

RESOLUTION NO. 988

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
REDMOND, WASHINGTON, SUPPORTING REFERENDUM
43, FOR RE-AUTHORIZATION OF THE OMNIBUS DRUG
ACT

WHEREAS, the Omnibus Drug Act provides critical resources for addressing the broad range of drug related problems that plague our state, particularly crime, violence, and joblessness; and

WHEREAS, the Act incorporates a comprehensive, long term approach to treat and prevent chemical dependency and supports programs that include drug and alcohol treatment, law enforcement, education, social services, and criminal justice assistance; and

WHEREAS, failure to pass Referendum 43 will mean the loss of important services and severely impact our ability to deal with the issues of drug and alcohol abuse, and related problems such as crime, youth violence and family dysfunction; and

WHEREAS, enhanced penalties in the 1994 Violence Reduction Act will be null and void without this funding, as specifically stated in the legislation; and

WHEREAS, new funds provided through the Omnibus Drug Act will expand and support service restructuring, community networks, and provide much needed additional funding for community priorities in combating youth violence;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:


Section 1. The City of Redmond supports the passage of Referendum 43 and endorses the continuation of the Omnibus Drug Act indefinitely.

Dated this 4th day of October, 1994

CITY OF REDMOND


MAYOR, ROSEMARIE M. IVES

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:


CITY CLERK, DORIS A. SCHAIBLE

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