



MARION COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Board Session Agenda Review Form

Meeting date: February 22, 2017

Department: Health Agenda Planning Date: 16 February 2017 Time required: 10 min

Audio/Visual aids

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Department Head Signature: [Signature]

TITLE Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Month Proclamation Presentation by members of the Intellectual and Developmental Disability Advisory Council highlight important events in Marion County for Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities.

Issue, Description & Background March is National Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month. More than 2,500 individuals and families in Marion County are enrolled in Intellectual and Developmental Disability services. The Intellectual and Developmental Disability Advisory Council (IDDAC) is comprised of a volunteer group of interested community members; including individuals/families receiving Intellectual and Developmental Disability services, advocates for individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities, and service providers in Marion County. Council members serve in an advisory role to the Health Department regarding all matters related to Intellectual and Developmental Disability services and support and continue to reach out to the community and to show case activities, events, resources and support that exist in the communities of Marion County. In conjunction with the National Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month, Marion County Intellectual and Developmental Disability Advisory Council is asking that Marion County proclaim the month of March as Intellectual and Developmental Disability Awareness Month in Marion County. A proclamation will be read by the Board of Commissioners to proclaim the month as Intellectual and Developmental Disability Month in Marion County. It is a chance to recognize and honor Marion County citizens and families with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities who strive to live full and complete lives at work, home and in the community.

Financial Impacts: No financial impact for the Proclamation Minimal costs for publication, flyers, etc. promoting upcoming events

Impacts to Department & External Agencies

Options for Consideration: 1) Issue proclamation; 2) Not make proclamation; 3) Take no action

Recommendation: Allow presentation and issue proclamation

List of attachments: Proclamation naming March 2017 Intellectual and Development Disability Month

Presenter: Cary Moller, Behavioral Health Division Director IDDAC Chair, Deborah Patterson and member(s)



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BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

FOR MARION COUNTY, OREGON

In the matter of proclaiming the month of)
March 2017 Intellectual and Developmental)
Disability awareness month in Marion)
County.)

PROCLAMATION

This matter came before the Marion County Board of Commissioners at its regularly scheduled public meeting on February 22, 2017.

WHEREAS, no fewer than 2,500 residents of Marion County live with intellectual and developmental disabilities; and

WHEREAS, Marion County is committed to work toward service options to assure that individuals with intellectual and developmental disability have the opportunity to live fulfilling and meaningful lives; and

WHEREAS, Marion County strives to support choices of individuals with intellectual and developmental disability and their families by promoting and providing services that are person-centered, person-directed, flexible, and community inclusive; and

WHEREAS, Marion County supports the discovery and development of the unique gifts, talents, and abilities of each individual with intellectual and developmental disability; and

WHEREAS, Marion County believes work is a fundamental part of life, and therefore, individuals with intellectual and developmental disability should be included in opportunities to participate in the local workforce; and

WHEREAS, Marion County seeks to advance social and policy change so that individuals with intellectual and developmental disability, their families, and their communities may live, work, play, and learn together; now, therefore

IT IS HERBY PROCLAIMED that the month of March, 2017 is Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month in Marion County.

DATED at Salem, Oregon, this _____ day of _____, 2017.

MARION COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Chair

Commissioner

Commissioner