

Continuance of Program Funding

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3 **WHEREAS**, The Senior Citizen Nutrition and Health program which was enacted
4 into legislation in the 1960's is coming to a close. A process of review will take place
5 and decisions concerning its renewal will be considered; and
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7 **WHEREAS**, This is a federal program which impacts our senior citizens. The senior
8 citizens depend on this as part of their support program to maintain their lifestyle,
9 and quality of living. This program must be continued and expanded to include the
10 so called "baby boomer" which will increase our senior population; and
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12 **WHEREAS**, The Agricultural and Rural Caucus therefore proposes the following
13 resolution; and
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15 **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the federal government will continue to fund
16 The Senior Citizen Health and Nutrition Program and also to provide additional
17 funds for its anticipated increase in members. The Washington State Democratic
18 Central Committee urges all government and elected officials to support this
19 resolution and sign onto and secure a fair conclusion.
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21 Submitted to the WSDCC for consideration at its September 16, 2005 meeting in
22 Everett by the WSDCC the Agricultural and Rural Caucus (09/16/05)
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24 Referred to the WSDCC with a recommendation of "Pass" by the Resolutions
25 Committee at its September 17, 2005 meeting in Everett.
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27 Passed by the WSDCC at its September 17, 2005 meeting in Everett.
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