

**CITY OF ORTING
WASHINGTON
RESOLUTION NO. 2017-04**

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**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ORTING,
WASHINGTON, DECLARING A PUBLIC PURPOSE AND
AUTHORIZING CITY SPONSORSHIP OF THE ORTING
VALLEY FARMER'S MARKET.**

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 value the event has for the community; and

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

WHEREAS, the City received an application for sponsorship from the Orting Valley Farmer's Market; and

WHEREAS, the City Council's Community & Government Affairs Committee reviewed the application on April 28th, 2017, and recommended approval of the application; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the Orting Valley Farmer's Market has been an institution of public service for many years, is open to the public, and serves the valid municipal purposes of providing an opportunity for strengthening the City's sense of community and celebrating the agricultural assets that are fundamental to the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the Orting Valley Famer's Market's application meets the requirements of the City's Policy, and qualifies for City-sponsorship as an event serving valid municipal purposes; 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 Valley Farmer's Market 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 Valley Farmer's Market, pursuant to the City's Policy, at the Tier # 1 level. This authorization extends to each event identified on the Orting Valley Farmer's

Market's application for sponsorship, including the Farmer's Markets to be held every Friday between June 9, 2017, and September 1, 2017, and the Pumpkin Fest, date to be determined. The Mayor is authorized to enter into a contract with the Orting Valley Farmer's market 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 10th DAY OF MAY, 2017.


CITY OF ORTING


Joachim Pestinger, Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:


Jane Montgomery, City Clerk

Approved as to form:


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