



## MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

(Revised: 8/18/11)

### Board Clerk Use Only

Meeting Date: 10/31/13  
Agenda Item #: R.12  
Est. Start Time: 11:40 am  
Date Submitted: 10/10/13

**Agenda Title:** PROCLAMATION Declaring October 2013 as National Cyber Security 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:** October 10, 2013  
**Time Needed:** 10 minutes  
**Department:** Non-Departmental  
**Division:** District 2  
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**Presenter Name(s) & Title(s):** Brig Otis, IT Security Manager

### General Information

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

Adoption of the proclamation naming October 2013 as National Cyber Security 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 Cyber Security Awareness Month is a time to recognize the importance of computer security essentials. As Multnomah County becomes increasingly reliant on information technology to maintain many of its key functions, it's vital that employees implement safe practices to prevent, protect and respond to cyber threats.

At Multnomah County, IT employees go to great lengths to maintain cyber security for staff and community members alike. Additionally, in celebration of National Cyber Security Awareness Month, the Wednesday Wire features cyber security tips weekly.

#### 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.**

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security, the National Cyber Security Alliance ([www.staysafeonline.org](http://www.staysafeonline.org)) and the National Association of Counties have declared October 2013 as National Cyber Security Awareness Month.

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**Required Signature**

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Official or  
Department  
Director:



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