

1 CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF KEIZER, STATE OF OREGON

2 Resolution R2003-1391

3 ADOPTING COUNCIL POLICY OF NON-INVOLVEMENT IN STATE
4 AND FEDERAL POLICY ISSUES

5 WHEREAS, the main role of the City of Keizer is to attend to the traditional local
6 affairs of the citizens including such areas as transportation, land use planning, local
7 policy or ordinance development, law enforcement and public utility service;

8 WHEREAS, the involvement of the City Council in state and federal issues that
9 do not affect the City of Keizer's traditional roles and operations serves as a distraction
10 with little or no identifiable positive result to city operations;

11 WHEREAS, it is necessary and appropriate to set policy for current and future
12 Councils to avoid being embroiled in state and federal policy issues that detract from the
13 necessary and traditional role of city government;

14 NOW, THEREFORE,

15 BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Keizer that the City
16 Council shall not take a position on issues of state or federal policy unless such policies
17 affect the City of Keizer residents or city operations, including, but not limited to
18 operations and duties in the areas of land use planning, utility service, law enforcement,
19 local policy and budgetary roles.

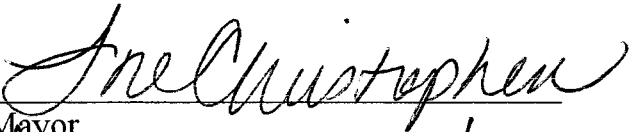
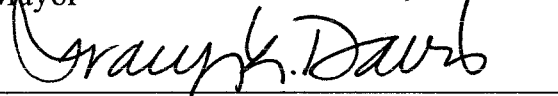
1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council shall be the sole decision
2 maker on whether a particular state or federal policy issue shall have effect on Keizer,
3 Keizer residents or Keizer's role as local government authority.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that nothing contained herein shall prevent an
5 individual councilor from expressing their concern, perspective or position on any issue.

6 PASSED this 3rd day of March, 2003.

7 SIGNED this 3rd day of March, 2003.

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Mayor

City Recorder