CITY OF GRANT RESOLUTION 2009-07

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING WASHINGTON COUNTY CONTINUE FUNDING THE 4-H PROGRAM THROUGH 2009

WHEREAS, the 4-H Program is one of the largest youth programs in the United States; and

WHEREAS, 4-H promotes positive youth development and prevents problem behaviors throughout Washington County; and

WHEREAS, 4-H youth develop leadership skills and participate in community service projects while learning lifetime skills; and

WHEREAS, over 750 youth from Washington County participated in the club and site based programs last year; and

WHEREAS, over the past five years, 4-H youth have contributed more than 80,000 community service hours to Washington County residents, which is equivalent of \$1.4 million; and

WHEREAS, Washington County is proposing to discontinue funding this important youth program; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE City of Grant requests Washington County Board support funding of the 4-H Program through 2009.

Adopted and passed this 7th day of April, 2009, by order of the Grant City Council.

	Tom Carr, Mayor
ATTEST:	
Kim Points, City Clerk	