AGE FRIENDLY REGION DESIGNATION RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the health and safety of residents of all ages is of highest concern to the cities and counties in Region 10; and

WHEREAS, Region 10 is comprised of 14 Counties and 43 cities with an estimated population of 350,000, and

WHEREAS, as the Region 10 population ages and people stay healthy and active longer, communities must adapt; and

WHEREAS, planning processes including housing, transportation, community revitalization and economic development plans should include the needs of all people regardless of age, income, physical ability, race, and other factors of older adults; and

WHEREAS, community decisions on land-use, housing, and transportation should be consistent with comprehensive plans that have been developed with public input; and

WHEREAS, the cities and counties in Region 10 are committed to giving their older residents the opportunity to live rewarding, productive and safe lives;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that in order to ensure Region 10 is a well-designed, livable region that promotes health and sustained economic growth for residents of all ages, the counties and jurisdictions within support the planning process and agree to participate in the application process to be designated an "Age Friendly Region".

Adopted this the 12 day of Agril 2020.

Mayor/County/Commissioner Chair

City/County Clerk