

RESOLUTION NO. 1169

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR,
WASHINGTON, EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE FEBRUARY
11, 2020 PENINSULA SCHOOL DISTRICT PROPOSITION 1
TITLED "EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND OPERATIONS
REPLACEMENT LEVY."**

WHEREAS, ensuring quality educational programs and operations in our schools is essential to a community's vitality; and

WHEREAS, classrooms and work environments that are inspirational and focus on 21st Century learning goals provide the best educational and professional experience for students, staff, and the community; and

WHEREAS, State and federal dollars do not fully fund the day-to-day operations of the Peninsula School District; and

WHEREAS, the levy is 18% of the General Fund that supports the day-to-day operations of the District; and

WHEREAS, Proposition 1 replaces the current levy and does not increase the assessment; and

WHEREAS, Peninsula School District will continue to have the lowest overall tax rate in Pierce County; and

WHEREAS, at its meeting of December 9, 2019, the Gig Harbor City Council took public testimony on Proposition 1, allowing an equal opportunity for the expression of viewpoints supporting and opposing this measure; and


WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 42.17A.555, and after consideration of all public testimony, the City Council desires to formally express a collective position supporting Proposition 1;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

The Gig Harbor City Council strongly supports the Peninsula School District Proposition 1, Educational Programs and Operations Replacement Levy.

RESOLVED this 9th day of December, 2019.

APPROVED:



KIT KUHN, MAYOR

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:



CITY CLERK, MOLLY TOWSLEE

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: 12/4/2019
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: 12/9/2019
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