

Resolution 2003 -028

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH WASHINGTON COUNTY FOR DEVELOPMENT OF WEST NILE VIRUS RESPONSE PLAN.

WHEREAS, ORS 190.003 – 190.110 encourages intergovernmental cooperation and authorizes local government entities to delegate to each other authority to perform their respective functions as necessary; and

WHEREAS, ORS 190.010 authorizes the parties to enter into this Agreement for the performance of any or all functions and activities that a party to the Agreement has authority to perform; and

WHEREAS, the West Nile Virus, whose vector is the mosquito, is expected to arrive in Oregon during the spring of 2003; and

WHEREAS, the arrival of this virus demands a response that is regionally coordinated, effective, ecologically sound, and proportional to the potential risks presented by the virus;

WHEREAS, the City has responsibilities to protect human health and the environment; and

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Manager or Mayor is authorized to enter into and sign the Intergovernmental Agreement with Washington County for the development of a West Nile Virus Response Plan (Attached); and

Section 2. Instructs the City of Sherwood Natural Resource Specialist to carry out the responsibilities described in Attachment A, "Local Jurisdiction Responsibilities", Items 1 through 5 and 7; and

Section 3. Instructs the City of Sherwood Operations Division to carry out the responsibilities described in Attachment A "Local Jurisdiction Responsibilities", Items 6 and 8; and

<u>Section 4.</u> Instructs City Staff to conduct an annual evaluation of the effectiveness of this agreement prior to the agreed to expiration date of December 31, 2003 (the Agreement shall be automatically renewed until December 31, 2004, unless otherwise amended).

Duly passed by the City Council this 22nd day of April, 2003.

Mark O. Cottle, Mayor

ATTEST

C.L. Wiley, Cit Recorder

RESOLUTION 2003-028 EXHIBIT A

Statement of Responsibilities

County's Responsibilities:

- 1. County shall coordinate efforts to meet the goals of the State Health Service's West Nile Virus (WNV) response plan.
- 2. County shall coordinate public education related to matters of public health and human behavior throughout Washington County.
- 3. County shall work with state and local health, veterinarian, agricultural, and wildlife organizations to survey and track human, equine, and avian cases of WNV. County shall alert those subject to this Intergovernmental Agreement of confirmed cases.
- 4. County shall employ an entomologist to design/develop sampling program, train Clean Water Services and Local Jurisdictions (Cities) staff on sampling process, process mosquito larva, and collect and process adult samples.
- 5. County shall develop a complaint log, train appropriate staff and partners, maintain a database mapping complaints and surveillance findings.

Local Jurisdiction RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Local Jurisdiction shall utilize and distribute public education materials provided by the County and CWS, in order to maintain a consistent regional communication strategy.
- 2. Local Jurisdiction shall report mosquito complaints to the County.
- 3. Local jurisdictions shall work with county-contracted entomologist to design/develop and conduct a regional water sampling regime that will include representative catch basins, storm water facilities, and natural wetlands throughout areas within their boundaries throughout the mosquito season (March thru October).
- 4. Local jurisdictions shall deliver water/larva samples to County entomologist for processing and tracking.
- 5. Local Jurisdiction shall actively educate neighborhood associations, community participation organizations, and other citizen groups, and encourage private property source reduction efforts and other personal behaviors that will reduce risk of exposure.
- Local Jurisdiction shall maintain catch basins and storm water facilities to limit the presence of standing water and decaying organic debris (particularly dead cattails and grass clippings).
- 7. Local Jurisdiction shall install habitat features as appropriate to promote amphibian, bird, and predatory insect (dragonfly) populations that feed on mosquito larva.
- 8. Local Jurisdiction shall implement mosquito control tasks based on public health risk as determined by the County.

The parties agree that there will be no monetary compensation paid to the other, that each shall bear their own costs and that reasonable and beneficial consideration exists to support this agreement.