



## RESOLUTION 2018-066

### RECOMMENDING LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES TO LEAGUE OF OREGON CITIES FOR THE 2019 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

**WHEREAS**, the League of Oregon Cities (LOC) establishes policy committees in the year prior to regular session of the Oregon legislature; and

**WHEREAS**, these policy committees develop a range of legislative objectives for consideration by the 241 member cities of the LOC; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Sherwood is a member of the LOC and has been requested to provide both its top four and bottom four priorities from a list of twenty-eight (28) legislative priorities developed by the eight policy committees; and

**WHEREAS**, the Sherwood City Council reviewed the list of legislative priorities prior to a Council work session that was held on June 19, 2018; and

**WHEREAS**, members of the Sherwood City Council individually ranked their respective top four and bottom four priorities during the Council work session; and

**WHEREAS**, the consensus from the work session was that PERS Reform, Mental Health Investment, Property Tax Reform and Speed Cameras were the top four priorities of the City of Sherwood; and

**WHEREAS**, the consensus from the work session was that Tobacco Taxes Share Increase, Wood Smoke Reduction Program Support, Carbon Cap-and-Trade Program Adoption and Beer and Cider Tax Increase were the bottom four priorities of the City of Sherwood; and

**WHEREAS**, with the passage of this Resolution, the requested ballot from the LOC will be submitted by the City Manager indicating this information; and

**WHEREAS**, the LOC Board of Directors will utilize these submitted priorities along with input from other member cities to develop the League of Oregon Cities 2019 legislative agenda.

### **NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF SHERWOOD RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** The City Manager is hereby directed to submit a legislative priorities ballot to the League of Oregon Cities indicating that the top four priorities of the City of Sherwood are PERS Reform, Mental Health Investment, Property Tax Reform and Speed Cameras and the

lowest four priorities of the City of Sherwood are Tobacco Taxes Share Increase, Wood Smoke Reduction Program Support, Carbon Cap-and-Trade Program Adoption and Beer and Cider Tax Increase, and to take such further additional action as may be necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

**Section 2.** This Resolution shall be effective upon its approval and adoption.

**Duly passed by the City Council this 17th of July, 2018.**

  
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Keith Mays, Mayor

Attest:

  
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Sylvia Murphy, MMC, City Recorder