



MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

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Meeting Date: 4/14/16
Agenda Item #: C.1
Est. Start Time: 9:30 am
Date Submitted: 3/16/16

Agenda Title: **PROCLAMATION: Proclaiming May 1 to May 7, 2016 as Construction Industry Safety Week in Multnomah County, Oregon**

Note: Title should not be more than 2 lines but be sufficient to describe the action requested.

Requested Meeting Date: April 14, 2016 **Time Needed:** Consent agenda
Department: Non-Departmental **Division:** Chair's office
Contact(s): Liz Smith Currie
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Presenter Name(s) & Title(s): N/A

General Information

1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Approve a proclamation proclaiming the week of May 1-7, 2016 as Construction Industry Safety Week in Multnomah County, Oregon.

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.

Construction is vital to our strong local economy yet remains one of the most dangerous professions. The SafeBuild Alliance, a local non-profit advocating Zero Incidents through Collaboration, has encouraged all members of the building community to share and learn in safety from one another. They have asked the County to declare May 1-7, 2016 as Construction Safety Week as part of a larger effort to increase awareness about opportunities to learn about innovations in construction safety.

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.

May 1-7 is national Safety Week. The SafeBuild Alliance has received declarations of support from mayors across the region, Governor Brown and Senator Wyden.

Required Signature

Elected Official

or Department/

Agency Director:

Nancy Bennett /s/

3/16/16

Date:

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