

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE SUPPORT OF)
THE CITY OF LEBANON FOR A MICROENTERPRISE) RESOLUTION NO. 10
ASSISTANCE GRANT SUBMITTED BY WILLAMETTE)
NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING SERVICES FOR THE) for 2008
LINN-BENTON MICROBUSINESS PROGRAM)

WHEREAS, the Oregon Economic & Community Development Department has announced guidelines for its 2008 Method of Distribution for Community Development Block Grants for Microenterprise Assistance; and

WHEREAS, Willamette Neighborhood Housing Services has prepared a project proposal to request such a grant for the Linn-Benton MicroBusiness Program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lebanon, as a public agency supports the development of microenterprise businesses commonly defined as a business with fewer than five employees and with capital needs of under \$35,000; and

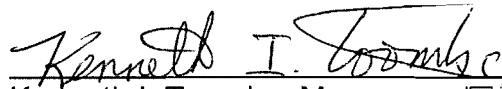
WHEREAS, the City of Lebanon is forming a regional microenterprise assistance program with the Cities of Albany and Sweet Home and Linn and Benton Counties to support economic development through microenterprise services; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lebanon recognizes that Benton County is the lead applicant for this proposal and will act on the regional program's behalf as lead applicant,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City of Lebanon declares its support of the Linn-Benton MicroBusiness Program grant application for microenterprise development services throughout the area of the regional program.


Section 1. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage.

Passed by the Lebanon City Council by a vote of 5 for and 0 against on this 12th day of March 2008.



Kenneth I. Toombs, Mayor
Bob Elliott, Council President

ATTEST:



Linda Kaser, City Clerk/Recorder