

SCR 27 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Carrier: Sen. Monnes Anderson

Senate Committee On Rules

Action Date: 04/24/17
Action: Be adopted.
Vote: 5-0-0-0
Yeas: 5 - Beyer, Boquist, Burdick, Ferrioli, Roblan
Fiscal: No fiscal impact
Revenue: No revenue impact
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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Recognizes 2016 Oregon Women of Achievement for outstanding leadership and service to people of Oregon.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Achievements of honorees
- Role of Oregon Commission for Women in selecting honorees

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Since 1985 the Oregon Commission for Women (OCFW) has presented the Woman of Achievement Award to women in Oregon for demonstrated leadership and success in their area of expertise, promoting the status of women in society and serving as role models. OCFW named Nancy Campbell Mead and Chanpone Sinlapasai-Okamura as recipients of the 2016 Woman of Achievement Award.

Nancy Campbell Mead enjoyed a distinguished career as a judge in Washington County, where she worked on domestic violence issues on behalf of vulnerable communities. Currently, she is a full-time advocate for women's equity on the local, state and national level, after she found the Central Coast Chapter of the National Organization for Women.

Chanpone Sinlapasai-Okamura is a partner at Marandas Sinlapasai, P.C. where she represents clients on general immigration law matters, specifically focusing on assisting children survivors of domestic violence, serious crimes and human trafficking. She also works to link vulnerable communities and the criminal justice system at the local, state and national level.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 27 recognizes Nancy Campbell Mead and Chanpone Sinlapasai-Okamura for outstanding leadership and service to the people of Oregon.