

RESOLUTION NO. 1026

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON, ENDORSING THE BALLOT PROPOSITION TO CONSTRUCT AND EQUIP A NEW LIBRARY WITHIN THE REDMOND CITY LIMITS, AND SUPPORTING ITS PASSAGE ON SEPTEMBER 17, 1996.

WHEREAS, population growth in the City of Redmond ("the City") has resulted in increased usage of the Redmond Library and larger collection needs, and

WHEREAS, the City is expected to grow from its present population of 40,000 persons to over 51,000 persons by the year 2012, and

WHEREAS, the current library facility cannot be sufficiently expanded and retrofitted to include additional materials, computers, information and communications infrastructure, and

WHEREAS, additional workstations and reference materials are vital to the health of the Redmond business community, and

WHEREAS, additional meeting space contributes to the well-being of the community, and

WHEREAS, additional materials and resources in the library collection support the learning activities of residents of all ages, and

WHEREAS, a new library will mean more materials, more access, and more services, and

WHEREAS, a new library will help fulfill the promise "Redmond Reads!", and

WHEREAS, a new, larger library contributes significantly to the quality of life in the City, and

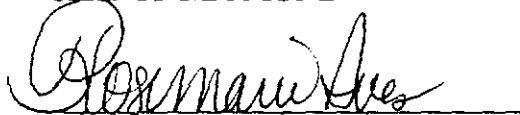
WHEREAS, a new library will help position City citizens and businesses to respond effectively to the challenges of information in the 21st century, and

WHEREAS, a new library is in the best interests of the citizens of Redmond, NOW, THEREFORE,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND HEREBY RESOLVES to endorse the passage of the September 17, 1996 ballot propositions creating the Library Capital Facilities Area and providing bond financing of \$7 million to construct and equip a new library within the City of Redmond .

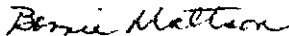
RESOLVED this 16th day of July, 1996.

CITY OF REDMOND



ROSEMARIE IVES, MAYOR

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:



BONNIE MATTSON, CITY CLERK

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK:
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL:
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