

**CITY OF BROOKINGS  
STATE OF OREGON**

**RESOLUTION 17-R-1095**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF BROOKINGS PROCLAIMING APRIL 30 AS ELMO WILLIAMS DAY IN THE CITY OF BROOKINGS.**

**WHEREAS**, Elmo Williams was an Academy Award winning film editor who was involved in many of Hollywood's most notable films including High Noon, The Longest Day, Cleopatra and Tora-Tora-Tora; and

**WHEREAS**, Elmo Williams served as Head of Production for 20<sup>th</sup> Century Fox; and

**WHEREAS**, Elmo Williams and his wife Lorraine retired and relocated to Brookings, adopting the City as their new home town; and

**WHEREAS**, Elmo Williams became a cultural resource advocate in his new home community, supporting local theater productions, organizing the Azalea Park Foundation and funding the construction of the Capella by the Sea at Azalea Park; and

**WHEREAS**, Elmo Williams, even as he advanced in age, was an inspiration for many and a driving force behind community promotion and cultural affairs; and

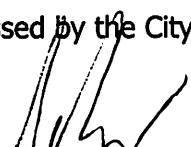
**WHEREAS**, Elmo Williams passed while a resident of the City of Brookings at Age 102; and

**WHEREAS**, The spirit of Elmo Williams is still held in the hearts of many Brookings residents.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the City Council of the City of Brookings, Curry County, Oregon, does hereby proclaim April 30 as "Elmo Williams Day" within the City of Brookings, and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Council calls upon all residents to reflect upon the life and community contributions of Elmo Williams as they go about their daily lives as community members.

Passed by the City Council January 9, 2017 ; effective January 9, 2017.

  
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Mayor Jake Pieper

Attest:

  
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City Recorder Teri Davis