

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

In the Matter of Honoring Those Who)	
Served Our Country in the Second)	PROCLAMATION
World War on the Occasion of the)	95-101
50th Anniversary of V-E Day)	

WHEREAS, this week marks the 50th Anniversary of the victory of the Allied Forces in Europe, also known as V-E Day; and

WHEREAS, that victory also ended the Nazi Holocaust, one of history's worst campaigns of genocide; and,

WHEREAS, the United States' participation in this struggle represented a remarkable national unity of purpose and effort; and,

WHEREAS, V-E Day also commemorates the tremendous commitment and sacrifice of an entire generation; and


WHEREAS, the men and women of Multnomah County made a particular contribution to the war effort through their work of our shipyards.

**THEREFORE THE MULTNOMAH BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
DOES HEREBY PROCLAIM** the week of May 7 to May 13, 1995 to be


V-E Day Commemoration Week


in honor of all the citizens of Multnomah County, serving at home and abroad, who are veterans of the great struggle culminating in the Allied Forces victory in Europe, on May 8, 1945.


ADOPTED this 11th day of May, 1995.


County Chair Beverly Stein


Commissioner Dan Saltzman


Commissioner Gary Hansen


Commissioner Tanya Collier


Commissioner Sharron Kelley

