

Resolution NO. 2001 - 10

RESOLUTION condemning The Terrorist Attacks on the United States of America in hijacking four passenger jets, crashing two of them into the World Trade Center, a third into the Headquarters of the United States Department of Defense at the Pentagon, and the fourth crashing in the Pennsylvania countryside.

WHEREAS, on September 11, 2001, the United States of America was suddenly and brutally attacked by terrorists; and

WHEREAS, thousands of innocent Americans were killed and injured as a result of these attacks, including the passengers and crew of the four aircraft, workers and visitors in the World Trade Center and in the Pentagon, rescue workers and bystanders; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that those responsible for these heinous acts be brought to justice; and

WHEREAS, it is important for all Americans to unite and carry on in the spirit of justice and democracy and not allow terrorism to break the spirit and integrity of the American people and to demonstrate the resilience and courage of the people of the United States and their communities by standing together – tall and proud.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOTHENBURG:

Section 1. That the Council condemns the terrorist attacks on the United States and supports efforts to find the perpetrators and bring them to justice.

Section 2. That the Council urges our community to continue to support relief efforts and to preserve our nation's highest ideals by not allowing unfair acts of retaliation against innocent citizens of many different backgrounds.

Section 3. That the Council recognizes and appreciates the heroic acts of the many rescue workers, volunteers, law enforcement personnel who have been working day and night in the aftermath and the many citizens who have donated blood and offered their prayers and resources to assist in the recovery and who represent the best our nation has to offer.

Passed and approved this 2nd day of October, 2001.

CITY OF GOTHENBURG

BY *Larry Franzen*
Mayor Larry Franzen

ATTEST:

Connie Stull
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Gothenburg City Clerk