

CITY OF HEALDSBURG

RESOLUTION NO. 48-2010

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
HEALDSBURG ENDORSING THE GOALS OF HEALTH  
ACTION AND SUPPORTING iGROW

WHEREAS, the City of Healdsburg is concerned about the health and well-being of its residents and seeks to create a healthy, sustainable, and livable community; and

WHEREAS, Health Action, a council of community leaders whose mission is to improve health and health care in Sonoma County, is a key partner in improving the health of the community; and

WHEREAS, Health Action's *2020 Vision for Sonoma County: Action Plan (2009-2012)* recommends local action to increase consumption of healthy food, increase physical activity, and connect all residents with prevention-focused primary health care; and

WHEREAS, growing and eating fresh, garden produce is a simple and effective way to improve the health of city residents of all ages; and

WHEREAS, local governments greatly influence the opportunities for growing, eating, and sharing healthy food through key powers over land and water use planning and policies, economic and community development, parks and recreation, and other community services;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Healdsburg hereby commits to actively support Health Action's *2020 Vision* and action agenda, and as a partner pledges to:

- Support the Health Action's countywide **iGROW Sonoma** initiative and local **iGROW** activities within the City of Healdsburg, and use city communications media to promote the growing, eating and sharing of healthy food.
- Support city programming (recreation programs, parks, and open spaces) that encourages the growing, eating and sharing of healthy food.
- Take steps to improve the opportunities for food gardening by assessing community infrastructure and looking for ways to facilitate the growing, eating and sharing of healthy food.
- Support the **350 Garden Challenge** during the weekend of May 15-16, 2010, when 350 garden landscapes throughout Sonoma County will be transformed into bountiful gardens that save water and emissions, grow food and habitat, and promote greywater and low impact development; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Healdsburg will actively participate in the **iGROW Sonoma** campaign by declaring the weekend of May 15-16, 2010 as 350 Garden Challenge Weekend in the City of Healdsburg, as we work together to make Sonoma County the healthiest county in the State of California.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, this 19th day of April, 2010, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Councilmembers: (5) Chambers, McGuire, Plass, Ziedrich and Mayor Wood

NOES: Councilmembers: (0) None

ABSENT: Councilmembers: (0) None

ABSTAINING: Councilmembers: (0) None

SO ORDERED:

ATTEST:

/S/ JAMES D. WOOD  
James D. Wood, Mayor

/S/ MARIA CURIEL  
Maria Curiel, City Clerk

I, MARIA CURIEL, City Clerk of the City of Healdsburg, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Healdsburg on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2010.

