RESOLUTION NO. 2139

A RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE TUALATIN VALLEY FIRE & RESCUE BALLOT MEASURE NO. 34-154 TO RENEW THE CURRENT TAX LEVY FOR EMERGENCY FIRE AND MEDICAL SERVICES AND URGING THE VOTERS OF WILSONVILLE TO VOTE "YES".

WHEREAS, Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue provides fire suppression, emergency medical care, rescue and fire prevention services to the cities of Beaverton, Durham, King City, Rivergrove, Sherwood, Tigard, Tualatin, West Linn and Wilsonville, as well as unincorporated portions of Washington, Clackamas and Multnomah counties; and

WHEREAS, in 2000 voters served by Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue (TVF&R) approved a measure for a four-year levy and subsequently voted to renew and extend the levy in 2004 for an additional five years; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Ballot Measure would renew the current levy for an additional five years beginning in November of 2010 at the same tax rate of \$.25 per \$1,000 of assessed value; and

WHEREAS, if approved Measure 34-154 would retain firefighter and paramedic positions funded by the 2000 and 2004 levies; fund firefighting and emergency medical tools, safety and communications equipment, mapping technology and training resources; and preserve support positions in training, technology, incident analysis, and accounting functions.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF WILSONVILLE RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. The City Council of the City of Wilsonville affirmatively supports and recommends the voters of Wilsonville, as well as those under the umbrella of TVF&R services, support the measure with a "Yes" vote at the November 4, 2008 election.
- 2. This resolution becomes effective upon adoption.

Adopted by the Wilsonville City Council at a regular meeting thereof this 6th day of October, 2008 and filed with the Wilsonville City Recorder this date.

CHARLOTTE LEHAN, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Sandra C. King, MMC, City Recorder

SUMMARY OF VOTES:

Mayor Lehan

Yes

Councilor Kirk

Yes

Councilor Knapp

Councilor Ripple

Yes Yes

Councilor Núñez

Excused