support for said library, and furthermore, urges the citizens to support this election to reopen the City Library, and to submit their ballots on or before Sept. 10, 2003.

This resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED by the Council and approved by the Mayor this 12th day of August, 2003.



Mayor


for _____
City Manager-Ex Officio City Recorder