

RESOLUTION NO.

35744

Endorse and support the principles of the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the Declaration (Resolution)

WHEREAS The City of Portland's population is growing more diverse in its age, culture, racial mix, religions, sexual orientation and abilities, and

WHEREAS This diversity lends a richness, perspective, depth and texture to the life of our community, and

WHEREAS Residents of our community wish to express their support and appreciation for diversity and human rights, and

WHEREAS The City Council of Portland believes in fostering such initiatives and personal involvement by residents, and

WHEREAS A coalition of community groups including the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, Oregon Action, the Eastside Democratic Club and Peace and Justice Works, the Church of Scientology and the Metropolitan Human Rights Center (a City/County program) have requested official recognition and support of the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the principles contained therein and the Declaration's 50th Anniversary Celebration on December 10, 1998

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Portland, Oregon, does hereby recognize and support the United Nations' Universal Declaration of Human Rights, its principles and its 50th Anniversary Celebration and encourages its residents do likewise

Adopted by the Council, **DEC 02 1998**

Commissioner Gretchen Kafoury
Steve Freedman
November 19, 1998

Barbara Clark
Auditor of the City of Portland
By *Britta Olson*
Deputy

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INTRODUCED BY	DATE FILED NOV 27 1998
Miller-Kafoury	Barbara Clark Auditor of the City of Portland
NOTED BY COMMISSIONER	By <u>Gay Kroschner</u> Deputy
Affairs	
Finance and Administration	
Safety	
Utilities	
Works	
For Meeting of _____	
BUREAU APPROVAL	ACTION TAKEN
Bureau Office of Neighborhood Involvement (ONI) Metropolitan Human Rights Center (MHRC)	
Prepared by Date Steve Freedman November 23 1998	
Budget Impact Review	
Completed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	
Bureau Head Celia Heron Interim Bureau Director	

AGENDA	FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS	
		YEAS	NAYS
Consent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular	Francesconi	✓	
NOTED BY	Hales	✓	
City Attorney	Kafoury	✓	
City Auditor	Sten	✓	
City Engineer	Katz	✓	