



## **PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS** the Milwaukie Center delivers more than 200 meals per day to homebound seniors through the Meals on Wheels program in North Clackamas County; and

**WHEREAS** the Meals on Wheels program is essential to adding to the quality of life of many homebound older adults and people with disabilities; and

**WHEREAS** March 21, 2012 is the nationwide "March for Meals" campaign; and

**WHEREAS** Clackamas County invited Milwaukie Mayor Jeremy Ferguson and other city leaders to join volunteers of the Milwaukie Center Meals on Wheels program in delivering meals to homes in Milwaukie; and

**WHEREAS** Mayor Ferguson will be teamed with a dedicated Milwaukie Center volunteer to deliver meals to approximately 10 of the more than 200 homebound seniors served daily by the Milwaukie Center; and

**WHEREAS** it is important to raise awareness of the Meals on Wheels program and offer support to the residents of Milwaukie who participate in this program; and

**WHEREAS** together we can make a difference by volunteering to deliver meals or donating to the Milwaukie Meals on Wheels program through the month of March at various local establishments;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, I, Jeremy Ferguson, Mayor of the City of Milwaukie do hereby proclaim the 21<sup>th</sup> Day of March as:

### **MARCH FOR MEALS DAY**

In Milwaukie and urge all citizens to observe this day with activities and acts of kindness that demonstrate and celebrate selfless giving.

**THE FOREGOING PROCLAMATION** was adopted by the City Council of the City of Milwaukie this the 6th day of March 2012.

  
Jeremy Ferguson, Mayor  
City of Milwaukie

ATTEST

  
Pat DuVal, City Recorder