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THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, LANE COUNTY, OREGON

**RESOLUTION** ) IN THE MATTER OF PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF APRIL 3-9, 2006  
**AND ORDER:** ) AS NATIONAL PUBLIC HEALTH WEEK.

06-3-22-1

WHEREAS, promoting, protecting, and preserving the health and quality of life for people in Lane County is a major goal of our county; and

WHEREAS, public health programs and services benefit everyone and are essential to a strong, successful health care system; and

WHEREAS, public health activities protect Lane County residents from communicable diseases, environmental and workplace hazards, chronic diseases, unintentional injuries, and violence; and

WHEREAS, prevention strategies improve infant mortality rates and childhood immunization rates, promote child and adolescent health, prevent teen pregnancies, and reduce child abuse; and

WHEREAS, educating and encouraging people to adopt healthy behaviors improves their well-being and prevents chronic illness and premature death; and

WHEREAS, Lane County's public health system of state/local and public/private partnerships is crucial to achieving the vision of healthy people living in healthy communities throughout our county.

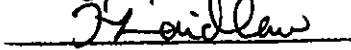
NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the Board of County Commissioners recognize and support April 3-9, 2006 as National Public Health Week, and encourage all residents to celebrate with activities that promote health and acknowledge the benefits of public health to our residents.

DATED this 22nd day of March 2006.

  
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Bill Dwyer, Chair  
Lane County Board of Commissioners

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Date 3/10/06 lane county

  
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OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL