

**CITY OF PAYETTE, IDAHO  
Resolution # 2018-08**

**A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE PAYETTE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
EXCLUDE THE CITY OF PAYETTE FROM THE  
PROPOSED PAYETTE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT**

WHEREAS, the City of Payette has independently provided library service to its citizens since 1912 when volunteers of the Portia Club created a 400-book library in the original Courthouse on Main Street; and,

WHEREAS, Payette citizens have faithfully supported its library with tax revenue over the years, first constructing a new library in 1937, a remodel and expansion in 1966, and most recently with an expansion supported by taxpayers through an overwhelming 76% majority bond election; and,

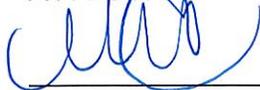
WHEREAS, through the dedicated efforts of our Library Board of Trustees, the Payette Public Library has provided effective public advocacy and fostered excellence in public library service in the City of Payette and to all patrons of the surrounding region.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that in acknowledgement of the above facts, and recognizing the history and importance of the Payette Public Library to the citizens of Payette and the surrounding region, the City of Payette has no interest in participation in a project such as the proposed Payette County Library District at this time; and,

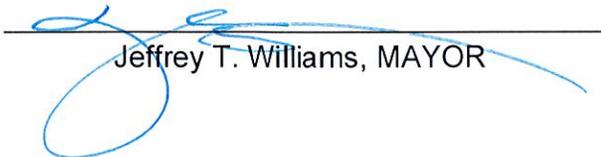
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Payette hereby formally and respectfully request the Payette County Commissioners that the jurisdictional boundaries of the City of Payette be EXCLUDED from the proposed Payette County Library District.

**PASSED BY THE PAYETTE CITY COUNCIL this 9th day of July, 2018.**

ATTEST:



City Clerk



Jeffrey T. Williams, MAYOR