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February 3, 2026

Honorable Representative Kevin L. Mannix
900 Court St. NE, H-384
Salem, Oregon 97301

Dear Representative Mannix,

The Keizer City Council, at its regularly scheduled meeting on February 2, 2026, voted unanimously to support the request for state and federal funding assistance for the proposed Mid-Willamette Public Safety and Resilience Center by Marion County Fire District 1 and Keizer Fire District. The City Council heard the request from Chief Ryan Russell and Chief Kyle McMann.

The City recognizes the benefits of the fire districts working together to provide efficient and adequate fire protection for the Keizer community and the surrounding area. The proposed facility could also serve as a backup location for Keizer Emergency Management. The City of Keizer works collaboratively with Keizer Fire District and Marion County Fire District 1 on emergency management efforts and has appreciated their ongoing support and participation over the years.

The City respectfully requests that this statement of support be included with the request for state and federal funding.

Sincerely

Cathy Clark
Mayor

“Pride, Spirit and Volunteerism”