RESOLUTION 517

SUPPORTING A MISSION VALLEY FAMILY CENTER

WHEREAS, a need exists in Lake County for year around activities; and

WHEREAS, a group has formed to organize and create the Mission Valley Family Center; and

WHEREAS, the purpoe of the center is to provide activities for youth, adults, seniors and the physically disabled throughout the county with the following goals:

TO CREATE an umbrella organization which coordinates activities of established programs and new programs, and directs these programs with a common and consistent philosophy;

TO PROVIDE facilities and locations for families, individuals, and groups to meet for recreation, education, and the general exchange of common interests;

TO PROMOTE year-round involvement and participation in activities which involve the betterment of the physical and mental well being of the individual and the community;

TO PROMOTE interracial and intergenerational exchange between members of families, programs, and communities;

TO COORDINATE with existing programs and to create new programs which provide counseling and prevention activities for teens, mentally disabled, and drug and alcohol disease patients;

TO RELIEVE overburdened school facilities and provide post classroom activity locations for children and young adults;

TO PROMOTE volunteerism and provide a clearinghouse for programs which allow methods for individuals to express themselves in a positive manner; and

TO DEVISE appropriate means of obtaining finances for a prolonged YMCA in the Mission Valley area.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Polson supports the concept and the creation of the Mission Valley Family Center and the organization working towards that goal.

Passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Polson, Montana, this lst day of May, 1989.

Patricia A. DeVries

Mayor

ATTEST:

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