

RESOLUTION

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

In the matter of the organization of the) RESOLUTION 90-102
community action system for FY 90-91)

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of Metropolitan Community Action (MCA) has determined that MCA will no longer be involved in planning and advocacy for the community action system after June 30, 1990; and

WHEREAS, the MCA Board of Directors has recommended that the Aging Services Division of the Multnomah County Department of Human Services assume direct responsibility for ensuring citizen involvement, advocacy and planning in the community action system for FY 90-91; and

WHEREAS, the MCA Board of Directors has recommended that the transition to a new administrative model be conducted jointly between the MCA Board and the Aging Services Division, and has established a Transition Committee from the MCA Board, the Division and the Contractors Association to address certain organizational and transitional issues; and

WHEREAS, the MCA Board of Directors has adopted the Transition Committee's "Proposal for the Organization of the Community Action System for FY 90-91" dated June 8, 1990; and

WHEREAS the MCA Transition Committee's proposal recommends that the Board of County Commissioners provide for citizen involvement in the community action system through establishing a Community Action Commission, to serve a variety of functions pertaining to the needs of low income citizens in Multnomah County; and

WHEREAS the MCA Transition Committee's proposal further recommends that the Aging Services Division provide for advocacy and planning in the community action system through staffing by the Division's Community Action Program Office, to focus and support the work of the Community Action Commission.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Resolution #90-46 is hereby amended, and that the Board of County Commissioners affirms the decision of the Aging Services Division to assume direct responsibility for ensuring citizen involvement, advocacy and planning in the community action system, as recommended in the MCA Transition Committee's "Proposal for the Organization of the Community Action System for FY 90-91" and as reflected in the Division's proposed amendment to the FY 90-91 Adopted Budget.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners recognizes that time is of the essence in implementing and staffing a new administrative model for the community action system which will provide for both continuity and stability.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Aging Services Division be hereby directed to prepare an Ordinance for consideration by the Board of County Commissioners which will establish a Community Action Commission at the earliest possible date, and that the Board of County Commissioners hereby requests the MCA Board of Directors to serve as the Multnomah County Community Action Board during the transition period prior to establishment of the Community Action Commission.

ADOPTED this 28th day of June, 1990



By

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