RESOLUTION NO. 452

A RESOLUTION TO PROTECT OREGON JOBS AND ENSURE THE LONG TERM HEALTH AND PRODUCTIVITY OF OREGON'S AGRICULTURE.

WHEREAS, agriculture is the State of Oregon's second largest industry, producing well over \$2 billion worth of products annually; and

WHEREAS, we recognize that the agriculture industry is the largest employer in the City of Stayton and Marion County is the most productive agricultural county in the State; and,

WHEREAS, we appreciate the agricultural industry's presence and valued contributions to our community's economic health and vitality; and

WHEREAS, the State of Oregon's rural communities, families, workers, schools, and our statewide economic vitality are strengthened by all reasonable steps being taken to protect jobs and the long term health and productivity of the agriculture industry; and

WHEREAS, protecting and enhancing Oregon agriculture is an issue for both our state and federal legislators.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Stayton that we wish to emphasize our strong support for Oregon's agricultural industries and we encourage the Oregon State Legislature and our federal legislators to work together with representatives of our agricultural industry to protect, enhance and improve Oregon agriculture now and in the future.

Passed by the Common Council this 5th day of November 1990.

Signed by the Mayor this 2/2 day of November 1990.

ろ・ L. LIERMAN, Mayor Date

<u>11-07-90</u> Y. City Administrator Date

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