

RESOLUTION 2017-07

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF BENTON CITY, WA
PROCLAIMING APPRECIATION TO PROSSER MEMORIAL
HOSPITAL FOR ITS DONATION OF AN AUTOMATED
EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR (AED) TO THE CITY OF
BENTON CITY AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ISSUE A
PROCLAMATION CERTIFICATE**

WHEREAS, on April 18, 2017, the City of Benton City received an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) device from Prosser Memorial Hospital to place in Benton City Hall; and

WHEREAS, according to the American Heart Association, each year in the U.S., there are 359,400 Emergency Medical Services assessed cardiac arrests outside of a hospital setting and on average, less than 10% of victims survive; and

WHEREAS, immediate cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and early defibrillation, with an AED can more than double a victim's chance of survival; and

WHEREAS, Prosser Memorial Hospital, specifically CEO Craig Marks and Emergency Department Manager Christi Doomik, contributed the opportunity to save more lives by donating an AED to the City; NOW THEREFORE,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BENTON CITY, WASHINGTON, hereby resolves as follows:

The City Council of the City of Benton City proclaim their appreciation to Prosser Memorial Hospital, including CEO Craig Marks and Emergency Department Manager Christi Doomik for their efforts to improve the cardiac arrest survival rate in Benton City, and authorize the Mayor to issue a proclamation certificate.

ADOPTED this 2 day of May, 2017, by the City Council of the City of Benton City, Washington, and signed in authentication of its passage this 2 day of May, 2017.

Resolution 2017-07 filed and recorded in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Benton City, Washington, this 2 day of May, 2017.



Linda Lehman
Mayor

Attest:


Stephanie Haug, CMC
City Clerk/Treasurer

Approved as to Form:


Leland B. Kerr
City Attorney