

**CITY OF ORTING  
WASHINGTON  
RESOLUTION NO. 2017-05**

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**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ORTING,  
WASHINGTON, DECLARING A PUBLIC PURPOSE AND  
AUTHORIZING CITY SPONSORSHIP OF THE ORTING  
ROCK FESTIVAL**

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**WHEREAS**, the City of Orting has adopted a Special Event Sponsorship Policy (the “Policy”) to extend City-sponsorship to events that the City Council determines serve valid municipal purposes; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with the Policy, sponsorship is extended to events upon application, on a case-by-case basis and at various levels of support depending on the determined value the event has for the community; and

**WHEREAS**, upon a declaration by the City Council that a particular event qualifies for City-sponsorship, the event may be entitled to use of city facilities and services without charge; and

**WHEREAS**, the City received an application for City-sponsorship for the Orting Rock Festival (the “Event”), which is hosted by the Opportunity Center of Orting, a non-profit registered with the Washington Secretary of State; and

**WHEREAS**, the Orting Rock Festival is an event which started in 2016, dedicated to fundraising for organizations who support Orting’s most vulnerable citizens, including its youth, including previous efforts that led to the donation of 300lbs of food to the Orting Food Bank in 2016; and

**WHEREAS**, the Orting Rock Festival collaborates with many local business owners to maximize its fundraising efforts; and

**WHEREAS**, the Orting Rock Festival is hosted this year by the Opportunity Center of Orting, a non-profit that operates a center dedicated to building community youth leaders, providing trained staff to guide youth to build healthy lifestyles and to give the youth a place to call home; and

**WHEREAS**, the Orting Rock Festival will also provide funding from its proceeds from this year’s Event to the Orting Food Bank, a non-profit that provides food to those with limited resources in Orting; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council’s Community & Government Affairs Committee reviewed the application on June 2, 2017, and recommended approval of the Event for City-sponsorship; and

**WHEREAS**, the Event is open to the public, and serves valid municipal purposes including but not limited to providing an opportunity for strengthening the City's sense of community, providing resources for the City's most vulnerable populations, and proving support for the elderly and youth of the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council finds that the Orting Rock Festival's application meets the requirements of the City's Policy, and qualifies for City-sponsorship as an event serving the valid municipal purposes described herein; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the City Council of the City of Orting, Washington, do resolve as follows:

**Section 1. Declaration of Public Purpose.** The City Council declares that the Orting Rock Festival, hosted by the Opportunity Center of Orting, is an event open to the public, which serves the valid municipal purposes described herein.

**Section 2. Authorization for Sponsorship of Event.** The City Council authorizes the City's sponsorship of the Orting Rock Festival, hosted by the Opportunity Center of Orting, pursuant to the City's Policy, at the Tier # 2 level. This authorization extends to each event identified on the application for sponsorship, dated June 15, 2017. The Mayor is authorized to enter into a contract with the Opportunity Center of Orting to memorialize the City's sponsorship described herein.

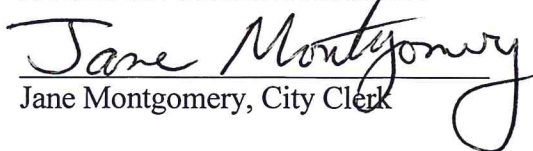
**Section 3. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its passage.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF ON THE 14<sup>th</sup> DAY OF JUNE, 2017.**

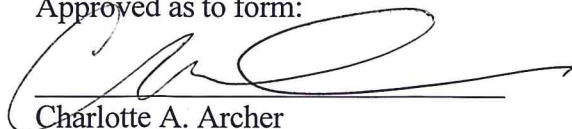
CITY OF ORTING

  
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