



MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

(Revised: 8/18/11)

Board Clerk Use Only

Meeting Date: 4/4/13
Agenda Item #: R.10
Est. Start Time: 10:50 am
Date Submitted: 3/27/13

Agenda Title: **PROCLAMATION Proclaiming March as Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month in Multnomah County, Oregon.**

Note: If Ordinance, Resolution, Order or Proclamation, provide exact title. For all other submissions, provide a clearly written title sufficient to describe the action requested.

Requested Meeting Date: April 4, 2013 **Time Needed:** 15 minutes
Department: Non-Departmental **Division:** District 2
Contact(s): Paige Hendrix
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Presenter Name(s) & Title(s): LaRisha Baker, Program Supervisor, Multnomah County Health Department and Co-Founder of the Steve Baker Colorectal Cancer Alliance; Tom Foeller, advocate and colorectal cancer survivor

General Information

1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Adoption of the proclamation naming March as Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month 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.

National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month is an opportunity to educate citizens about the importance of early detection and screening in order to prevent, treat and beat colorectal cancer. This presentation will highlight the work of community members who raise awareness and collaborate to improve health outcomes from those who are impacted by colorectal cancer.

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.

Governor Kitzhaber issued a proclamation declaring March Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month on January 31, 2013.

Required Signature

**Elected
Official or
Department
Director:**

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Date: 3/21/2013