

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action:	Be Adopted
Vote:	8 - 0 - 1
Yeas:	Barnhart, Berger, Dembrow, Hicks, Holvey, Jenson, Kennemer, Garrett
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Exc.:	Hoyle
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Meeting Dates:	4/3

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Honors Alice Richmond for contributions to community.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Ms. Richmond's work in the community of West Linn
- Efforts to organize community events and encourage civic participation
- Entrepreneurship of Ms. Richmond
- Work in apparel industry and at Pendleton Woolen Mills

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Considered to be a living piece of West Linn's centennial history, Alice Richmond has lived in West Linn for 55 years and in that span has been an integral part of the community. Ms. Richmond is well-known for her forward-thinking leadership and problem solving.

Born in Lyons, France, on May 26, 1930, Alice Richmond moved to New York City in 1949 to open her own clothing shop on Madison Avenue and to work as a clothing designer for apparel company Seventh Avenue. After marrying Robert Richmond, she brought her family west where, for the last 55 years, she has been a leader in the community and politically active in city issues, including working on initiatives for parks, water infrastructure and schools. Ms. Richmond ran for mayor in 2008 and is serving on the political action committee board to build a new police building for the West Linn Police Department.

She has been central to the launch of many of West Linn's most popular community events, including the Central Village Summer Days and the Oktoberfest. She has worked to produce the Summer Fun Music Concerts and the annual Fourth of July fireworks in historic Willamette Park and has created the 9/11 Yellow Ribbon Project to honor those who lost their lives on September 11, 2001.

House Concurrent Resolution 20 honors Alice Richmond for her innovation, entrepreneurship and the dedication she has shown to the City of West Linn.

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