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## RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR THE CODIFICATION OF ORDINANCES

WHEREAS, in the development of the city of Lebenon there have been enacted over a period of years many ordinances which, by reason of the passage of time, are obsolete, or which, by reason of subsequent state statutes and constitutional provisions, are now invalid, or which duplicate or conflict with previously enacted ordinances, resulting in a confusion of city records; and

WHEREAS, it is the belief of the common council that a systematic compilation of the city's ordinances is both desirable and necessary so that city officials and employes, as well as attorneys and citizens, shall at all times have ready access to the existing ordinances of the city; and

WHEREAS, the preparation of an ordinance code involving the elimination of all obsolete, invalid, and conflicting ordinances and the classification of all active and valid ordinances is a technical and time-consuming task boyond the scope of work of the present regular employes of the city; and

WHEREAS, the League of Oregon Cities and the Bureau of Municipal Research and Service of the University of Oregon, in their cooperative efforts to promote better municipal government, have developed a procedure for the compilation of ordinances; and

WHEREAS, for the purpose of enabling cities to clarify their records by preserving their active ordinances, eliminating and repealing obsolete, conflicting, and void ordinances, properly indexing and cross-indexing the active ordinances, cellecting, compiling, and indexing the existing charters and amendments, the Bureau of Municipal Research and Service of the University of Oregon has sponsored and received federal approval of a Werks Progress Administration project which will provide for the employment of competent stenographic assistance in the preparation of a permanent ordinance code for cities wishing to participate in this program; and

WHEREAS, under this project the typing and classification work necessary in codifying and indexing the ordinances of the city of Lebanon will be provided by W. P. A. and the only cost to the city will be that for the legal and supervisory services and the supplies required; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the city of Lebanon hereby authorizes and requests the League of Oregon Cities and the Bureau of Municipal Research and Service to codify the ordinances and charter of the city of Lebanon furnishing free to the city such services as are available under the W. P. A. project; and

\$ 250.00 for supervisory and legal services, including stationery, supplies, and an ordinance record book required in the preparation of an ordinance and charter code.

Approved for the city of Lebanon this lith day of November, 1938.

Attest:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the city of Lebanon

authorizes payment to the League of Oregon Cities a sum not to exceed