



# MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

(Revised: Feb. 2017)

## Board Clerk Use Only

Meeting Date: 3/23/17  
Agenda Item #: R.7  
Est. Start Time: 9:30 am  
Date Submitted: 3/15/17

**Agenda Title:** Proclamation Proclaiming March 31, 2017, Transgender Day of Visibility in Multnomah County

### Requested

Meeting Date: 3/23/2017 Time Needed: 20 minutes  
Department: Non-Departmental Division: Chair's Office and Office of Diversity and Equity  
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Presenters: Scotty Scott, Equity and Inclusion Advisor ODE, Brook Shelley Board Co-Chair Basic Rights Oregon, Neola Young Community Advocate Antoinette Edwards, Board Chair and Lucas Smith Treasurer Sankofa Collective Northwest

## General Information

### 1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Proclaiming March 31, 2017, Transgender Day of Visibility in Multnomah County.

### 2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer(s) this action affects and how it impacts the results.

March 31<sup>st</sup> marks the 9<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the dedication of this day to International Transgender Day of Visibility. This proclamation will be the first time we recognize this day by Multnomah County. This holiday was established to celebrate the accomplishments and contributions of transgender and gender non-conforming people. While raising awareness of the discrimination, harassment, and violence that transgender and gender non-conforming people face.

### 3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).

N/A.

### 4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.

N/A.

### 5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.

N/A.

## Required Signature

Elected  
Official or  
Department  
Director:

Ben Duncan /s/

Date: 3/15/2017