

From: "cj" <chanes@hevanet.com>  
Subject: **Renaming 39th Avenue? VOTE "NO"**  
Date: June 12, 2009 7:59:07 PM PDT  
To: <dan@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Mayor and City Commissioners of Portland, Oregon:

I moved to Portland from Seattle while in my teens. I appreciated the common sense former city fathers used in setting up the city's streets and anyone with reasoning powers could get around without getting too lost.

When I married, I lived two houses off 39th so can relate to present residents and businesses concerned about retaining their neighborhood identity.

I've lived in Portland going on 47 years and personally resent East Coasters and Southerners coming into my city and trying to change it to meet their comfort level. I didn't move here to change Portland to remind me of Seattle. Shame on those "minorities" and city officials who want to impose their desires on the majority.

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. C. Hanes  
SE Portland

From: "Cassie Schreiber" <cschreiber@ipmco.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 12, 2009 1:15:06 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

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From: "Cassie Schreiber" <cschreiber@ipmco.com>

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

From: "The Sundholms" <sundpenn@q.com>

Subject: **N.E. 39th**

Date: June 12, 2009 12:50:26 AM PDT

To: <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <tom.miller@ci.portland.or.us>, <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <bfinn@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>, <tkovatch@ci.portland.or.us>, <leonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <tom.bizeau@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <sam.chase@ci.portland.or.us>

Cc: <info@save39th.com>

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Commissioners-- granted that Cesar Chavez is 'an American hero' (to quote Commissioner Fish's 'canned' response to many e-mails sent to your offices) however, based on the results of the poll taken, only some of the people think so -- obviously not all the people - OPPOSE 87.7% why are those sentiments so cavalierly overlooked??

Mr. Chavez has been given great and various accolades including having a postage stamp issued in his name by the US Postal Service -- is renaming a small street in Portland, Oregon necessary to show how revered he is in a State that has little or no history associated with him until the recent influx of citizens from Mexico and California. I realize that this sentiment will be categorized as racist, however please be aware that I am a minority myself being of Canadian heritage and a female of Irish ancestry.

The cost of the change has been clearly stated to you by several others however one item not included is the fact that the street will have duplicate names for five years and then the cost will be doubled when the 'old' name comes down and the 'new' name is placed on all the intersections.

Once again, I would strongly urge you to reconsider your vote and take the time to consider the cost to the residents of N.E. 39th both monetarily and to their pride of living on this Avenue.

C. M. Sundholm

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From: Alan Probandt <alan\_probandt@yahoo.com>  
Subject: **GPS arguments against street name changes**  
Date: June 11, 2009 3:29:55 PM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com

Here are some arguments that may help in your effort to thwart the proposed name change.

- Name changes are far more complicated than simply repainting street signs and reprinting letterhead stationary. Millions of GPS systems are in use in cars and vehicles today throughout the world. The maps used by all these systems become inaccurate when street names are changed for trivial reasons. The GPS guidance systems in all these vehicles use the established names to create directional instructions for drivers. When the street name get changed, the change may be entered in one GPS mapping system but not another one. Someone with a copyrighted mapping system programmed in California will most likely be using a different system from a visitor from British Columbia.

Few people are aware of how these GPS mapping systems interact. An erroneous software entry on a street name or a delayed street directory update may result in thousands of lost drivers and, more importantly, delivery trucks, resulting in thousands of dollars of lost productivity and wasted hours of driving.

This is in addition to ALL the printed street maps of Portland everywhere suddenly becoming inaccurate. Changing the names of small side streets may not cause major problems, but changing the names of major streets that intersect for symbolic reasons is foolish. A trucking company in Kansas City sends a cross-country driver to Portland Oregon to make a deliveries in Portland OR. One is an address near the corner of NE Portland Blvd and NE Interstate. They allocate one hour off the highway for the shipment to be dropped before the next just-in-time delivery. But neither the GPS nor the maps being used by the driver have been upgraded and the driver gets hopelessly lost.

It's not 1965 anymore. A strategy of constant street-name changing in a city may have many unanticipated consequences in the internet age that are beyond the comprehension of those who are forcing the changes in the names of major transportation arteries for symbolic and trivial reasons. This is not just a local issue.

If people seriously wanted to honor César Chavez, they would develop robots to pick crops and get the farmworkers out of the hot and brutal fields. Former food pickers could become the new robot picker technicians and these robots could be named 'Little Césars'. Wasn't that Mr. Chavez's whole point? To create a better life for his people by getting out of the dead-end feudalistic serf-labor jobs that all crop picking has always been?

I did crop-picking during summers as a teenager; it's no fun, it's no life. I'd rather be a robot technician any day.

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From: david hutchins <hudavid@mac.com>  
Subject: **Stop The Renaming of 39th AVE**  
Date: June 11, 2009 1:29:28 PM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com

Dear Commissioner, please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39TH AVE. I am a 50 year old resident on 39th in the woodstock area that borders Eastmoreland and Reed College. I strongly oppose the renaming of 39TH AVE to Caesar E Chavez Blvd. I along with many other people will have to make changes due to owning a business. So please consider that in your final vote

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From: "kym" <kmccown@comcast.net>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 11, 2009 8:13:29 AM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner: Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. Respectfully submitted.

I just do not get it, why cannot something new be erected rather than change an existing street. I live on 39th and feel as though the decision is a done deal - no matter how residents or business might feel.

K.M 39th ave. resident

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From: elizabeth plam <elizplam@qwest.net>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 10, 2009 2:40:36 PM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner:

if you have not already please take two minutes to read the latest entry on the Save 39th Ave blog.

This whole renaming process has spiraled downward and now sits with the Chavez Committee who will not discuss ANY options other than 39th ave. period. Please help inject some sort of give and take in this process and lets try to come to an agreed upon position.

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted  
and with much thanks in trying to work together for a solution.

Elizabeth Plam  
2624 ne 39th ave



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From: "Nancy" <nancy@fixmydeadpc.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 10, 2009 12:46:35 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

Nancy Wagenknecht

**From:** "Carol" <dc.hutch@comcast.net>  
**Subject:** **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
**Date:** June 10, 2009 11:17:06 AM PDT  
**To:** <dan@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>  
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Dear Commissioner: Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. I am a 70 year old and a 50 year resident on 39th in the Woodstock area which borders Eastmoreland and Reed College. I strongly oppose the renaming of my street to Caesar E. Chavez Blvd. I run a business from my home and a web site. I would like to know who is going to pay for the changes that will need to be made along with all my legal documents. Have all of you on the planning commission given careful thought to how you would feel having something like this happen to your street: I think not. In careful thought of the matter I am amazed that with all the objection to the change, you would even consider voting yes. In closing, did you check all the signatures on the petition to see if they meet the legal criteria and are citizens of the United States and are of legal age. You are in office to serve the tax paying hard working citizens of Portland, so please consider that in your final vote..

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From: Heather Penner <heather@smallsociety.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 10, 2009 9:14:32 AM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioners:

I've been following the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. I feel that this proposal has been disrespectful of the businesses & residents of 39th Ave, and a waste of everyone's time when there are larger issues facing the city.

I speak as someone who grew up in Berkeley, CA, and is old enough to remember the Grape Boycott. I deeply respect Cesar Chavez and his work for social justice. But, the move to rename 39th Ave. borders on the absurd.

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted,  
Heather Penner  
2717 NE 10th Ave  
(Irvington)

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Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 10, 2009 7:55:17 AM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us,  
dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner:

Please understand my opposition is not about the name of Chavez, it is how this whole process has happened. Now 3 neighborhood associations have all rejected the renaming as well.

You MUST listen to the citizens that this affects as well as the committee who is determined to call us all racist if we reject the renaming...

**Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.**

Respectfully submitted

Elizabeth Plam  
2624 ne 39th ave

**From:** Daniel Renelt <danielr@taiweb.com>

**Subject:** **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

**Date:** June 10, 2009 7:55:09 AM PDT

**To:** "samadams@ci.portland.or.us" <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, "nick@ci.portland.or.us" <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, "rleonard@ci.portland.or.us" <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, "amanda@ci.portland.or.us" <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, "dan@ci.portland.or.us" <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

Daniel Renelt, DPT  
Director of Physical Therapy

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From: Ryan Vanderzanden <ryanvanderzanden@gmail.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 9, 2009 10:50:25 PM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

Ryan Vanderzanden

**From:** Jennifer Niemann <jehanalnoorpx@gmail.com>  
**Subject:** **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
**Date:** June 9, 2009 9:45:34 PM PDT  
**To:** samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner:

I am writing to you to express my concern with the renaming of 39th as Caesar Chavez Blvd. This disturbs me for many reasons:

- 1) Caesar Chavez had no links to the City of Portland
- 2) If we were an agricultural city like Salinas, CA or Woodburn, OR it might make more sense since both communities have close ties to migrant labor
- 3) This renaming is a perfect example of how the City Of Portland bends the rules and consistently does the opposite of what its citizens want

According to your own code, the commission is not following the rules in this situation. The city code says that the renaming of streets that are significant in their own right shall not be allowed. If a street is a major thoroughfare, then it is significant in its own right. Any logical person can see that.

SE 39th is a major arterial which provides a reference point that goes through multiple neighborhoods in SE. SE 39th provides a link to the Sellwood, Eastmoreland, Laurelhurst and Northeast Portland neighborhoods. What else does a street need to do or connect to be deemed "significant in their own right"?

The citizens of Portland have made many alternate suggestions as to how to honor Mr. Chavez if the city still thinks it is something that they want to do. Renaming SE 39th is not an appropriate way to achieve this goal.

The last thing that I wish to caution you against is giving in to the desires of any contingent which uses bullying tactics to achieve its goals. I have heard many soundbites on local news and radio of people who are claiming that if this street renaming doesn't go through that the City and its citizens are racist. This is not only a ridiculous accusation, it is a dangerous precedent to set. When government gives in to any special interest because they fear being smeared in the public eye, government loses its credibility with the citizenry.

In closing, I respectfully ask you to stand up to these bullies and please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jen Niemann

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From: "Mike Cundiff" <mikec@go-aes.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 9, 2009 7:31:51 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue or any of the other streets.

Respectfully submitted

Mike Cundiff, a native Portlander



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From: "danwolfe" <danwolfe@spiritone.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 10, 2009 1:05:50 PM PDT  
To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner: Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. Respectfully submitted.

A vote in favor of renaming 39th Ave. is essentially disrespectful and contrary to the importance, continuity and significance of maintaining the vestiges of Portland history, much of which has eroded in recent years.

Commissioners who vote in favor will not receive my vote in the future.

Sincerely, really,

Dan Wolfe

From: "Sasser, Stephen" <ssasser@nwcouncil.org>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 9, 2009 3:12:40 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

Lyn and Stephen Sasser

From: "J B" <jbestel@msn.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 9, 2009 10:45:00 AM PDT  
To: "samadams" <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

## **39th is Historic**

# **2009 Portland Rose Festival History & Roses Tour presented by Windermere**

In celebration of the Rose Festival's strong ties to Portland history, this year's History & Roses Tour presented by Windermere showcases a selection of vintage Portland area homes, landmarks and gardens. Each location has its own tradition or historical significance involving the Rose Festival and offers a glimpse of early Portland life when the festival was young.

This year we expand the Tour to include Oregon City's historical heritage in honor of Oregon's 150th.

This includes NE 39th Ave - Laurelhurst Park

Laurelhurst Park

SE Stark St & SE 39th Ave

Portland, OR 97214, US

Location of Rose Festival Queen's Coronation throughout the 1920s and 30s and first city park listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

Every Day, 5AM - 10:30PM

Free Guided Tour: Monday, June 1st at 1:00 p.m.

Meet @ flagpole near SE Ankeny St.

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. Respectfully submitted

**From:** "Andrew Thomas" <andrew@bodiothomas.com>

**Subject:** **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

**Date:** June 9, 2009 10:20:42 AM PDT

**To:** <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

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As a native Portlander I oppose the renaming of any existing street as they all have a significant meaning to somebody. I can appreciate the desire to honor important people but that can be done by naming new streets, parks, or buildings and not disrupting businesses or homeowners on an existing street. Also where do you draw the line?

On top of the reasons stated above where is the money to make the required sign changes going to come from? We're already seeing the impact of budget cuts in many departments including schools and I can't see why this should be a priority for our tax dollars.

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Andrew Thomas

503-493-2699

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From: "FELTON SCOTT LINDA SCOTT" <FWScott3@msn.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 9, 2009 9:23:56 AM PDT  
To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. We are happy with our current moniker and do not appreciate this being forced upon us.

Respectfully submitted,  
Your Supporter,

Felton Scott  
3915 NE Laddington Ct  
Portland, OR

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From: "The Foster's" <diverglen@verizon.net>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 9, 2009 7:48:18 AM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

Glen Foster

From: "J B" <jbestel@msn.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 9, 2009 9:07:04 AM PDT  
To: "samadams" <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

## **39th is historic**

# **610 NE 39th Ave - historic residence**

## **From Our Laurelhurst Wiki**

### History

This house was built in 1913.

A picture of it appears on page 11 of the Laurelhurst and Its Park sales brochure. The owner of the house at the time that the brochure was published was James L. Conley.

The original address of the house appears to have been 154 East **39th Avenue**.

## **Residents**

- James L. Conley from at least 1913 to at least 1920
- Jane Conley
- Bennett Souther - Border in 1920
- Calvin Souther - Border in 1920

## **Related Links**

- NE 39th Avenue
- Streets

- PortlandMaps.com

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Categories: Houses | 1913 | NE 39th Avenue

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Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted  
Jennifer Bestel



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From: "J B" <jbestel@msn.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 9, 2009 9:05:30 AM PDT  
To: "samadams" <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

## 39th is historic

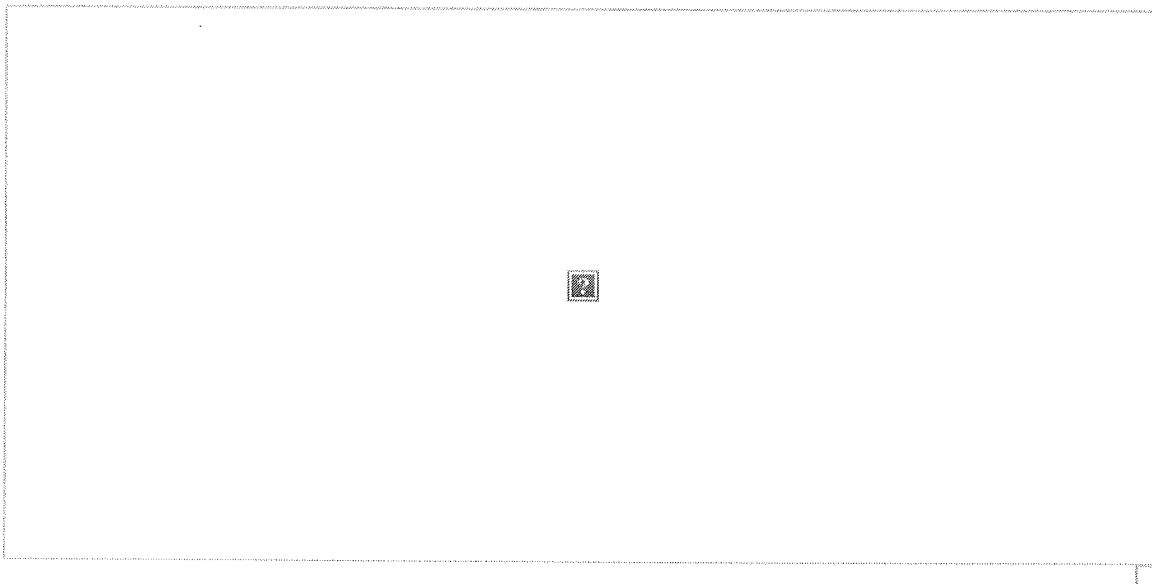
**Photo: An early photo of Ladd's farm as seen as if looking down NE 39th Avenue from Coe Circle with what would become Laurelhurst Park in the distance on the right**

# Hazel Fern Farm

## From Our Laurelhurst Wiki

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Hazel Fern Farm was the name of the property that would become Laurelhurst. It was assembled by William S. Ladd from a number of different tracts.



Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

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Jennifer Bestel

From: "J B" <jbestel@msn.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 9, 2009 9:00:17 AM PDT  
To: "samadams" <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

## **39th is Historic**

Map of Laurelhurst -- featuring 39th as major historic thoroughfare

# **1916 Plat Map**

## **From Our Laurelhurst Wiki**

(Redirected from [1916 plat map](#))

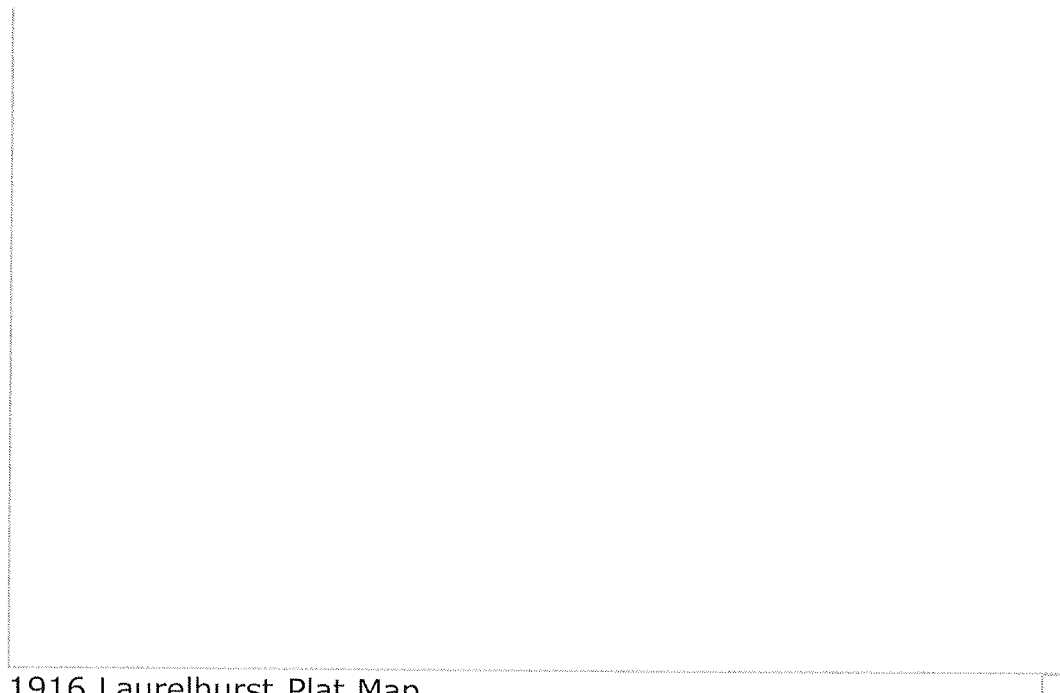
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This is a map of the Laurelhurst neighborhood dated April 2nd, 1916. It shows the individual lots of the neighborhood, as well as illustrations of every house that was built at the time.

1916 Laurelhurst Plat Map



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1916 Laurelhurst Plat Map

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. Respectfully submitted

From: "J B" <jbestel@msn.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 9, 2009 8:55:16 AM PDT  
To: "samadams" <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

### **39th is historic**

This is a list of houses and properties in Laurelhurst that are on the National Register of Historic Places:

- 3604 SE Oak St - The Louis J. Bader House and Garden - Registered October 30, 1989
- 3574 E Burnside St - The Paul C. Murphy House - Registered February 28, 1991
- 3360 SE Ankeny St - The Albee House - Registered October 22, 1992
- Laurelhurst Park - Registered January 16, 2001
- **211 NE 39th Ave - The Ruby House - Registered January 29, 2006**

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted  
Jennifer Bestel

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Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 9, 2009 8:49:29 AM PDT  
To: "samadams" <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

## 128 NE 39th Ave

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Photos from [Laurelhurst and Its Park, page 21](#)  
around 1916

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## [[edit](#)] History

House Built: [1916](#)

According to the Oregon Historical Society's picture file noted below, the original owner was [P.J. Hollahan](#), and later owned by [Henry C. Fixott](#).

Photographs of both the interior and exterior of the house (at left) appear on page 21 of the Laurelhurst sales brochure *[Laurelhurst and Its Park](#)*, as well as in an advertisement on [page 31](#) of that same document by [A. Pajunen](#), *Contractor and Builder* who was the builder of this home.

## [[edit](#)] Documents

The [Oregon Historical Society](#) has one photo of this house. The date of the photo is unknown, and, as permission has not been requested by the copyright owner (if the photos are even under copyright), it is not presented here.

Below is the information about the photo that the Historical Society has on file.

## [[edit](#)] Photo of Front and Side

- Order #: 019736
- Loc/Orig: 0345P011
- File Category: Portland/Residences/Hollahan, P.J.
- Date: Unknown
- Location: Portland
- Title: Colonial revival style house, owned by P.J. Hollahan, later owned by Henry C. Fixott at 128 NE 39th & Davis.
- Accession #: 000 000
- Collection Name: Journal
- Photog:
- Loc/Neg: 019736
- Former Coll#:
- Restrictions: No

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- Portraits

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Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted  
Jennifer Bestel



From: "J B" <jbestel@msn.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 9, 2009 6:55:24 AM PDT  
To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

I think you have answered your own question. **Why *would* you rename a major street of any import???**

*The Commission determined that the intent was not to preclude renaming prominent streets. "Significant in its own right" must mean more than just being a major thoroughfare, otherwise no street of any import could ever be renamed.*

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted  
Jennifer Bestel

From: "J B" <jbestel@msn.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 9, 2009 7:23:49 AM PDT  
To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

39th is historic!

Among many of the historic structures along 39th include:

**All Saints School -- Founded 1936**

**Joan D'Arc Statue - Installed 1924**

Video: History of Joan D'Arc Statue in Portland <http://blip.tv/file/1198304>

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted  
Jennifer Bestel

From: "The Sundholms" <sundpenn@q.com>  
Subject: **Re: N.E. 39th**  
Date: June 9, 2009 12:17:29 AM PDT  
To: "Eric Fruits" <info@save39th.com>  
▶ 2 Attachments, 32.5 KB

Thanks Eric - appreciate your prompt response -- have only had one response to my letters - from Amanda Fritz who is undecided. My neighbor got a response from Nick Fish who lives on N.E. 39th and who seems to be pro changing the name -

Have you heard anything from the Hollywood Booster membership or from the Grant Park Neighborhood Assoc.?

If there is anything you think I could help with, please let me know --

*The Sundholms*

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From: dave williams <dave.williams@razorfish.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 8, 2009 8:44:35 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

From: "Robert McClure" <robertmcclure01@hotmail.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 8, 2009 8:11:49 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

I want to ask that you not vote on the renaming of 39<sup>th</sup> street, it would be weird to be driving on Hawthorne , following the street numbers and then come to a named street , that will throw off a lot of people, I have an idea , why not rename delta park in north Portland !

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

Thank you for your time,

Robert McClure, s.e. 39<sup>th</sup> street resident

From: "J B" <jbestel@msn.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 8, 2009 1:45:46 PM PDT  
To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>

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Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

- **39th is historic** -- just ask the people who have the families that have lived, worked, attended school there for generations.
- Claiming that a major street, that runs through entire historic neighborhoods (plural!), isn't historic doesn't make any sense.
- Claiming that 39th is not significant is a "slap in the face" to every resident who has lived & worked there for decades. (The neighbors on either side of me have lived in their same home for over 50 years!)
- Claiming that that people are racist just because they want to save the history of their neighborhood is outrageous -- and you know it.
- Why would you want to force the people who live on 39th to accept such a major change when the majority have clearly said "No!"?
- Do you really think forcing this "respect" for *one* Latino person on *just the people who live & work on 39th* is going to create positive feelings for the Latino Community? This is not about racism, its about forcing the ideas of the few on a few other people. Would you support this if the change was to name the street **George W. Bush Ave.**? Some people think he's wonderful -- so shouldn't everyone who lives on 39th?

Instead of changing something old, why not dedicate something NEW to Chavez. This would save money and be **better for the environment** since no one would have to throw any "39th" stuff away?

Respectfully submitted  
Jennifer Bestel

From: "J B" <jbestel@msn.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 8, 2009 1:32:32 PM PDT  
To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>  
1 Attachment, 0.3 KB

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**Dear City Council,**

**Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.**

- Why not name the next New building, bridge, community center after Mr. Chavez? This would be widely accepted and much more economical (and Green) than changing every map, GPS system, street sign, personal addressed envelopes, stamps, etc. etc. etc. -- (its mind boggling to think of the actual cost to the environment.)

**Why not support a plan *everyone* can feel good about! 😊**

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Bestel & Family  
[jbestel@msn.com](mailto:jbestel@msn.com)

From: Diane Ehnes <dsehnes@gmail.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 8, 2009 12:29:58 PM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us,  
dan@ci.portland.or.us

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Dear Commissioner:

I feel that 39th Avenue IS significant in its own right. Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Ehnes



From: peggy@peggyandjustin.com  
Subject: **Please Don't change 39th ave**  
Date: June 8, 2009 9:45:43 AM PDT  
To: samadams@Cl.Portland.or.us, nick@Cl.Portland.or.us, Amanda@Cl.Portland.or.us, Randy@Cl.Portland.or.us,  
Dsaltzman@Cl.Portlnd.or.us  
Cc: info@save39th.com, schneider@uco.net

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Isn't it ironic, in a sad sort of way, that the city is requesting to burden and screw over a lot of people by changing a street name to someone who fought for the people?

Please do not change 39th ave to Ceasar Chavez Way. Why is this even necessary? Why must this change?

And who is going to pay for all the many many many aspects of this name change? On the personal and business levels the impacts are going to be terribly huge.. and may I point out how bad the economy is right now?

Please do not do this.

-peggy hawkwood  
442, se 39th ave

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From: "John Martin" <martinore711@comcast.net>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 8, 2009 8:03:35 AM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner: Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. Respectfully submitted.  
Patty Martin

From: "The Sundholms" <sundpenn@q.com>

Subject: **N.E. 39th**

Date: June 8, 2009 1:47:57 AM PDT

To: <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <tommiller@ci.portland.or.us>, <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <bfinn@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>, <tkovatch@ci.portland.or.us>, <leonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <tom.bizeau@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <sam.chase@ci.portland.or.us>, <info@save39th.com>

▶ 2 Attachments, 32.5 KB

Would appreciate reading in the Oregonian what the results were of the vote that was mailed to all residents/businesses of 39th Avenue -- have seen nothing anywhere -- or are we all so 'insignificant' that we don't merit this information?

Looking forward to a response

*The Sundholms*

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From: elizabeth plam <elizplam@qwest.net>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 7, 2009 2:37:53 PM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us,  
dan@ci.portland.or.us

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

Elizabeth Plam  
2624 ne 39th ave  
since 1987

From: "Eric J Harris" <Eric.J.Harris@comcast.net>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 7, 2009 10:34:59 AM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Ladies and Gentlemen,

It is absurd to think that at a time when the nation is in a recession and the state, cities, and counties of Oregon are in no better shape that it is being considered to waste money re-naming streets. The untold amount of money that you must consider is beyond the immediate impact of signage and labor; how about the amount that the individual businesses will be responsible for in reworking their letterhead, business cards, advertisements, etc, or that of the individual residents with their addresses on their checks, personal letterhead, return address labels, etc? And what of the various billing companies/agencies of the residents and businesses of 39th Ave being required to waste time, money, and effort in changing their files to send their bills and such to their customers? Or is this a covert method of stimulating the economy by wasting money?

The fact that 39th Ave doesn't meet the criteria of being named a boulevard, per the definition of boulevard, is yet another point in considering the wasting of time, money, and effort to rename it. If there must be something named to honor Cesar Chavez then the most responsible thing would be to name something being built/established or, if a street MUST be renamed, the portion of N.E. 82nd that veers off to the airport is a much better option - it is indeed a Boulevard (definition: boulevard (often abbreviated Blvd) is usually a wide, multilane arterial thoroughfare, divided with a median down the center). The area this boulevard runs through was an agricultural area and would be more appropriately named after an individual once involved in agriculture than 39th which is not a continuous through-street and is more well known for its long-ago established residential neighborhoods and businesses.

Your consideration in stopping the stupidity is greatly appreciated; I look forward to seeing this project stopped and redirected towards something more useful and appropriate.

*Semper Fi,*  
*EJHarris*

***"Management is doing things right;  
Leadership is doing the right things."***

Peter F. Drucker

From: DcnMarla@aol.com  
Subject: **Oppose changing 39th Ave.**  
Date: June 6, 2009 9:48:21 PM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, Amanda@ci.portland.or.us, randy@ci.portland.or.us,  
dsaltzman@ci.portland.or.us  
Cc: schneider@uci.net, info@save39th.com

Dear Mayor Adams and Commissioners Fish, Fritz, Leonard, and Saltzman,

My husband and I have lived on NE 39th Ave. since 1971 and we are opposed to renaming our street. My work is with Latino people and re-naming 39th Ave. for Cesar Chavez does not honor this great man as he deserves to be honored here in Portland. He deserves something bigger, such as the new light rail bridge or Delta Park.

It would be an entirely different scenario if a majority of residents and businesses along 39th Ave. had come together and decided we wanted the name of our street changed but to force a name change on us is really an abuse of your power.

As I have written to you before, it was right to re-name Union Ave. and Portland Blvd. for the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Mrs. Rosa Parks because those streets travel through the heart of the neighborhoods most affected by the Civil Rights movement, especially with Portland's history of racial discrimination and red-lining. 39th Ave. has no such immediate connection with Cesar Chavez' important work for justice for Latinos and farmworkers.

Please, please, please--we can do better than this. Let's go back to the drawing board and properly honor Cesar Chavez in a way that truly honors his work for justice and peace in America. There has got to be a way to make this into a win-win for all of us instead of the win-lose direction that we're headed in.

Sincerely,

The Rev. Marla McGarry-Lawrence  
2136 NE 39th Ave.  
Portland, OR 97212-5401  
503-287-9585

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From: Richard Zehr <rwzehr@gmail.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 6, 2009 8:52:32 AM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue, and let these "activists" know that their incessant carping to get their foolish proposal approved is not welcome.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. Zehr

From: "Geri Wilson" <slc101@comcast.net>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 5, 2009 3:53:20 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

Geri Wilson




From: "Sue Fischer" <lsuefischer@earthlink.net>  
Subject: **Dispense with the Pretense**  
Date: June 4, 2009 8:44:02 AM PDT  
To: <thestump@news.oregonian.com>  
Cc: "Janet Baker" <janbak@pacifier.com>, "Eric Fruits" <info@save39th.com>  
Reply-To: <lsuefischer@earthlink.net>  
1 Attachment, 1.2 KB

To the Editor:

By now it is utterly obvious that the City of Portland's so-called street re-naming process is a sham, designed to force the pre-determined outcome of changing the name of an existing thoroughfare to Cesar E. Chavez Blvd. As a native Portlander, and tax-paying resident of 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue for the past 30 years, who, along with roughly 90% of my 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue neighbors, responded to the City's survey with a "no" to the name change, I would feel less disrespected and abused if City leaders were to simply dispense with the pretense of fairness to the residents of 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue and have the guts to state that this is what they intend to do; if resident's and businesses don't like it, they can move or suck it up.

The fact that a 16 year-old who lives in Portland and "intends" to make it his or her home – and who is not required by the City to be a legal resident of the United States – can sign a petition to change the name of the street I've lived on for almost half of my life is so absurd and insulting it defies credulity. If City Commissioners want to salvage any shred of credibility in this situation, they will permanently pull the plug NOW on this project, and end what appears, at least to me, to be the relentless stalking of Portland's streets by Marta Guembes, Jose Romero, and whoever else is on the "mysterious and unregistered Cesar E. Chavez Boulevard Committee <http://www.save39th.com/>."

Otherwise, welcome to Stalingrad.



Sue Fischer

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**From:** Michael Peterson <mike.b.peterson@gmail.com>

**Subject:** **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

**Date:** June 3, 2009 11:30:08 PM PDT

**To:** "samadams@ci.portland.or.us" <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, "nick@ci.portland.or.us" <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, "rleonard@ci.portland.or.us" <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, "amanda@ci.portland.or.us" <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, "dan@ci.portland.or.us" <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner: Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. Respectfully submitted

Thanks, mike Peterson  
SE raymond st  
Reed neighborhood

Sent from my iPod

From: seth shikora <seth@shikora.org>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 3, 2009 3:47:51 PM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us,  
dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted  
Seth Shikora.  
Resident, Richmond District.

From: dave williams <dave.williams@razorfish.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 3, 2009 3:44:13 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>


▶ 1 Attachment, 2.7 KB

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted.

David Williams Associate Creative Director Office +1 (503) 423-2919 Mobile +1 (503) 888-0716 Fax +1 (503) 423-2901 

From: Harrington Family <jhfamily@easystreet.net>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 3, 2009 1:53:43 PM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioners:

After reading "Chavez would take high road," in the Oregonian on May 31, I was struck by two things. One: Cesar Chavez is a role model who worked tirelessly for social justice and deserves recognition in Portland for his accomplishments. Two: Renaming Northeast 39th Avenue to honor him seems arbitrary and meaningless. Chavez's son, Paul, makes an excellent point when he says "If it's just the street signs and holidays, that's nice ... but it's got to be more. If you have an educational component, then it would represent who he was."

If we truly want to pay homage to Chavez, then it should be in a way that is visible throughout our city and serves as inspiration to a broader audience. I propose that the entire Portland Community College system be named after Chavez to inspire people -- especially young Latinos -- to further the work of social justice in our city by continuing their education.

I ask that you please reconsider renaming NE 39th Avenue to ensure that your final decision will be relevant and significant to honoring Cesar Chavez.

Respectfully submitted,

Valerie Harrington

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From: "Ingrid Studebaker" <IngridS@allsaintsportland.org>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 3, 2009 12:20:40 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

Carla Russ

536 NE Floral Place

Portland, OR 97232

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From: Jay Rossiter / Signe <signe@cothlamadh.net>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: June 3, 2009 2:28:00 AM PDT

To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner: Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.  
Respectfully submitted

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Jay Rossiter  
503.896.6187

<http://www.cothlamadh.net/>  
[signe@cothlamadh.net](mailto:signe@cothlamadh.net)

From: "The Sundholms" <sundpenn@q.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 3, 2009 12:15:43 AM PDT  
To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>, <Amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>  
▶ 2 Attachments, 32.5 KB

Since N. E. 39th Avenue is considered to be 'an insignificant street' and is not even a 'through' street (it divides at Fremont and goes 3 blocks to the West at that point) It would seem to be irreverent for such an 'insignificant' street to be renamed for such an illustrious Farmer's Cause Leader!!!!

Why not that portion of N.E. 82nd that veers off to the airport -- part of Airport Way -- it is indeed a Boulevard (definition: **boulevard** (often abbreviated **Blvd**) is usually a wide, multilane arterial thoroughfare, divided with a median down the center) and at one time was part of an agricultural area.

Dear Mayor Sam Adams and all Council Members : Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.  
Respectfully submitted:

Dale and Penny Sundholm  
2443 N.E. 39th Avenue

*The Sundholms*

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From: debbiehushbeck@comcast.net  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 2, 2009 9:39:35 PM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us,  
dan@ci.portland.or.us  
Cc: info@save39th.com

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted,

Deborah Van Hoomissen Hushbeck

From: "Joe Mc" <joeemc@comcast.net>  
Subject: **And what would his son say?**  
Date: June 2, 2009 8:18:11 PM PDT  
To: <info@save39th.com>

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[http://www.oregonlive.com/portland/index.ssf/2009/05/chavez\\_would\\_take\\_high\\_road\\_on.html](http://www.oregonlive.com/portland/index.ssf/2009/05/chavez_would_take_high_road_on.html)

This should be posted on the front door of city hall!!

From: "WP Fuller" <wpfuller@qwest.net>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: June 1, 2009 11:45:35 PM PDT  
To: <dan@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <leonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>  
Reply-To: "WP Fuller" <wpfuller@qwest.net>

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Now is NOT the time to be spending limited city funds in this way.

The CITIZENS who live along 39th Ave (NE and SE) are overwhelming opposed to the possible renaming.

The cost to the merchants along 39th Ave is an unnecessary burden in these difficult economic times.

Please listen to those impacted by this possible renaming. Not a small minority of citizens (??) that measures only about 1/2 of 1% of the city's population. It isn't much of a stretch to say NO one is in favor of this possible renaming except the two listed members of the Name Change Committee.

Respectfully submitted

Bill Fuller  
228 SE 44th Ave  
Portland, OR 97215

From: carol parshall <cjparshall1980@gmail.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: May 30, 2009 10:39:57 AM PDT

To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Long time resident of this area and the only smart thing to do and make everyone happy is name a NEW street, park, etc. after him. In these times we all are aware of money and to rename 39th is so very costly for business and residents and not to mention just plain wrong.....with something new in his name there would be the original cost!

Please DON'T RENAME 39TH.....Leave our neighborhood as it is.....PLEASE!!!!!!!!!!

Respectfully submitted: James and Carol Parshall 3506 E Burnside St.

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From: janeysue06@comcast.net  
Subject: **Save 39th Avenue**  
Date: May 29, 2009 11:19:25 AM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us,  
dan@ci.portland.or.us

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Slunaker  
3926 NE Davis Street  
Portland, OR 97232

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From: "Mary K. Felice" <felice1@attglobal.net>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: May 28, 2009 10:24:49 AM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. 39th Avenue is a major numbered street in Portland and has its own historical significance in our city. From the practical standpoint it is also easy to direct people using our freeways and streets when they are looking for something in Northeast Portland. Whether it is Chavez or Obama or any other person of fame or public service, enough is enough in this renaming of our historical streets and sights. We should try to preserve our beautiful history. Original street numbers and names part of that history and should not be changed on some whim by some politician. It will cost the city a huge amount of public money (already is in extra meetings, web sites, petitions, etc.) in addition to the costs for businesses, big and small, plus the confusion for those of us who use 39th daily and our friends who might be trying to find us for dinner or a visit.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary K. Felice  
4025 N.E. Laurelhurst Pl.  
Portland 97232  
Laurelhurst resident for my lifetime of 66 years.

From: <MaryKStafford@eaton.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: May 27, 2009 6:45:25 AM PDT  
To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

I was born in the City of Portland. I lived one block from 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue in the Laurelhurst neighborhood and went to Laurelhurst Elementary School. There is no connection between the Laurelhurst neighborhood and someone named Chavez. Not only is 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue a major north-south thoroughfare on the east side of the city, but the renaming of 39<sup>th</sup> Avenue makes absolutely no sense.

I am proud to be from Portland. I was thrilled to work for the City of Portland Water Bureau for three years. I moved from the area in 2005 but still keep up on the news of the area because it will always hold a special place in my life and my heart. I wish I were closer now to fight this ludicrous renaming effort more effectively.

Again, please vote no on this proposal!

Respectfully submitted

Mary Kathryn (Hammann) Stafford

810 State Route 168

Darlington, PA 16115

[merrikat1@yahoo.com](mailto:merrikat1@yahoo.com)

Formerly of 3541 NE Couch Street, Portland, OR 97232 (and many other addresses in the metro area for over 30 years).

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From: "marie ritten" <marieritten@msn.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: May 27, 2009 12:25:11 AM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner: Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. Respectfully submitted

Marie Ritten



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From: "Don - Fix My Dead PC" <don@fixmydeadpc.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: May 26, 2009 3:01:15 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Mayor and City Council Members,

My name is Don Wells, I am the owner of Fix My Dead PC, a small computer repair business which is located on Southeast 39th Avenue at Lincoln Street. I am writing to you today because I am just blown away that this renaming process for 39th Avenue has been able to go so far without any support from it's residents and local business owners who live and work in this area. Since this process started last year, not once were any of us included or asked for our support in this decision. We were allowed to speak at public meetings regarding the significance of our street to historians in order for them to make their determination as to which street had the least amount of historical significance but not as to whether or not a street rename should even be considered. As a business owner and as a home-grown native of Portland, I feel that I've been railroaded and forced into making a change that is completely unnecessary and completely irresponsible for a city to do to it's citizens without any regard to their feelings or concerns.

I attended the City Planner meeting in which the Historian Panel made their decision that 39th Avenue had the "least amount of historical significance" and therefore was their obvious choice of the 3 streets proposed. Of the 3 choices, I would have to agree that 39th avenue is less significant than both Broadway and Grand Avenue, that's a no brainer!!! That's not to say that 39th has no significance, just less, otherwise the Cesar Chavez organization wouldn't be interested in it.

There has never been a question in my mind whether or not Cesar Chavez should be memorialized, I'm all for naming a NEW road or a NEW park or a NEW bridge in his honor. I am against RENAMING a road or street in anyone's name, which I clearly stated at the City Planning meeting when I was given an opportunity to speak. I was the person who made the comments that I wouldn't suddenly start calling my 14yo son by a different name and that P-Diddy would always be known as Puff Daddy. Taking an established street, building, park or anything else which has "significance in it's own right" is completely ridiculous and a waste of time and taxpayer funds, especially now when money should be used for repairing streets, not renaming them!

Nothing that I have said and nothing I have heard since this whole thing started has ever been racially motivated. Yet in the May 12th City Planner meeting, Irma Valdez insisted that it was. She went on to say that using excuses that there wasn't enough money and that it was an irresponsible act were just "Red Herrings" - you will have to ask her what she meant by that yourself, because I have no idea... She also went on to say that opposing this renaming process was simply a racist move and that if it was being renamed Abraham Lincoln Blvd, we wouldn't even be having this conversation!!!! THAT WAS THE MOST RACIST STATEMENT OF ANYONE INVOLVED REGARDING THIS ENTIRE MATTER AND SHE SHOULD BE DEALT WITH ACCORDINGLY!!!!!! When the entire audience tried to speak up and oppose her, she simply raised her opened hand to the crowd and shouted "we are in deliberation and you cannot talk right now". You will have to watch her on Comcast Cable channel 30 tonight at 7:30 in order to see her behavior.

I strongly urge you to reconsider the building of a new structure or road to memorialize the memory of Cesar Chavez or at least find an area or road where most everyone is in agreement as to the renaming instead of forcing a change onto people who adamantly oppose it. 88% opposition, according to your own survey of people who lived on the street... If you choose to ignore the opinion of the people who voted for you, the people will quickly realize you are not working in their best interest and will work to find someone better to fit the position.

Thank you for your time and I look forward to hearing back from you...

Don Wells

Fix My Dead PC

2039 SE 39th Avenue

Portland, OR 97214

503-239-5588

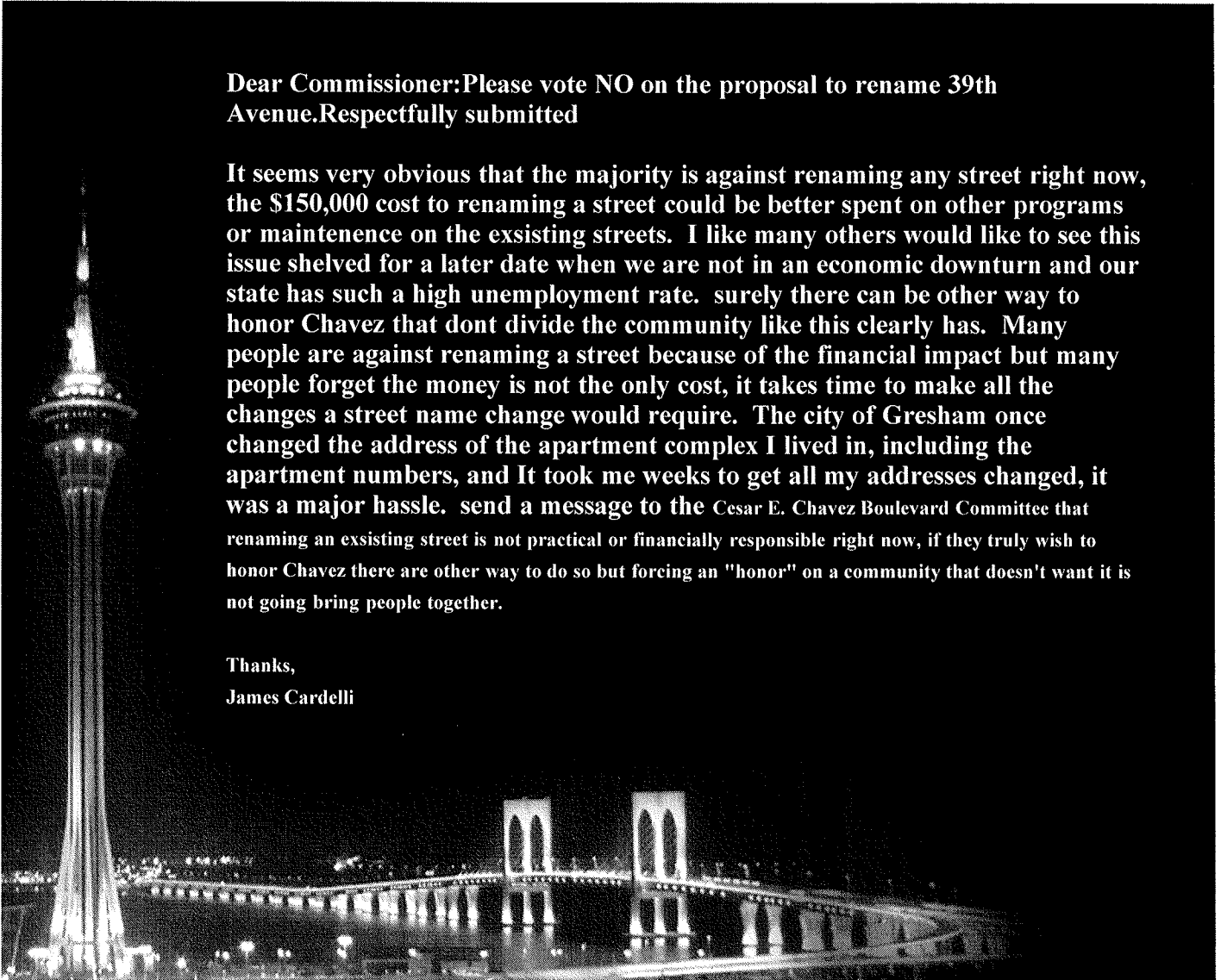
Dear Commissioner: Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. Respectfully submitted

From: James Cardelli <azzerath@yahoo.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: May 24, 2009 1:55:56 PM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us  
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**Dear Commissioner: Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. Respectfully submitted**

It seems very obvious that the majority is against renaming any street right now, the \$150,000 cost to renaming a street could be better spent on other programs or maintenance on the existing streets. I like many others would like to see this issue shelved for a later date when we are not in an economic downturn and our state has such a high unemployment rate. surely there can be other way to honor Chavez that dont divide the community like this clearly has. Many people are against renaming a street because of the financial impact but many people forget the money is not the only cost, it takes time to make all the changes a street name change would require. The city of Gresham once changed the address of the apartment complex I lived in, including the apartment numbers, and It took me weeks to get all my addresses changed, it was a major hassle. send a message to the Cesar E. Chavez Boulevard Committee that renaming an existing street is not practical or financially responsible right now, if they truly wish to honor Chavez there are other way to do so but forcing an "honor" on a community that doesn't want it is not going bring people together.

Thanks,  
James Cardelli



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From: Ingrid Gjestvang <gjestvang@worldnet.att.net>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: May 24, 2009 1:03:00 PM PDT

To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us, dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner:

In these troubled times, specifically, but also at any time, generally.....I beg of you quit wasting your time and use it, instead, to solve our present real problems.

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue!

Respectfully submitted

Jon Gjestvang

From: "alsgtaz@juno.com" <alsgtaz@juno.com>  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Ave**  
Date: May 22, 2009 9:53:10 AM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us,  
dan@ci.portland.or.us  
Cc: info@save39th.com

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

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From: "Karen Atherton" <karen@karott.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: May 21, 2009 10:25:42 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

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Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Atherton

Tax Paying, Voting, Legal citizen of Portland

From: Traci Pashley <tpas@vestas.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: May 21, 2009 11:47:54 AM PDT

To: "samadams@ci.portland.or.us" <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, "nick@ci.portland.or.us" <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, "rleonard@ci.portland.or.us" <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, "amanda@ci.portland.or.us" <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, "dan@ci.portland.or.us" <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote **NO** on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue. There are many historical figures that the City should be proud to honor, but renaming major streets is NOT the answer. Please hear the voices of your constituents. The citizens of Portland voted you into office to represent us in government. An overwhelming majority of us object to this change. Please keep this in mind as you cast your vote.

Respectfully submitted

Traci Pashley, Resident of Laurelhurst

From: STiazkun@aol.com  
Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**  
Date: May 20, 2009 11:08:45 PM PDT  
To: samadams@ci.portland.or.us, nick@ci.portland.or.us, rleonard@ci.portland.or.us, amanda@ci.portland.or.us,  
dan@ci.portland.or.us

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

Scott Tiazkun  
Laurelhurst resident

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From: "Steve Kasserman" <s.kasserman@comcast.net>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: May 20, 2009 8:15:31 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote NO on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

Respectfully submitted

And please STOP wasting my tax dollars!!!

Steve Kasserman

503-936-3640



From: "Janet Barrett" <tomandjanetbarrett@msn.com>

Subject: **Vote NO on renaming 39th Avenue**

Date: May 16, 2009 8:40:40 PM PDT

To: <samadams@ci.portland.or.us>, <nick@ci.portland.or.us>, <rleonard@ci.portland.or.us>, <amanda@ci.portland.or.us>, <dan@ci.portland.or.us>

Dear Commissioner:

Please vote **NO** on the proposal to rename 39th Avenue.

One of the lovely things about Portland is that it is easy to explain to visitors how to get around. 39th street is a key part of the explanation. Anybody can know where it is halfway between the river and 82nd. It is a significant street and should not be renamed.

Respectfully,

Tom and Janet Barrett  
3350 SE Colt Drive  
Portland, OR 97202

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**From:** Marie <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "City Hall insider literally carries the banner for the Chavez Boulevard Committee and urges no compromise"**  
**Date:** June 23, 2009 6:50:44 AM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "bluez2@hotmail.com" <bluez2@hotmail.com>

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New comment on your post #344 "City Hall insider literally carries the banner for the Chavez Boulevard Committee and urges no compromise"

Author : Marie (IP: 71.222.29.237 , 71-222-29-237.ptld.qwest.net)

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URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=71.222.29.237>

Comment:

I emailed City Hall and I urge all reading this website to do the same. The city needs to find an alternative that is not opposed overwhelmingly by the people this change effects the most.

I like the Oregonian's idea of naming the new pedestrian bridge that is being built across the Willamette after Mr. Chavez.

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**From:** Hutchins/Sanden <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""  
**Date:** June 22, 2009 10:10:13 PM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "dc.hutch@comcast.net" <dc.hutch@comcast.net>

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New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

**Author :** Hutchins/Sanden (IP: 71.237.165.126 , c-71-237-165-126.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

**E-mail :** [dc.hutch@comcast.net](mailto:dc.hutch@comcast.net)

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**Whois :** <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=71.237.165.126>

**Comment:**

Our city fathers laid out the city with a great deal of thought and wisdom. Their goal was to have a city that was very easy to travel throughout, for everyone. By utilizing the river and Burnside street to form the North/South and Named streets running East and West. This system has worked well for over 100 years and you people who work for "us" have no business tampering with this.

I am extremely disturbed and disappointed that with the Nation and world in a critical period of financial chaos, with thousands of businesses and some very large corporations declaring bankruptcy, schools struggling for funds to maintain a quality education and unemployment at an all time high, I would hope that the officials we elected to maintain civic affairs, would have more important business to address than changing the names of streets that our founding fathers so wisely chose.

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**From:** Sue <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""  
**Date:** June 22, 2009 4:46:24 PM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "bluez2@hotmail.com" <bluez2@hotmail.com>

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New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

Author : Sue (IP: 75.164.216.166 , 75-164-216-166.ptld.qwest.net)

E-mail : [bluez2@hotmail.com](mailto:bluez2@hotmail.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=75.164.216.166>

Comment:

We all need to take a stand against this street renaming business. If they want a street named, fine, pick a new street that needs a name. Better yet, why not a lovely park?

It seems to me that the people on the Chavez committee have decided it's going to be a street and any dissent is racially motivated. I don't care if you want to name it after George Washington. It's annoying when streets are renamed, people, businesses have to change any papers with addresses on it and pay for it themselves, it confuses the grid pattern, not to mention the city will have to pay for new signs that will probably get stolen during a recession.

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**From:** Sue <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Chavez Committee: We won't talk to ANYONE about alternatives to 39th Avenue"  
**Date:** June 22, 2009 4:41:08 PM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "bluez2@hotmail.com" <bluez2@hotmail.com>

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New comment on your post #299 "Chavez Committee: We won't talk to ANYONE about alternatives to 39th Avenue"

**Author :** Sue (IP: 75.164.216.166 , 75-164-216-166.ptld.qwest.net)

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**Comment:**

I don't get why this small group gets to say which streets get renamed. Portland has a grid pattern for a reason and this comittees decision to have no alternatives is not fair. I would think a lovely park would be a better testament to Chavez's life than a street.

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**From:** Jenna Amundson <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""  
**Date:** June 19, 2009 8:57:02 AM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "montana1971@hotmail.com" <montana1971@hotmail.com>

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New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

**Author :** Jenna Amundson (IP: 216.105.72.67 , 216-105-72-67.hsi.web-ster.com)

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**Whois :** <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=216.105.72.67>

**Comment:**

I have such fond memories of 39th..I lived about 1.5 blocks away, and cannot understand why they would want to re-name the street after Cesar Chavez. It makes absolutely no sense. I agree with other comments that perhaps a bridge or a park, or something that is new to be named, but not this old Portland street. Leave it be, and put our money and your time to better use. This seems an incredibly frivolous attempt at such a time as this.

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**From:** George Ivan Smith <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""  
**Date:** June 17, 2009 11:57:58 PM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "georgeivansmith@gmail.com" <georgeivansmith@gmail.com>

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New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

Author : George Ivan Smith (IP: 76.105.137.100 , c-76-105-137-100.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

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Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=76.105.137.100>

Comment:

None of the regretablely insulting comments above mention one important consideration in the renaming of any street. Many occupants of property along 39th Ave. have supplies of stationery,business cards,labels, advertisements,etc. that will be rendered useless by this street name change. They will incur significant expense in buying new materials. The city will pay for sign changes; there is no provision for compensating these citizens for a change demanded by others. The Committee seeking to rename 39th Ave. should be required to pay for these costs. As one who admired and supported Caesar Chavez,I find it sad that the City Council is being bullied by a group who clearly don't appreciate why Chavez himself would have rejected this "honor."

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**From:** bob <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""  
**Date:** June 17, 2009 9:41:27 PM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "nobody@nowhere.net" <nobody@nowhere.net>

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New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

Author : bob (IP: 24.20.40.189 , c-24-20-40-189.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

E-mail : [nobody@nowhere.net](mailto:nobody@nowhere.net)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=24.20.40.189>

Comment:

Rather then spend money on this ludacris idea of renaming a street running through the heart of "white" Portland for a Mexican activist, maybe we can spend money on saving Sam Adams homes before we recall him. I will sign the recall petition if this passes and seek other signatures to ensure a swift and immediate recall happens.

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**From:** patty martin <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Oregonian: City did not follow own procedure; at-odds with State procedure"**  
**Date:** June 16, 2009 9:26:32 PM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "martinorep@yahoo.com" <martinorep@yahoo.com>

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New comment on your post #256 "Oregonian: City did not follow own procedure; at-odds with State procedure"

Author : patty martin (IP: 24.21.221.159 , c-24-21-221-159.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

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Comment:

Dear Commissioners and Mayor Sam Adams,

Please note the City Auditor did not follow accepted State of Oregon Protocol for the validation of signatures related to 39th Ave Renaming process. Thank you for noting this inconsistency.

Please vote NO for the renaming of 39th Ave.

Sincerely John and Patty Martin residents on 39th Ave.

You can see all comments on this post here:

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**From:** EJHarris <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""  
**Date:** June 7, 2009 10:50:35 AM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "Eric.J.Harris@hotmail.com" <Eric.J.Harris@hotmail.com>

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New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

Author : EJHarris (IP: 24.20.111.208 , c-24-20-111-208.hsd1.wa.comcast.net)

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Comment:

It is absurd to think that at a time when the nation is in a recession and the state, cities, and counties of Oregon are in no better shape that it is being considered to waste money re-naming streets. The untold amount of money that you must consider is beyond the immediate impact of signage and labor; how about the amount that the individual businesses will be responsible for in reworking their letterhead, business cards, advertisements, etc, or that of the individual residents with their addresses on their checks, personal letterhead, return address labels, etc? And what of the various billing companies/agencies of the residents and businesses of 39th Ave being required to waste time, money, and effort in changing their files to send their bills and such to their customers? Or is this a covert method of stimulating the economy by wasting money?

The fact that 39th Ave doesn't meet the criteria of being named a boulevard, per the definition of boulevard, is yet another point in considering the wasting of time, money, and effort to rename it. If there must be something named to honor Cesar Chavez then the most responsible thing would be to name something being built/established or, if a street MUST be renamed, the portion of N.E. 82nd that veers off to the airport is a much better option — it is indeed a Boulevard (definition: boulevard (often abbreviated Blvd) is usually a wide, multilane arterial thoroughfare, divided with a median down the center). The area this boulevard runs through was an agricultural area and would be more appropriately named after an individual once involved in agriculture than 39th which is not a continuous through-street and is more well known for its long-ago established residential neighborhoods and businesses.

Your consideration in stopping the stupidity is greatly appreciated; I look forward to seeing this project stopped and redirected towards something more useful and appropriate.

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**From:** Steve Sharp <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "César Chávez himself says NO to street renaming"  
**Date:** June 7, 2009 8:49:07 AM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "steve@mediaPDX.com" <steve@mediaPDX.com>

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New comment on your post #94 "César Chávez himself says NO to street renaming"

Author : Steve Sharp (IP: 76.115.57.45 , c-76-115-57-45.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

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URL : <http://mediaPDX.com>

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=76.115.57.45>

Comment:

Did anybody else see the Oregonian article a week or two ago quoting César Chávez's son saying much the same thing? I tried searching oregonlive.com for it, but didn't find it there.

You can see all comments on this post here:

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**From:** "Penny & Dale Sundholm" <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""  
**Date:** June 4, 2009 12:47:43 AM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "sundpenn@q.com" <sundpenn@q.com>

New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

Author : Penny & Dale Sundholm (IP: 75.164.249.140 , 75-164-249-140.ptld.qwest.net)

E-mail : [sundpenn@q.com](mailto:sundpenn@q.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=75.164.249.140>

Comment:

Since N. E. 39th Avenue is considered to be 'an insignificant street', and is not even a 'through' street (it divides at Fremont and goes 3 blocks to the West at that point) It would seem to be irreverent for such an 'insignificant' street to be renamed to honor Cesar Chavez whose own son says he would not support such a controversial issue.

The idea of breaking the sequential numerical system is ludicrous - this system makes it simple to orient oneself when travelling on the East side of Portland.

If a street MUST be renamed, why not that portion of N.E. 82nd that veers off to the airport -- part of Airport Way -- it is indeed a Boulevard (definition: boulevard (often abbreviated Blvd) is usually a wide, multilane arterial thoroughfare, divided with a median down the center) and at one time was part of an agricultural area.

The Sundholms -

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**From:** Whatever <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "SURPRISE! City "finds" 30 more signatures"  
**Date:** June 3, 2009 10:00:46 PM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "noemail@mail.com" <noemail@mail.com>

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New comment on your post #264 "SURPRISE! City "finds" 30 more signatures"

Author : Whatever (IP: 71.236.163.69 , c-71-236-163-69.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

E-mail : [noemail@mail.com](mailto:noemail@mail.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=71.236.163.69>

Comment:

It is not a surprise!

The west side decides that their streets are too important to rename, but they find themselves free to rename streets on the east side.

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From: victoria <wordpress@save39th.com>  
Subject: **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "SURPRISE! City "finds" 30 more signatures"**  
Date: June 3, 2009 7:29:28 PM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com  
Reply-To: "balasdeb@yahoo.com" <balasdeb@yahoo.com>

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New comment on your post #264 "SURPRISE! City "finds" 30 more signatures"

Author : victoria (IP: 97.115.90.137 , 97-115-90-137.ptld.qwest.net)

E-mail : [balasdeb@yahoo.com](mailto:balasdeb@yahoo.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=97.115.90.137>

Comment:

I think we should request a full recounting and verification of ALL signatures. In addition, we should question the idea of a minimum age of 16 and no legal residence required. 16 year olds have absolutely no common sense.

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From: victoria <wordpress@save39th.com>  
Subject: **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Laurelhurst Neighborhood Association unanimously OPPOSES renaming 39th Avenue"**  
Date: June 3, 2009 7:25:10 PM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com  
Reply-To: "balasdeb@yahoo.com" <balasdeb@yahoo.com>

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New comment on your post #190 "Laurelhurst Neighborhood Association unanimously OPPOSES renaming 39th Avenue"

Author : victoria (IP: 97.115.90.137 , 97-115-90-137.ptld.qwest.net)

E-mail : [balasdeb@yahoo.com](mailto:balasdeb@yahoo.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=97.115.90.137>

Comment:

The people who have been using the racist button are the Caesar Chavez committee - namely Marta Guembes. Marta is the racist and is using divisive tactics to get her way. I thought this strategy was outdated but apparently it still works and makes people feel that they have to defend themselves.

It makes me furious.

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**From:** Sue Fischer <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "SURPRISE! City "finds" 30 more signatures"  
**Date:** June 3, 2009 4:18:08 PM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "lsuefischer@earthlink.net" <lsuefischer@earthlink.net>

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New comment on your post #264 "SURPRISE! City "finds" 30 more signatures"

Author : Sue Fischer (IP: 66.224.124.50 , smtp.cascadeemployers.com)

E-mail : [lsuefischer@earthlink.net](mailto:lsuefischer@earthlink.net)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=66.224.124.50>

Comment:

And, hey(!), it turns out to be just enough to achieve the 2500 milestone. It also indicates that your challenge of their process is on the right track, if they felt compelled to scare up just enough additional signatures.

Seriously, we need major publicity of the minimum petition signing age of 16 and no legal resident requirement. That is simply outrageous and should get some sympathy for our cause.

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**From:** Donna-Lee Moore-Stout <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""**  
**Date:** June 3, 2009 8:36:40 AM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "info@kokotravel.com" <info@kokotravel.com>

New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

Author : Donna-Lee Moore-Stout (IP: 24.20.22.211 , c-24-20-22-211.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

E-mail : [info@kokotravel.com](mailto:info@kokotravel.com)

URL : <http://www.mypalaceresorts.com>

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=24.20.22.211>

Comment:

It baffles me that anyone, including the City Council, thinks it is acceptable to spend money renaming ANY street at a time when money is needed in so many other places.

Is there not a new construction project that could honor this man?

I believe there is a new bicycle bridge project. Perhaps this would better represent the working class and not create unnecessary expenditures.

Renaming a street mandates that the street signs be changed, businesses will be required to change all of their business forms, notify their clients and spend money that they are not making presently. Residents will also spend time and money in response to a change of street names. Maps will need to be remade and the list of money spent goes on.

There are so many better uses of taxpayer money! Certainly someone has some common sense and will see that this change of street name is not necessary.

If there aren't any new projects going on in the city, there should be! We need to put people to work. That sounds more like an honor to Chavez! Perhaps a new light rail line or a new park from an empty lot.

Let's think people! Tighten the belts in time of recession, that's what the people do. How in the world does spending money on needlessly like this honor Cesar Chavez? He would be appalled!

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From: "Penny & Dale Sundholm" <wordpress@save39th.com>  
Subject: **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Welcome to Save 39th Avenue!"**  
Date: June 2, 2009 11:45:28 PM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com  
Reply-To: "sundpenn@q.com" <sundpenn@q.com>

New comment on your post #6 "Welcome to Save 39th Avenue!"

Author : Penny & Dale Sundholm (IP: 75.164.249.140 , 75-164-249-140.ptld.qwest.net)

E-mail : [sundpenn@q.com](mailto:sundpenn@q.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?quervinput=75.164.249.140>

Comment:

Just learned of this site -- have written 19 letters to all members of the City Council, NE Neighborhood Coalition, Hollywood Boosters, The Hollywood Star and Jim Mayer of The Oregonian -- The only response I got was from Amanda Fritz. Councilman Fish who lives on N.E. 39th Avenue has not responded -- Hollywood Boosters didn't seem interested and I have seen nothing from The Hollywood Star. The part that really incenses me is that '39th Avenue is 'insignificant' and therefore, by default, can be easily changed without a challenge. We have lived on N.E. 39th Avenue for nearly 50 years and would be happy to assist where possible as would my children who were raised here, and to whom I am sending a link to your website. Anything we can do to help - let us know by e-mail. Thanks and God Speed in your efforts!  
Penny & Dale Sundholm

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From: victoria <wordpress@save39th.com>  
Subject: **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Portland State Daily Vanguard on 39th Avenue: Listen to Portlanders"**  
Date: May 30, 2009 12:19:42 PM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com  
Reply-To: "balasdeb@yahoo.com" <balasdeb@yahoo.com>

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New comment on your post #115 "Portland State Daily Vanguard on 39th Avenue: Listen to Portlanders"

Author : victoria (IP: 97.115.88.242 , 97-115-88-242.ptld.qwest.net)

E-mail : [balasdeb@yahoo.com](mailto:balasdeb@yahoo.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=97.115.88.242>

Comment:

Oasispaw--

A huge number of people have helped bring about this website. You do realize that we have had a short time since 39th Street was selected by the historian panel and the Planning Commission. However, we have been working together to do research, writing letters (which I personally feel were mostly not even read) and spending hours and hours of our own individual time commenting on blogs and online news articles.

Regarding your comment "do your research," believe me I have spent so many hours doing research that I may as well have the material to write a logical critical analysis of this renaming streets agenda.

All these people including myself are opposed to the renaming of 39th Street (or any street for that matter). We feel that the process the City put in place is flawed. We also feel the City did not even follow their flawed process.

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**From:** Carol Parshall <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""**  
**Date:** May 30, 2009 10:49:12 AM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "cjparshall1980@yahoo.com" <cjparshall1980@yahoo.com>

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New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

Author : Carol Parshall (IP: 24.20.148.16 , c-24-20-148-16.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

E-mail : [cjparshall1980@yahoo.com](mailto:cjparshall1980@yahoo.com)

URL : <http://yahoo>

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=24.20.148.16>

Comment:

STOP THIS!!!!

You want to change history, leave our street alone and go somewhere NEW.  
UNBELIEVABLE.....THIS IS A HISTORIC NEIGHBORHOOD.

You can see all comments on this post here:

<http://www.save39th.com/?p=79#comments>

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From: karott59 <wordpress@save39th.com>  
Subject: **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Laurelhurst Neighborhood Association unanimously OPPOSES renaming 39th Avenue"**  
Date: May 28, 2009 9:12:08 AM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com  
Reply-To: "clancydogger@yahoo.com" <clancydogger@yahoo.com>

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New comment on your post #190 "Laurelhurst Neighborhood Association unanimously OPPOSES renaming 39th Avenue"

Author : karott59 (IP: 76.105.133.129 , c-76-105-133-129.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

E-mail : [clancydogger@yahoo.com](mailto:clancydogger@yahoo.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=76.105.133.129>

Comment:

It's a very sad commentary made that one would even have to think about 'qualifying' an opinion with "I am not a racist". What happened to freedom of speech? I thought we lived in America? Well, for now, anyway. Sheesh...it's doing me head in!

You can see all comments on this post here:

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From: jay stauffer <wordpress@save39th.com>  
Subject: **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Laurelhurst Neighborhood Association unanimously OPPOSES renaming 39th Avenue"**  
Date: May 27, 2009 6:14:29 AM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com  
Reply-To: "jaspdx@aol.com" <jaspdx@aol.com>

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New comment on your post #190 "Laurelhurst Neighborhood Association unanimously OPPOSES renaming 39th Avenue"

Author : jay stauffer (IP: 207.200.116.6 , cache-ntc-aa02.proxy.aol.com)

E-mail : [jaspdx@aol.com](mailto:jaspdx@aol.com)

URL : <http://twitter.com>

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=207.200.116.6>

Comment:

i am glad that there is some opposition to this  
i am not happy about it i am not raceist i just  
think they could pick a different street

You can see all comments on this post here:

<http://www.save39th.com/?p=190#comments>

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From: Antony Petchel <wordpress@save39th.com>  
Subject: **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""**  
Date: May 26, 2009 10:45:54 PM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com  
Reply-To: "anthony\_petchel@yahoo.com" <anthony\_petchel@yahoo.com>

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New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

Author : Antony Petchel (IP: 71.20.189.224 , 71-20-189-224.war.clearwire-wmx.net)

E-mail : [anthony\\_petchel@yahoo.com](mailto:anthony_petchel@yahoo.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=71.20.189.224>

Comment:

There are bigger problems that the city needs to be spending its time and money on!!!! Leave 39th Ave alone and work on the issues that matter!!

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**From:** Risky <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "The mysterious and unregistered Cesar E. Chavez Boulevard Committee"**  
**Date:** May 26, 2009 9:25:12 AM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "theelven+save39th@gmail.com" <theelven+save39th@gmail.com>

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New comment on your post #131 "The mysterious and unregistered Cesar E. Chavez Boulevard Committee"

Author : Risky (IP: 71.117.129.249 , static-71-117-129-249.ptldor.dsl-w.verizon.net)

E-mail : [theelven+save39th@gmail.com](mailto:theelven+save39th@gmail.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=71.117.129.249>

Comment:

@bob I disagree that street renaming should be ghettoized. I also disagree with renaming 39th to Cesar E. Chavez, there is nothing about 39th that makes it deserve to bear his name. The street bearing his name should have something to do with one of his causes, Worker's Rights, specifically Farm Worker's Rights, or Education.

Why should it be a "latino" section anyhow? Because he was? That's f'ed in the head. He supported rights for all, not just Latinos.

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From: Sally Taylor <wordpress@save39th.com>  
Subject: **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Tell the Laurelhurst Neighborhood to Save 39th Avenue"**  
Date: May 25, 2009 9:31:15 PM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com  
Reply-To: "salT@laurelhurstplace.net" <salT@laurelhurstplace.net>

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New comment on your post #169 "Tell the Laurelhurst Neighborhood to Save 39th Avenue"

Author : Sally Taylor (IP: 75.164.142.37 , 75-164-142-37.ptld.qwest.net)

E-mail : [salT@laurelhurstplace.net](mailto:salT@laurelhurstplace.net)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=75.164.142.37>

Comment:

The LNA is a day late and a dollar short on this crucial issue. Any resident or business address located on 39th was sent a notification of a possible name change on the 1st of March. By now we have taken it upon ourselves to circulate/sign petitions; we sent passionate emails to the Planning Commission. We are bombarding the City Council with more passionate, well written emails. There is NOT ONE VALID REASON to change 39th. The will of the people = NO CHANGE.

You can see all comments on this post here:

<http://www.save39th.com/?p=169#comments>

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**From:** Paul Kunkel <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** [Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""  
**Date:** May 22, 2009 12:04:47 PM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "kunkel1@starband.net" <kunkel1@starband.net>

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New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

Author : Paul Kunkel (IP: 148.78.86.234 , misc-148-78-86-234.pool.starband.net)

E-mail : [kunkel1@starband.net](mailto:kunkel1@starband.net)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=148.78.86.234>

Comment:

Leave 39th street alone. I grew up in that neighborhood and the numerical ID of the street is vital to orienting locations. It was never hispanic so the name change makes no sense. use something more dramatic if needed. Try a bridge or a park..

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**From:** Kay Atherts <wordpress@save39th.com>  
**Subject:** **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""**  
**Date:** May 21, 2009 10:23:36 PM PDT  
**To:** info@save39th.com  
**Reply-To:** "clancydogger@yahoo.com" <clancydogger@yahoo.com>

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New comment on your post #79 "Send email and letters to City Council saying "Save 39th Avenue""

Author : Kay Atherts (IP: 76.105.133.129 , c-76-105-133-129.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

E-mail : [clancydogger@yahoo.com](mailto:clancydogger@yahoo.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?queryinput=76.105.133.129>

Comment:

Disgusting political correctness run amok! Are you so sure and full of yourselves that you believe you can get away with ramroding everything through by shoving distasteful and hurtful things down the citizen throats? Can you not see that well over the majority of tax paying, voting, LEGAL citizens do NOT want this in any way, shape or form? Did you NOT learn your lesson from the debacle over Interstate Avenue? Stop trying to shove your political agendas down the gullets of the people who PAY YOUR SALARIES. You'd do well to remember that. Elections will come up sooner than you think. Stop being so flipping arrogant and think of the majority for a change and not the whiney minority.

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From: patty martin <wordpress@save39th.com>  
Subject: **[Save 39th Avenue - Portland, Oregon] Comment: "By big margins surveys say "Don't Rename 39th Avenue""**  
Date: May 21, 2009 9:08:42 PM PDT  
To: info@save39th.com  
Reply-To: "martinorep@yahoo.com" <martinorep@yahoo.com>

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New comment on your post #38 "By big margins surveys say "Don't Rename 39th Avenue""

Author : patty martin (IP: 24.21.221.159 , c-24-21-221-159.hsd1.or.comcast.net)

E-mail : [martinorep@yahoo.com](mailto:martinorep@yahoo.com)

URL :

Whois : <http://ws.arin.net/cgi-bin/whois.pl?quervinput=24.21.221.159>

Comment:

That is correct. city Council needs to weigh this survey for it speaks for the people who will be impacted by a renaming big time

You can see all comments on this post here:

<http://www.save39th.com/?p=38#comments>

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