

City of Sherwood, Oregon
RESOLUTION NO. 90-479

A RESOLUTION ENDORSING WASHINGTON COUNTY'S SOLID WASTE SYSTEM PLAN CURRENTLY UNDER CONSIDERATION BY THE METROPOLITAN SERVICE DISTRICT, AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Policy 16.0 of METRO's Regional Solid Waste Management Plan (RSWMP) states that "the implementation of the Solid Waste Management Plan shall give priority to solutions developed at the local level that are consistent with all plan policies".

WHEREAS, the Washington County Solid Waste System Design Steering Committee has developed a Solid Waste Systems Plan consistent with the provisions of Policy 16.0 of the RSWMP; and

WHEREAS, the City of Sherwood participated in the development of the Washington County Solid Waste System Plan through its representation on the Steering Committee; and

WHEREAS, this System Plan was reviewed in-depth at a joint METRO Council/Steering Committee work session on Saturday, October 20, 1990; and

WHEREAS, the fundamental components of this System Plan are consistent with land use and transportation plans in Washington County; and

WHEREAS, the System Plan is based on the principle that all areas of the County should share responsibility for addressing the solid waste issue, with no area having primary or sole responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the decentralized approach taken in the System Plan includes the following main provisions:

1. Two small, privately-owned transfer stations in the near future, one an expanded version of the current Forest Grove station, the other to be sited in Wilsonville.
2. A high-grade facility, if needed, in the Highway 217 corridor and a final solid waste facility, if needed by year 2003, in the Sunset Corridor.

3. Strict tonnage limitations at these facilities in order to ensure that they will not grow to be too large in the future.
4. Reliance on high levels of recycling and source separation of materials to minimize the need for future solid waste facilities.

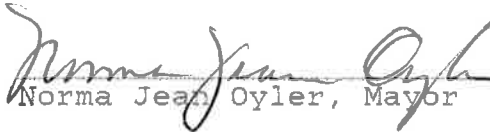
NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Endorsement. The City hereby extends its support for, and endorsement of, the Washington County Solid Waste System Plan.

Section 2. Recommendation. The City recommends to the METRO Council the adoption of this System Plan into METRO's Regional Solid Waste Management Plan.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective upon approval and adoption.

Duly passed by the City Council on November 28, 1990.


Norma Jean Oyler, Mayor

Attest:


Polly Blankenbaker
City Recorder