

A RESOLUTION
REGARDING THE DEATH OF COUNCILOR DAVID K. WHATLEY

WHEREAS, DAVID K. WHATLEY WAS DULY ELECTED WITHOUT OPPOSITION AND SERVED AS A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SKY VALLEY, AND

WHEREAS, DAVID K. WHATLEY PERFORMED HIS DUTIES IN AN EXEMPLARY MANNER, AND

WHEREAS, DAVID K. WHATLEY BECAME ILL AND AFTER INTENSIVE MEDICAL CARE AND TREATMENT DIED WHILE SERVING AS A COUNCILOR, THIS COUNCIL REGRETS HIS UNTIMELY DEATH, AND

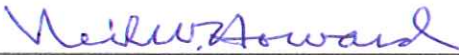
WHEREAS, DAVID K. WHATLEY WHILE IN CRITICAL CONDITION, UNDER MEDICAL CARE AND UNABLE TO SPEAK NORMALLY, WAS TRANSPORTED FROM HIS HOME IN ATLANTA TO ATTEND A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SKY VALLEY ON NOVEMBER 20, 2014, TO CONSIDER IMPORTANT MATTERS CONCERNING THE ANNUAL CITY BUDGET AND A TAX INCREASE AND HE CAUSED A WRITTEN STATEMENT TO BE PREPARED BY MRS. WHATLEY WHICH WAS READ AT THE MEETING, A COPY OF SAID STATEMENT BEING ATTACHED HERETO AS A PART HEREOF,

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SKY VALLEY THAT THE DEATH OF COUNCILOR DAVID K. WHATLEY IS DEEPLY REGRETTEED, THAT HIS ACTIVITIES AS A COUNCILOR WERE OF GREAT BENEFIT TO THE COUNCIL AND HIS EXTRORDINARY EFFORT TO ATTEND THE COUNCIL MEETING ON NOVEMBER 20, 2014, IN SPITE OF HIS CRITICAL MEDICAL CONDITION, TO EXPRESS HIS POSITION ON THE IMPORTANT MATTERS THAT CAME BEFORE THE COUNCIL AT THAT TIME WAS ABOVE AND BEYOND HIS DUTY UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES, AND


IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SKY VALLEY, IN MEETING ASSEMBLED, DOES HONOR THE MEMORY OF DAVID K. WHATLEY.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THIS RESOLUTION AND HIS WRITTEN STATEMENT AS ABOVE REFERRED TO BE INCORPORATED IN THE OFFICIAL PERMANENT MINUTES OF THIS COUNCIL AND A COPY THEREOF BE DELIVERED TO MRS. KRISTIN WHATLEY, WIDOW, BY THE CITY CLERK, WITH THE OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE CITY AFFIXED HERETO.

THIS THE 31ST DAY OF MARCH 2015.



Neil W. Howard, Councilor

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Sometime in the coming months, I will enjoy the view from the Overlook for the last time. I was taught it was a man's duty to leave his community, not less than, but more than he received it. I hope I have achieved, in some small way, this goal.

I agree with each of the individual efforts now underway in Sky Valley.

However, I need more information on the police, garbage and the amount of support dollars and how it will be used for Marketing. The Mayor suggested that we approve the current budget and amend as needed.

I cannot go along with blatant attempts to get around the budget process required by Georgia law.

I will, therefore, have to vote NO on the millage increase included in the current proposed budget.

David K. Whatley

November 20, 2014