

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON**

PROCLAMATION NO. 2012-044

Proclaiming April 26, 2012, Craig Flower Appreciation Day in Multnomah County

The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Finds:

- a. Craig Flower was once an awesome surfer.
- b. Prior to employment with the County, Craig served in the U.S. Air Force as a Jet Mechanic.
- c. Craig Flower began working for Multnomah County on December 10, 1979, as a Carpenter.
- d. One of Craig's first assignments was at the "scary" Edgefield Manor, a.k.a. the County Poor Farm. He is still thankful to McMenamins for purchasing the property.
- e. As Property Manager for the historic Downtown Courthouse, Craig became involved in the movie business. He helped coordinate numerous film projects, including: "Dead by Sunset", "Body of Evidence" and "Men of Honor".
- f. Craig has worked in numerous properties, kept elected officials and department heads happy, and has done so with grace, humor and ease.
- g. Currently, Craig is the Multnomah Building Property Manager, where he's earned the nicknames "Pigeon Man" and "Rat Man" for his battles against those invading pests. His other duties include keeping Commissioners warm, replacing light bulbs and facilitating cubicle art.
- h. In 2010, Craig earned the County's Sustainability Award for his efforts to increase waste prevention and recycling.
- i. After more than three decades of service to the County, Craig plans to pursue a career in fishing, golfing and making furniture for his granddaughter.
- j. Craig has led an exemplary career at Multnomah County and will be sorely missed.

The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Proclaims:

April 26th, 2012, as Craig Flower Appreciation Day in Multnomah County,

ADOPTED this 26th day of April 2012

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON**



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SUBMITTED BY: Commissioner Diane McKeel, District 4