

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

PROCLAMATION NO. 99-171

Proclaiming September ACHIEVEMENT MATTERS MONTH and September 18, 1999 DO THE RIGHT THING DAY in Multnomah County, Oregon

The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Finds:

- a. Multnomah County's future and its success in the 21st century lies in the youth of today, their safety, their health and their pride.
- b. Only a community can raise a child, therefore celebrating the achievements of youth in academics, the arts, athletics, community service and community building gives pride to the community as a whole.
- c. The National Urban league has adopted the theme of "Our Children - Our Destiny" while also identifying these special times during all 115 affiliates of the Urban League will celebrate their community's youth and the Urban League of Portland has hence adopted this theme.
- d. The need has never been greater for the positive recognition of youth "doing the right thing" in their community.

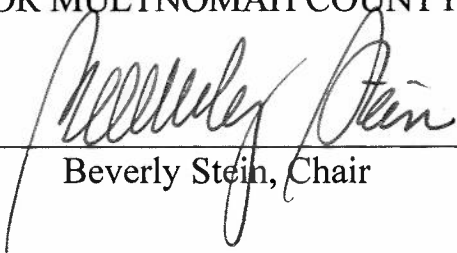
The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Proclaims:

1. September ACHIEVEMENT MATTERS MONTH and September 18, 1999 DO THE RIGHT THING DAY in Multnomah County, Oregon, to celebrate the achievement of youth and to secure the future for Multnomah County, its citizens and its communities.

ADOPTED this 9th day of September 1999.



BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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Beverly Stein, Chair