



MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

(Revised: 09/23/13)

Board Clerk Use Only

Meeting Date: 4/7/16
Agenda Item #: R.2
Est. Start Time: 9:35 am
Date Submitted: 3/24/16

Agenda Title: **Health Department Presentation on Public Health Week**

Note: Title should not be more than 2 lines but sufficient to describe the action requested. Title on APR must match title on Ordinance, Resolution, Order or Proclamation.

Requested

Meeting Date: April 7, 2016 Time Needed: 30 minutes

Department: Health Department Division: _____

Contact(s): Jaimee Mayfield

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Presenter

Name(s) &

Title(s): Joanne Fuller, Director , Tricia Tillman, Deputy Director, and invited others

General Information

1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

The Health Department is requesting that the Board honor Multnomah County Public Health Week and celebrate the ways that health professionals and community members promote the health and wellbeing of Multnomah County through the lens of equity and inclusion. We are requesting that the Board, along with Joanne Fuller, acknowledge the 2016 National Public Health Week through the presentation of John A. Powell who will be talking about public health efforts and addressing social justice strategies in the community.

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

National Public Health Week was established by the American Public Health Association in 1995 as a way to recognize the contributions of public health and prevention services to America's well-being.

Internationally renowned expert John A. Powell is the director of the Haas Institute for a Fair and Inclusive Society at the University of California at Berkeley. He previously directed the Kirwan Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity at Ohio State University and the Institute on Race and Poverty at the University of Minnesota. He is a nationally recognized scholar on race, poverty, and regional equity and the author of *Racing to Justice: Transforming our Concepts of Self and Other to Build an Inclusive Society*.

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

There is no fiscal impact – the budget for this recognition is minimal

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

There are no legal or policy issues involved.

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

Citizens participate as nominators, nominees, and heroes in the Public Health Heroes Celebration

Required Signature

**Elected
Official or
Department
Director:**

Joanne Fuller/s/

Date:

March 24, 2016

Note: Please submit electronically. Insert names of your approvers followed by /s/ - we no longer use actual signatures. Please insert date approved.