



MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

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Meeting Date: 11/1/18
Agenda Item #: R.1
Est. Start Time: 9:40 a.m.
Date Submitted: 10/16/18

Agenda Title: Proclamation Recognizing 2018 as the 50th Anniversary of the Pacific Crest Trail's Designation as a National Scenic Trail

Requested

Meeting Date: November 1, 2018 **Time Needed:** 15 minutes

Department: Non-Departmental **Division:** Chair's office

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Lisa Naito and John Hoffnagle, Board members of the Pacific Crest Trail Association.

Presenters:

General Information

1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Proclamation celebrating 2018 as the 50th Anniversary of the Pacific Crest Trail's designation as a National Scenic Trail and urging all involved to continue to protect and preserve this world-renowned trail for the continued use and enjoyment of the public.

2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer(s) this action affects and how it impacts the results.

The 50th anniversary of the Pacific Crest Trail (PCT) is a time for the community to recognize the value of this significant national environmental and recreational resource. The stewardship of the trail is the responsibility of a partnership between the forest service, the Pacific Crest Trail Association and many other federal, state and local agencies, as well as countless volunteers devoted to maintaining and managing the trail for all to enjoy. Highlighting the work of these groups, as well as building an understanding of the value of the trail, can help ensure its preservation for future generations.

3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).

None.

4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.

None.

5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.

The State of California has also passed a resolution in support of the anniversary of the PCT. Multnomah County Wellness has a "walk" the PCT challenge, where teams compete

to get the most steps and to try to complete the distance of the PCT.

Required Signature

**Elected
Official or
Department
Director:**

/s/ Kim Melton

Date:

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