

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

OF MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

Ordinance NO. 504

An Ordinance establishing the Multnomah County Primary Prevention Advisory Committee.

Multnomah County ordains as follows:

SECTION I. FINDINGS

The major causes of death and disability in Multnomah County are related to behavior and lifestyle. The Department of Human Services Primary Prevention Program provides the long-range, countywide planning necessary to effect reductions in such death and disability.

Community input will be needed to assure that the Primary Prevention Program meets the needs of the community by providing leadership, coordination, funding, and direct operation of prevention programs.

SECTION II. PURPOSE AND DUTIES

There is hereby established a Multnomah County Primary Prevention Advisory Committee. The Committee shall:

1. Advise the Multnomah County Board of County Commissioners and Department of Human Services on all matters related to the needs, priorities, and programs of the Department's Primary Prevention Program.
2. Participate with other agencies, groups, and interested persons in the promotion of primary prevention activities in Multnomah County.

SECTION III. MEMBERS

The Advisory Committee shall be composed of sixteen (16) members appointed by the County Executive with the approval of the Board of County Commissioners. The membership of the Committee shall be as follows:

1. One representative from each of the following.
 - a) the American Cancer Society
 - b) the American Heart Association
 - c) the American Lung Association of Oregon
 - d) the Oregon Public Health Association
2. A medical leader, such as a representative of the Multnomah County Medical Society
3. A dental health professional
4. A drug treatment professional
5. Two public school administrators; one from the Portland School District and one from another educational agency.

6. A representative of the business community
7. A health research specialist
8. Five community members, including representation from low income, youth, elderly, and racial/ethnic minority populations.

SECTION IV. TERM

An appointment to the Committee shall be for one two year term. A member may be appointed for a second two year term.

SECTION V. VACANCIES

A vacancy on the Committee shall be filled by appointment of the County Executive and with approval of the Board of County Commissioners.

SECTION VI. COMPENSATION

Members shall receive no compensation for serving on the Committee.

SECTION VII. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Any member of the Committee who has monetary or investment interest in any matter before the Committee shall so inform the Committee. Such member shall be allowed to participate fully in the proceedings of the Committee.

ADOPTED this 6th day of March, 1986, being the date of its 2nd reading before the Board of County Commissioners of Multnomah County, Oregon.

By Gretchen Kafoury
Gretchen Kafoury
Presiding Officer

AUTHENTICATED this 10th day of March, 1986

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