

Dear Members of Oregon Legislature

I am writing in support of SB 333, which would designate each March 22 as Tom McCall Day. Having worked closely with Governor McCall during his tenure in office, which coincided with my environmental activism in the state, I know the impact of his support for issues such as the Beach Bill, the Bottle Bill, billboard removal, the creation of the Oregon Coastal Conservation and Development Commission, siting of nuclear power plants (yes, that was at one time a very big issue) and many other matters that add up to preservation of the special place that is Oregon.

This is a great way to encourage current and future generations of Oregonians to learn about this wonderful man, and to be inspired to contribute their own talents to the betterment of Oregon.

Thank you,

Maradel Gale