

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action: Be Adopted
Vote: 6 - 0 - 1
Yeas: Berger, Buckley, Esquivel, Roblan, Thatcher, Rosenbaum
Nays: -
Exc.: Hunt
Prepared By: Jim Stenbridge, Administrator
Meeting Dates: 5/7

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Extends sympathies to the family of Multnomah Circuit Court Judge Clifford L. Freeman.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Accomplishments of Clifford L. Freeman
- Importance of honoring public service
- Social justice and human rights
- Community court system

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Clifford L. Freeman, Multnomah County Circuit Judge, died August 21, 2006. Judge Freeman was the first judge to preside over Northeast Community Court and found ways for defendants to aid the community as part of their sentences. On April 21, 2006, just four months before his death, Judge Freeman received the Frohnmayer Award for Public Service, given yearly to recognize a graduate, faculty member, or friend whose public service brings honor to the University of Oregon School of Law.