

PORT OF HOOD RIVER
Resolution No. 2000-01-8

WHEREAS, only a small portion of Hood River County is served by a community college and the remaining portion of Hood River County is the most populated area in Oregon not served by a community college; and

WHEREAS, a survey of local residents supported the annexation of the remaining portion of Hood River County into Columbia Gorge Community College; and

WHEREAS, the State Board of Education has formally supported this annexation effort; and

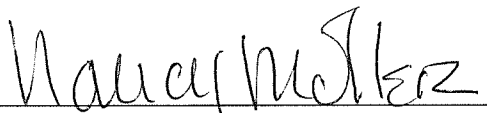
WHEREAS, a community college would local businesses and residents by providing education and job-training opportunities, and

WHEREAS, a community college in Hood River County is needed to support growth and diversification of the local economy;

BE IT RESOLVED the Port of Hood River Commission supports the annexation of the remaining portions of Hood River County into Columbia Gorge Community College, and the establishment of a satellite center in Hood River; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Port of Hood River Commission supports the State of Oregon providing start-up funds during the first two years of operations and the establishment of a new board of directors providing representation for the newly annexed area.

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS this 17th day of April, 2001.



President, Board of Commissioners