

CITY OF REDMOND
RESOLUTION NO. 1359

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING MAYOR JOHN MARCHIONE TO SIGN THE GROWING TRANSIT COMMUNITIES MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Sustainable Housing and Communities has awarded the central Puget Sound region with a federal Partnership for Sustainable Communities grant to implement its six livability principles of providing more transportation choices; promoting equitable, affordable housing; enhancing economic competitiveness; supporting existing communities; coordinating and leveraging federal policies and investments; and valuing communities and neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Partnership for Sustainable Communities grant in the central Puget Sound region is the *Growing Transit Communities* program; and

WHEREAS, the central Puget Sound region has established a strong foundation for regional collaboration and planning with the adoption of VISION 2040, Transportation 2040, and a coordinated Regional Economic Strategy, which, combined together, provide a regional sustainable development vision and policy framework; and

WHEREAS, while the central Puget Sound region is in a unique position to move forward with realizing its integrated regional plans, the purpose of the *Growing Transit Communities* program is to address some of the greatest barriers to implementation; and

WHEREAS, it is in the interest of elected officials; public agencies; leaders of and for affordable housing, communities and neighborhoods, business, education, the environment, philanthropy, finance, real estate, and transportation to cooperatively engage in the work related to the *Growing Transit Communities* program for its successful completion; and

WHEREAS, the *Growing Transit Communities* program will be managed by the Puget Sound Regional Council in cooperation with Consortium Partners; and

WHEREAS, a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) that describes how Consortium Partners will collaboratively achieve the *Growing Transit Communities* Program's goals; roles and responsibilities; decision-making; governance; accountability; and joinability has been prepared; and

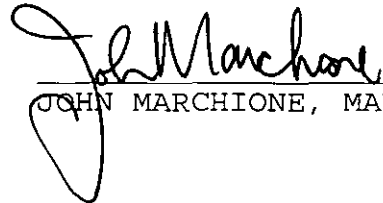
WHEREAS, this Resolution is established to acknowledge the support and need for coordinating efforts to successfully complete the *Growing Transit Communities* program work and to identify a lead representative who is authorized to sign the MOU on behalf of the City of Redmond.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND,
WASHINGTON, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Council authorizes Mayor John Marchione to sign the Growing Transit Communities Memorandum of Understanding on behalf of the City of Redmond.

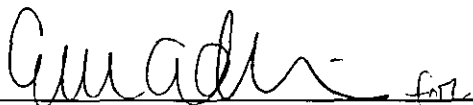
ADOPTED by the Redmond City Council this 21st day of June,
2011.

CITY OF REDMOND



JOHN MARCHIONE, MAYOR

ATTEST:



MICHELLE M. MCGEHEE, CMC, CITY CLERK

(SEAL)

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: June 15, 2011
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: June 21, 2011
EFFECTIVE DATE: June 21, 2011
RESOLUTION NO.1359

ADOPTED 7-0: Allen, Carson, Cole, Margeson, Myers, Stilin and Vache