

RESOLUTION NO. 949-R

**A RESOLUTION STATING THE CITY OF TROUTDALE'S SUPPORT
IN CREATING AN AMTRAK STOP IN TROUTDALE.**

WHEREAS, The City of Troutdale's origins were centered on the railroad and it is fitting that passenger trains once again stop in Troutdale; and

WHEREAS, The growth in population, business and industry would be better served by railroad passenger needs and would assist in a reduction of vehicle traffic into downtown Portland where the nearest station is located; and


WHEREAS, Troutdale's current development is keyed to tourist traffic and draws many tourists and visitors; and the strategic location of Troutdale, at the edge of the Portland area urban growth boundary and the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area make the City an ideal place for staging alternative forms of transportation serving the greater Portland area, as well as visitors to the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area; and

WHEREAS, There has been demonstrated success of the Troutdale Aero-Fair, the Mt. Hood Jazz Festival, Windjam Northwest, and the Multnomah Kennel Club in attracting visitors and tourists to East Multnomah County; and the success of these and numerous other events and activities spells a need for an Amtrak stop in Troutdale to permit the packaging of tours and trips using Amtrak.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROUTDALE THAT The City of Troutdale supports the Troutdale Area Chamber of Commerce request in developing an Amtrak stop in Troutdale, Oregon.

ADOPTED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROUTDALE THIS 24TH DAY OF MARCH, 1992.

YEAS: 4
NAYS: 0
ABSTAINED: 0



Sam K. Cox, Mayor

Dated: March 25, 1992

ATTEST:



Valerie J. Raglione, CMC
City Recorder