

1 **Resolution in Support of Retaining**
2 **Olympia Washington Postmark**
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4 **WHEREAS**, incoming mail could likely be delayed and processing of outgoing mail
5 could get more expensive; and
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7 **WHEREAS**, Olympia, Washington would become the only State Capitol without a first
8 -class mail postmark indicating from the seat of our state government; and
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10 **WHEREAS**, there is no proof of improved efficiency or cost savings by moving the
11 cancellation process thirty miles north; and
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13 **WHEREAS**, presently thirty-four million pieces of mail are processed every year
14 through the Olympia plant; and
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16 **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Washington State Democratic Party
17 (WSDCC) convey a timely message to Congressmen Adam Smith and Brian Baird in
18 support of their efforts to stop the U.S. Postal Service efforts to move the Washington
19 State Capitol postmark (Olympia WA) to Tacoma.
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23 Shores by Zach Smith 22nd Legislative District State Committeeman (Date Submitted
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27 Committee at its November 12, 2005 meeting in Ocean Shores.
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29 Passed by the WSDCC at its November 12, 2005 meeting in Ocean Shores.