

## RESOLUTION NO. 18-17

### A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING AN INTERIM POLICY FOR THE CITY OF IRRIGON REGARDING THE DISPLAY OF IRRIGON HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS FLAGS

**WHEREAS**, The City of Irrigon has established code standards and requirements of which may be amended from time to time through established processes; and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Irrigon will be reviewing code requirements at a date certain and installing a sidewalk with features along Hwy 730 which will take place by 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Irrigon desires to show support for our local youth; and

**WHEREAS**, the Irrigon Knights Booster Club desires to display their Sports Flags along Hwy 730 before any such final development or formal code requirements are completed, and

**WHEREAS**, there is a public expectation that sports flags be placed out showing public support; and

**WHEREAS**, there is a cost to the citizens of Irrigon if employees are to set out and take down the sports flags; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to meet reasonable public expectations for setting out and taking down the sports flags, the council sets out the following interim policy regarding when to display the Irrigon Knights Sports flags.

#### **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED:**

That the following temporary policy and process is hereby established until a formal code amendment takes place at a date certain and the Hwy 730 sidewalk project is completed by 2021.

**Section 1:** This policy will be in effect until amended code requirements and policies are formally adopted at a date certain.

**Section 2:** This policy does not set precedent for any other action nor allow any other flags, signs or banners until the Hwy 730 sidewalk project is completed and any code amendments are made at a date certain.

**Section 3:** Irrigon Knights Booster Club is responsible for the following:

- A. Provide the City of Irrigon each year with the game schedules which sports flags will be displayed.
- B. Displaying and removing of sports flags. Flags may be put up the night before a home game or home tournament and removed the following day of the home game or home tournament and for regional, district or state tournaments.
- C. Purchase all required flags and material for use to display the sports flags.

- D. Proposed flags and display items to be coordinated with city prior to purchase.
- E. Irrigon Knights Booster Club will maintain their own storage facilities for the sports flags.
- F. May provide house flag set-ups for community members to purchase for hanging on their door posts and flagpole set-up, which requires placement approval to meet land use requirements and flag etiquette/regulations.
- G. Irrigon Knights Booster Club and volunteers will hold the City of Irrigon Harmless on all areas relating to the display and placement of Irrigon Knights Sports Flags.

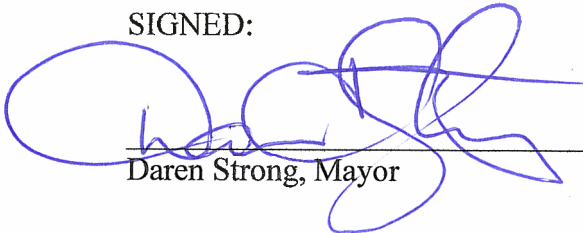
**Section 4:** City of Irrigon is responsible for installing the initial 2 inch flag sleeve receivers and repairing if required with Irrigon Knights Booster Club paying for the cost of such installation and repair.

**Section 5:** Sports Flag Placement and Requirements:

- A. Flags will be set on City property, north of the walking path between NE Third and NE Twelfth Streets.
- B. A minimum spacing between flags to be between 150 and 200 feet.
- C. The minimum 75 foot setback for clear vision from intersection will be maintained.
- D. Height requirements for flag etiquette will be maintained.
- E. Flag clearance from the ground will be a minimum of seven (7) feet.
- F. A 2x3 or a 3x5 Fly-Right type nylon house flag to be used.
- G. Flagpoles over 12 feet are not allowed due to winds.
- H. A 2.5 inch sleeve (with cap) for flag placement and a 2 inch pole not to exceed 12 feet in height.

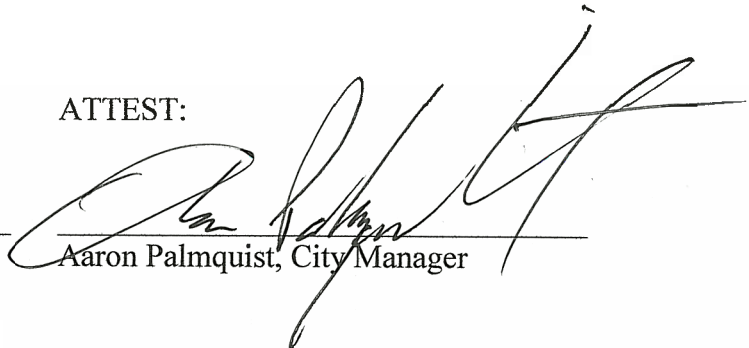
PASSED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL AND SIGNED BY THE MAYOR ON THIS 18<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2018.

SIGNED:



Daren Strong, Mayor

ATTEST:



Aaron Palmquist, City Manager