

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-075

RESOLUTION ADOPTING MODEL PERFORMANCE MEASURES

WHEREAS, the Council on Local Results and Innovation has released a standard set of ten performance measures for Cities; and

WHEREAS, cities and counties that chose to participate in the new standards measure program may be eligible for a reimbursement in LGA and an exemption from levy limits; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cottage Grove already tracks many performance measures in order that its taxpayers may see the resulting benefits from their property tax investment in the City; and

WHEREAS, this City will report the results of the adopted measures to our residents before the end of the calendar year through publication and on the City's website; and

WHEREAS, in order to be eligible for LGA reimbursement and exemption from levy limits, the City must officially adopt the corresponding ten performance benchmarks developed by the Council and submit a declaration of that adoption to the Office of the State Auditor.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Cottage Grove, County of Washington, State of Minnesota, that the following ten performance benchmarks be adopted for use by the City in 2012:

1. Citizen rating of the overall quality of services provided by the City.
2. Percent change in the taxable property market value.
3. Citizen rating of the overall appearance of the city
4. Part I and II crime rates
5. Insurance industry rating of fire services.
6. Average city pavement condition rating
7. Citizen rating the quality of snowplowing on city streets.
8. Citizen rating of the dependability and quality of city water supply
9. Citizen rating of the dependability and quality of city sanitary sewer service.
10. Citizen rating of the quality of city recreational programs and facilities (parks, trails & park buildings).

Passed this 18th day of July 2012.


Myron Bailey, Mayor

Attest:


Caron M. Stransky, City Clerk