



Denny Doyle, Mayor

April 17, 2019

Senate Committee on Veterans and Emergency Preparedness
900 Court St. NE
Salem, OR 97301

RE: HCR 21- Recognizes and honors Chief Michael Duyck for his service to Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue and State of Oregon.

Dear Chair Olsen, Vice-Chair Anderson and members of the Senate Committee on Veterans and Emergency Preparedness,

I am writing to share the City of Beaverton's strong support for House Concurrent Resolution 21 in recognition of the nearly three decades of public service Chief Michael Duyck has given to the region.

Chief Michael Duyck joined Tualatin Valley Fire and Rescue (TVF&R) in 1995 holding several high-ranking positions until becoming Chief in September of 2010. His leadership has brought positive cultural and operational changes to the organization that is reflected by the stellar service TVF&R provides to our community.

Under his leadership, innovation programs like the alternative response unit and the data-driven community risk reduction initiative have led to national distinctions for the organization.

I have enjoyed Chief Duyck's partnership and believe recognition at the state level is very well deserved. I urge you to support House Concurrent Resolution 21. Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Denny Doyle". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Denny Doyle
Mayor