

RESOLUTION 190

A RESOLUTION BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PAYETTE, PAYETTE COUNTY, IDAHO, IN SUPPORT OF STATE GENERAL REVENUE SHARING TO CITIES, COUNTIES, AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

WHEREAS, the Association of Idaho Cities supports the allocation of 8% of State general revenues, originating from income taxes, to Cities, Counties, and School Districts; and

WHEREAS, Idaho Cities have only the "most hated" tax*, the local property tax, to rely on to meet growing budget demands; and

WHEREAS, Governor Phil Batt has declared property tax relief to be a high priority in his administration;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PAYETTE HEREBY RESOLVES to request the Idaho Legislature provide property tax relief by supporting the Association of Idaho Cities' proposal to provide \$45 million, 8% of State income tax revenues, to be shared equally by Cities, Counties, and School Districts, such that Cities and Counties will be required to deposit 50% of all moneys received from State shared income tax revenues in a "property tax relief fund" and schools will be allowed to use the funds only as match for their capital improvement bonds.

*According to the 1992 Boise State University survey.

Passed and adopted by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Payette, Idaho, this 19th day of December, 1994.

ATTEST: John P. Franks
John P. Franks, City Clerk

James E. McCue
James E. McCue, Mayor