IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title: Encourage the Oregon Legislature to create a transparent public process to ensure all Oregon residents have timely access to equitable, comprehensive, high quality, and affordable health care (Resolution).

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Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

This resolution encourages the Oregon Legislature to create a transparent public process to ensure all Oregon residents have timely access to equitable, comprehensive, high quality, and affordable health care.

In 2013, the Legislature adopted HB 3260, which authorized the Oregon Health Authority to use donated funds to conduct a study examining at least four options for financing health care delivery in Oregon. In 2015, the Legislature adopted HB 2828, appropriating $300,000 from the State General Fund to the Oregon Health Authority to contract with a third party to conduct the study outlined HB 3260. The study is expected to be complete in late 2016.

Financial and budgetary impacts:

This non-binding resolution does not have a financial impact for the City.

Community impacts and community involvement:

This resolution was requested by Health Care for All Oregon, which works for an equitable, affordable, comprehensive, high quality, publicly funded universal health care system serving everyone in Oregon and the United States. Health Care for All Oregon, along with a coalition of community-based and health care organizations, advocated for the Legislature to adopt HB 3260 in 2013 and HB 2828 in 2015. This resolution states the City's support for the Legislature taking next steps following completion of the study.

Budgetary Impact Worksheet

Does this action change appropriations?

☐ **YES**: Please complete the information below.

☒ **NO**: Skip this section

Fund	Fund Center	Commitment Item	Functional Area	Funded Program	Grant	Sponsored Program	Amount