

1 BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
2 FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

3 In the Matter of Proclaiming the Week)
4 of May 6-12, 1990 as Be Kind to Animals) PROCLAMATION 90-70
5 Week in Multnomah County, Oregon)

6 WHEREAS we have been endowed not only with the
7 blessings and benefits of animals, including companionship
8 and great pleasure in our daily lives, but also with a firm
9 responsibility to protect these fellow creatures with whom
10 we share the earth from need, pain, fear and suffering; and

11 WHEREAS we recognize that teaching attitudes of
12 kindness, consideration and respect for all living things
13 through humane education in the schools and community helps
14 to provide the basic values on which a humane and civilized
15 society is built; and

16 WHEREAS the people in Multnomah County are deeply
17 indebted to their animal control agency, other humane
18 organizations and veterinarians for their invaluable
19 contribution in caring for lost and unwanted animals,
20 instilling humane values in our children through humane
21 education programs, and promoting a true working spirit of
22 kindness and consideration for animals in the minds and
23 hearts of all people; and

24 WHEREAS the year 1990 marks the Seventy-Fifth
25 Anniversary of the American Humane Association's "Be Kind to
26 Animals Week", a celebration cosponsored by Multnomah County
27 Animal Control, the Oregon Humane Society and the
28 veterinarian community to observe the philosophy of kindness
29 to animals;

1 NOW THEREFORE the Board of County Commissioners,
2 proclaim and pronounce the week of May 6-12, 1990 as "Be
3 Kind to Animals Week"; and do encourage all our citizens to
4 fully participate in all the events related thereto in this
5 County.

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7 Dated this 8th day of May , 1990.

8 MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON



Gladys McCoy
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Multnomah County Chair