

April 12, 2022

City Council, City Manager Towery, and Staff,

It is with a heavy heart that I share with you today my decision to resign as Mayor of the City of McMinnville. It has been my honor to serve this Community that Donna and I call home, where I have been employed, we have raised our children, worshiped, and made dear friends for the past 30 + years. Much thought and consideration has been spent on this decision and due to extended family health issues and to be closer to family, we are moving out of state this Spring. This resignation will be effective after the City Council meeting on May 24<sup>th</sup>.

It has been the opportunity of a lifetime for me to serve the City of McMinnville and its citizens. That includes 29 years on the City Budget Committee, 12 years on the City Council including two years as Council President, and 5 ½ years as your Mayor. I have been helped and mentored by so many of you whom I call my friends and associates. This includes City Managers, City Councilors, the City Executive Management Team, our phenomenal City Employees, and the many volunteers that have served over the years, including education leaders, business leaders, and other governmental entities. I could not have been as effective in my role as Mayor without the City Staff and want to acknowledge their hard work and dedication to our community.

I have worked with so many others involved in the non-profit area that have given to this Community daily. With this resignation comes a departure from my association with McMinnville Water and Light, having served on their Commission for the past 5½ years. I will miss my association with this fine organization that I call family and the numerous other boards and associations I have worked with, including the Yamhill County Parkway Commission. I wish the very best to those who continue and those who will come, as we have all worked and continue to work on the livability and sustainability of this Community. Thank you for the opportunity.

Sincerely,

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