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Resolution 2010-51

WHEREAS, Tom Weaver has provided strong and effective leadership as Regional Administrator of the Metropolitan Council for the last eight years, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Weaver has provided outstanding support to the Council in the development and implementation of sound public policy in a wide range of areas – from planning and parks to transit and wastewater treatment; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Weaver has helped unify the Council's operating divisions, support units and 3,700 employees, improving the quality, coordination and effectiveness of regional services; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Weaver has built strong working relationships with officials at all levels of government – from the Governor and Legislature to the cities and counties – providing the Council with the support needed to fulfill its mission; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Weaver and his staff have worked tirelessly to improve agency efficiency, assuming additional operating responsibilities while reducing FTEs, holding the Council's property tax levy flat for eight successive years, and maintaining the Council's AAA bond rating; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Weaver has greatly expanded the management tool box, adding key phrases such as "Let's get started!" and "What the hell!" to the Council lexicon;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED

That the Metropolitan Council recognizes and applauds Tom Weaver for his outstanding record of service as Regional Administrator and his many contributions to the growth, development and quality of life of the Twin Cities metropolitan area.

Adopted this 8th day of December 2010

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Peggy Leppik".

Peggy Leppik, Vice Chair