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Re: City Flag

Honorable Mayor and Council,

Sometimes we chance to happen upon an idea whose time has come. This is one of those times. I am writing in support of Aberdeen resident Mr. John Barclay's proposal that the City adopt a City Flag and request that this correspondence be received and considered at the next regular Council meeting.

Stemming in part from an ongoing community conversation regarding finding meaningful opportunities to express civic pride Mr. Barclay on June 24, 2015 first approached Council to propose the creation and adoption of a city flag. At that meeting he offered that: "Every great city deserves a great city flag". The idea was met with enthusiasm and, encouraged by the Council's response, has since championed the idea and enlisted other likeminded citizens and together they have worked to bring forward a suitable City Flag for Council's consideration.

We herein respectfully request that the Mayor and Council consider the adoption of a City Flag for our great City of Aberdeen, Washington. Attached is a proposed Resolution together with a suitable design crafted in accordance with the 5 basic principles of good flag design as presented by the North American Vexillological Association.

Thank you in advance for accepting this proposal in the spirit in which it is offered. A spirit of community and civic interest and pride.

Sincerely,
ABERDEEN REVITALIZATION MOVEMENT



Brian Little, President

cc: City of Aberdeen Mayor & Council
Mr. John Barclay, Ward 4
ARM Board & File

Encl.: City Flag Resolution (1 page)
Attachment A – Flag Description (1 page)
Attachment B – Flag Depiction (1 page)