

A RESOLUTION TRANSFERRING OWNERSHIP OF THE HISTORIC ARTIFACTS KNOWN AS THE "BURKHART COLLECTION" FROM THE CITY OF ALBANY TO THE ALBANY REGIONAL MUSEUM AND THE MONTEITH HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

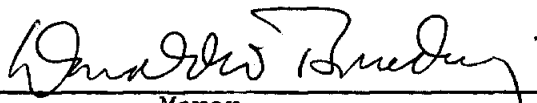
WHEREAS, on December 5, 1946, the will of Robert L. Burkhart stipulated that, "It shall be the duties of said Board or Commission" (of which the Mayor of Albany is an ex-officio) "to preserve all articles of historical interest left in the house after our death, label the same and arrange them according to the customary plan of a library or museum, and add thereto from time to time as in their discretion shall seem wise," and

WHEREAS, the Historic Advisory and Museum Commission has determined that, in the best long-term interests of the people of Albany, the only trained preservationists in the area capable of fulfilling these wishes are affiliated with the Albany Regional Museum and the Monteith Historical Society.


NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Albany, Oregon, that:

1. The Albany Regional Museum and the Monteith Historical Society be given joint ownership of the Burkhart artifacts.
2. Each group be responsible for the care and preservation of the items currently in their possession.
3. Now, or at any time in the future, if any of the artifacts are to be repaired, restored, refinished, or disposed of, permission from the other respective group (Albany Regional Museum or Monteith Historical Society) be obtained.
4. Either group may catalogue or inventory material held by the other group.
5. Any material from the Burkhart Collection may be loaned between groups for display purposes.

Approved by the City Council of the City of Albany, Oregon, this EIGHTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1982.

  
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Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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City Recorder