A RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE OREGON ) CASCADES WEST COUNCIL OF ) GOVERNMENTS' TRI-COUNTY HIGHWAY ) TASK FORCE'S STATEMENT TO THE ) OREGON TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION ) REGARDING THE 1995-1998 STATE ) TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT ) PROGRAM (STIP). )

for 1994

WHEREAS, the City of Lebanon has reviewed the Oregon Cascades West Council of Governments' statement, presented to the Oregon Transportation Commission on June 15, 1994, regarding the State Transportation Improvement Program; and,

WHEREAS, the statement represents a consensus of local jurisdictions concerning the importance of retaining the Van Buren Bridge replacement project in the 1995-1998 STIP; and,

WHEREAS, the statement represents a consensus of local jurisdictions concerning the importance of retaining the US Hwy 20 Pioneer Mountain-Eddyville project in the STIP for Right of Way Acquisition in 1996; and,

WHEREAS, the statement represents a consensus of local jurisdictions concerning the need for improved communication and coordination by Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) with local and regional jurisdictions;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Lebanon hereby approves and endorses the statement without farther jeopardizing the projects already proposed in the 1995-1998 STIP, and authorizes staff and elected officials to actively pursue incorporation of the projects in the STIP as listed, and to promote measures to assure increased cooperation and coordination by ODOT.

Passed by the Council by a vote of <u>6</u> for and <u>0</u> against and approved by the Mayor this <u>day of </u>, 1994.

Robert G. Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:

Joseph A. Windell, City Administrator