

RESOLUTION NO. 459

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MCCLEARY  
AUTHORIZING GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY TO INCLUDE THE CITY OF  
MCCLEARY IN AN AMENDMENT OF THE GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY  
COMPREHENSIVE SOLID WASTE MANGEMENT PLAN.

WHEREAS, under the provisions of RCW Chapter 70.95, Grays Harbor County is responsible for preparation, adoption, and implementation of a Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan, and

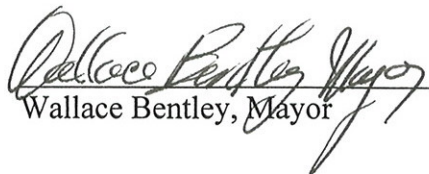
WHEREAS, the City of McCleary did, by Resolution No. 269, signed on March 25, 1987, authorized Grays Harbor County to prepare a plan for the management of solid waste within the City of McCleary for inclusion as an element of the County Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan, and

WHEREAS, the Grays Harbor County Solid Waste Management Plan was adopted by the Board of County Commissioners on February 24, 1992 and by the City Council of the City of McCleary on January 22, 1992, and

WHEREAS, Grays Harbor County is required, under the amended RCW Chapter 70.95 and the associated Department of Ecology planning guidelines, to amend the Grays Harbor County Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan with respect to stated priorities for Waste Reduction and Recycling, Now, Therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MCCLEARY, that Grays Harbor County is hereby authorized to include the City of McCleary in an amendment process for the Grays Harbor County Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan.

Passed by the City Council of the City of McCleary and approved by the Mayor this 10th day of January, 2001.

  
Wallace Bentley, Mayor

Attest:

  
City Clerk

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## GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY

### STATE OF WASHINGTON

January 4, 2001

The Honorable Wallace Bentley  
Mayor of McCleary  
P.O. Box 360  
McCleary, WA 98557

Dear Mayor Bentley and City Council:

We have been busy implementing the 1991 Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan (for example, curbside recycling, recycling education, hazardous waste disposal, and the solid waste export program). We feel our system is working satisfactorily and foresee no significant changes; however, the Department of Ecology requires that the Plan be periodically updated.

Grays Harbor County is in the process of updating the 1991 Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan. The Solid Waste Advisory Committee and county staff have been working together to prepare a draft revision that uses the state's most recent guidelines, *Guidelines For The Development Of Local Solid Waste Management Plans and Plan Revisions*, December 1999, and reflects the most recent legislative requirements.

We are working to submit a Preliminary Draft of the Plan to the Department of Ecology by the end of January 2001. Ecology has requested that we reconfirm the city still wishes to participate in the countywide Plan as they have for the past two decades. Attached is a draft resolution of participation similar to the last Plan's in the early 90's. We would like to have all the cities sign and return the resolution of participation no later than the 30<sup>th</sup> of January. We are available to meet with you and/or appropriate staff to discuss the Plan or other solid waste issues. If you have any questions, concerns, or would like to schedule a meeting time, please call either of us at 249-4222.

The most recent draft of the Plan is also enclosed.

Sincerely,

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