RESOLUTION NO. 2018-07-472

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WHITE SALMON, WASHINGTON REQUESTING KLICKITAT COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO PLACE A PROPOSITION ON THE NOVEMBER 6, 2018 GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT TO PUT THE FORMATION OF THE WHITE SALMON VALLEY POOL METROPOLITAN PARK DISTRICT WITH AUTHORITY LIMITED TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW WHITE SALMON VALLEY PUBLIC POOL, OPERATION OF THAT FACILITY AND THE INTERIM OPERATION AND DECOMMISSIONING OF THE EXISTING WHITE SALMON CITY POOL, PRESENTLY OWNED BY THE CITY OF WHITE SALMON. TO THE VOTERS

WHEREAS, the current White Salmon Community Pool has seen the end of its life; and

WHEREAS, certain citizens of west Klickitat County (within the boundaries of the White Salmon Valley School District), the City of White Salmon, and the City of Bingen desire to construct and operate a new community pool; and

WHEREAS, certain citizens of west Klickitat County (within the boundaries of the White Salmon Valley School District), the City of White Salmon, and the City of Bingen feel it is in the best interests of the community to form a Metropolitan Park District with authority limited to the construction and operation of a new White Salmon Valley Pool, and interim operation and decommissioning of the existing White Salmon City Pool presently owned by the City of White Salmon, organized under RCW Chapter 35.61;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WHITE SALMON, WASHINGTON, DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1. Request for Placing Proposition on November 6, 2018 General Election Ballot.</u> The City of White Salmon, Washington, hereby requests that Klickitat County Board of Commissioners, through the Auditor's Office, place the following proposition on the November 6, 2018 general election ballot regarding the formation of a Metropolitan Park District.

PROPOSITION 1: Klickitat County Resolution No. _____ and City of White Salmon Resolution No. 2018-07-472 and City of Bingen Resolution No. 2018-024 jointly propose the creation of the White Salmon Valley Pool Metropolitan Park District within that portion of the White Salmon Valley School District limits as now or hereafter established lying within Klickitat County with authority limited to construct, operate and maintain a White Salmon Valley swimming pool. If approved the proposition would create an MPD with the powers and duties provided by 35.61 RCW, including but not limited to the authority to levy a maximum of \$0.75 per thousand dollars of assessed property value with an initial levy of \$0.25 per thousand dollars of assessed value. The District shall be governed by a five-member Board of Commissioners to be elected at large.

Section 2. Boundaries of the White Salmon Valley Pool Metropolitan Park District. The
boundaries of the White Salmon Valley School district should encompass that portion of the White Salmon Valley School District boundary limits lying within Klickitat County as now or hereafter established.
ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of White Salmon, Washington, at a regularly scheduled open public meeting thereof this 18 th day of July, 2018.
David R. Poucher, Mayor
Attest:
Jan Brending, Clerk-Treasurer

[] For the formation of a metropolitan park district to be governed by a five-member

board of commissioners to be elected at-large.

[] Against the formation of a metropolitan park district.

Approved as to Form:

Kenneth Woodrich, City Attorney