

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION

LAURALEE SNOOK

RESOLUTION 16-R-1092 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BROOKINGS COMMENDING LAURALEE SNOOK UPON THE OCCASION OF HER RETIREMENT

WHEREAS, LauraLee Snook has announced her retirement from public service as Director of Public Works and Development Services and as Building Official for the City of Brookings effective September 30, 2016; and

WHEREAS, said retirement will bring to a close a 26 year career of exceptional public service to the citizens of Brookings and Curry County, including 17 years with the City of Brookings and nine years with Curry County; and

WHEREAS, LauraLee Snook is highly regarded in her profession and within the building trades community; and

WHEREAS, LauraLee Snook has developed a reputation as assisting many individual homeowners and property owners in developing and processing development and improvement plans with great sensitivity to the owner-builder; and

WHEREAS, LauraLee Snook has been an integral member of the City Management Team, coordinating services with other departments and providing management support to the City Council and advisory commissions; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City Council of the City of Brookings to recognize the many accomplishments and contributions to the community made by LauraLee Snook; and

WHEREAS, among those accomplishments have been managing the construction of the Emergency Operating Center and the Brookings Airport Infrastructure Project; implementing internal policies and procedures to improve service to the public; and

WHEREAS, LauraLee Snook was one of the first ten women in Oregon to earn the title Building Official, and she also served as President of the Southern Oregon Building Codes Council; and

WHEREAS, with safety as her top core value, LauraLee Snook helped people achieve what they want, correctly within the codes and rules, adding value in every way and gaining new recruits and believers in the value of those codes and standards; and

WHEREAS, LauraLee Snook never hesitated to share her skills and knowledge with others, both builders and new inspectors alike, in an open and caring way demonstrating wisdom and sound judgment at every turn; and

WHEREAS, her service to the community has included many volunteer contributions, including service on the Board of Directors of the South Coast Humane Society as well as devoted fund raising efforts.

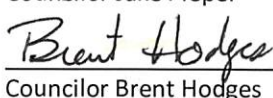
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Brookings does hereby commend LauraLee Snook for her outstanding public service and wishes her well in her retirement years ahead.



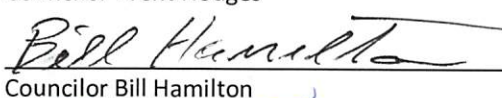
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