

PASSED
THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, LANE COUNTY, OREGON

RESOLUTION:) IN THE MATTER OF PROCLAIMING SEPTEMBER 2004 AS
04-9-15-1) NATIONAL ALCOHOL AND DRUG ADDICTION RECOVERY
) MONTH

WHEREAS, September 2004 is celebrated across the country as National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month: and

WHEREAS, barriers to accessing treatment are a significant problem for people; with alcohol or drug use disorders; and

WHEREAS, such barriers include failures to identify affected people and direct them to treatment, inadequate public and private insurance coverage for treatment services, and shrinking state budgets that limit funding for treatment programs; and

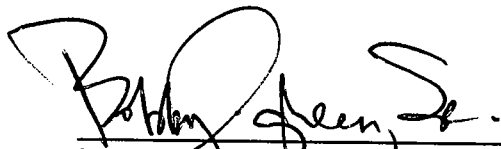
WHEREAS, saluting people who are in recovery from alcohol and drug use disorders, as well as those who have helped them obtain treatment, helps to overcome such barriers by educating the community about the benefits of treatment, and affirming the goal that all people with alcohol and drug use disorders should have access to treatment services; and

WHEREAS, to help achieve this goal, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, the Office of National Drug Control Policy, the State of Oregon invite all residents of Lane County to participate in **National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month; and**

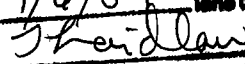
WHEREAS, acknowledging September 2004 offers those involved in substance abuse treatment an opportunity to educate the public, community organizations, public officials, and civic leaders about the effectiveness of treatment, both societal and financial;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDERED, that the Lane County Board of County Commissioners proclaim the month of September 2004 as **National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month** and encourage all citizens to support this year's theme "**Join the Voices of Recovery... Now!**" by supporting women, men, and youth who are in drug and alcohol addiction treatment and recovery and their families.

DATED this 15th of September, 2004



Bobby Green, Sr., Chair
Lane County Board of Commissioners

APPROVED AS TO FORM
Date 9/6/04 lane county


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