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Washington County Board of Commissioners
254 N First Avenue
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Re: Annexation Proposals 17-021 & 17-022

Esteemed Commissioners,

As elected leaders in Yamhill County, we support Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue's (TVFR) efforts to implement the will of our voters who approved Measures 36-187, 36-188 and 36-190 on November 7, 2017. These measures allow the city of Newberg and the surrounding area currently within Newberg Rural Fire Protection District to join TVF&R permanently through annexation.

The fire chief, firefighters, elected leaders and staff from the City of Newberg, Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue and Newberg Rural Fire Protection District have spent many months conducting extensive outreach with our constituents to help them understand the issue and future service options.

Please consider approving Annexation Proposals 17-021 and 17-022 to ensure that Yamhill County residents, businesses and visitors have a financially stable and dependable fire and emergency medical provider.

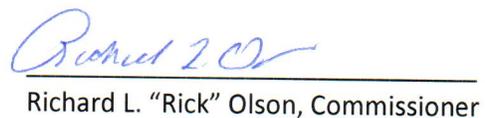
Respectfully,



Stan Primozich, Chair



Mary Starrett, Vice-Chair



Richard L. "Rick" Olson, Commissioner

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Board of Commissioners on
11/21/17 by Board Order
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