Resolution 2921

RESOLUTION OF INTENT TO CAME THE CITY OF BEND SURFACE WATER SOURCE AS PROWELL SPRINGS

WHEREAS, the City of Bend's water source is a pristine spring located in the City's municipal watershed, delivering approximately half of the City's water supply to serve the needs of the Bend community; and,

WHEREAS, the source has been protected through the leadership and stewardship of Roger Prowell, who worked for the City of Bend for 24 years; and,

WHEREAS, Roger Prowell developed plans to protect the City's water source by working with the U.S. Forest Service to institute programs that limit the opportunity for contamination of the water source from pollutants and sediment keeping the water both safe and unspoiled; and,

WHEREAS, Roger Prowell developed annual multiagency tours of the watershed to ensure enhanced understanding of the importance of and protection of the City's water source by representatives of the City, U.S. Forest Service, Oregon Health Division and the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality; and,

WHEREAS, Roger Prowell continually monitored the watershed and source waters during times of lightning activity, heavy storms and potential volcanic activity to assure the surface water system remained unharmed and ready to mitigate impacts through the plans he developed.

NOW THEREFORE, let it be known that we the City of Bend intend to label the surface water source springs as

PROWELL SPRINGS

and submit the name to the Oregon Historical Names Division for formal consideration as a tribute to the dedication and service Roger Prowell provided to the citizens and visitors of Bend.

Adopted by a roll call vote of the Bend City Council on July 17, 2013.

YES:

Mayor Jim Clinton

NO: none

Councilor Scott Ramsay Councilor Mark Capell

Councilor Victor Chudowsky

Councilor Doug Knight Councilor Sally Russell

Jim Clinton, Mayor

ATTEST:

Robyn Christie, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Mary A. Winters, City Attorney