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RESOLUTION 2011 - 103

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF SUNNYSIDE, WASHINGTON, IN THE MATTER OF
SUPPORTING AN APPLICATION FOR THE YAKIMA COUNTY
DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION'S ENTREPRENEURIAL
FRIENDLY CITIES INITIATIVE**

WHEREAS, New Vision, the Yakima County Development Association is launching a new Entrepreneurial Friendly Cities initiative designed to help up to four of our region's rural cities, with populations of less than 20,000, enhance services and support for entrepreneurs and small business owners in their communities; and

WHEREAS, this initiative supports the creation of up to four new small business support offices in smaller cities; recruits and trains eight new business/economic development counselors from Yakima County's smaller cities; increases community awareness of and support for strategies, needs and resources for entrepreneurs and the benefits of homegrown business development, entrepreneur support and fast-growth companies; and identifies local entrepreneurs and unique local resources; and

WHEREAS, the City of Sunnyside City Council finds and determines that an application by the City of Sunnyside for the Entrepreneurial Friendly Cities initiative is in the best interest of the residents of the City of Sunnyside and will promote the general health, safety and welfare;

**NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF SUNNYSIDE, WASHINGTON, as follows:**

SECTION 1. That the City of Sunnyside City Council hereby supports an Entrepreneurial Friendly Cities initiative application.

SECTION 2. This resolution shall be effective upon passage, approval and signatures hereon in accordance with the law.

PASSED this 22nd day of August, 2011.



JAMES A. RESTUCCI, MAYOR

ATTEST:



DELILAH SAENZ, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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