

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

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<b>Action:</b>	Be Adopted
<b>Vote:</b>	7 - 0 - 1
<b>Yeas:</b>	Bailey, Barnhart, Bentz, Gilliam, Jenson, Smith J., Cannon
<b>Nays:</b>	0
<b>Exc.:</b>	Boone
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<b>Meeting Dates:</b>	5/14

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Memorializes Dr. Robert Bacon, 1918-2009.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Dr. Bacon's role in the passage of the Oregon Beach Bill
- Provisions of the resolution

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:** Dr. Robert Bacon received his doctorate from Yale University in 1940, joining the faculty at Oregon Health & Science University in 1955 until his retirement in 1988. He was a resident of Gearhart, Oregon for many years until his death on January 10, 2009.

Dr. Bacon was a tireless citizen advocate for the protection of the Oregon coast from barriers to public access and from development, and was instrumental in securing passage of the 1967 Beach Bill (chapter 601, Oregon Laws). Because of his efforts and achievements, millions of Oregonians and visitors have enjoyed the bounty and beauty of the Oregon coast and will continue to do so for generations to come. The Seventy-fifth Legislative Assembly extends condolences to his wife, Sue, and their family, and expresses sincere appreciation for his hard work and dedication to improving Oregon for all people, in the truest spirit of citizen involvement in public affairs.