

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, one of our nation's most dedicated group of public servants, the Fire Service, is honored during the second week of May; and

WHEREAS, Fire Service Appreciation Week focuses public attention on the many services provided by fire departments throughout the United States and Canada;; and

WHEREAS, Oregon is proud of its fire service, which is composed of 2,600 paid and 8,800 volunteer personnel in 400 departments, districts, and volunteer companies; and

WHEREAS, in addition to fire suppression, these men and women perform many public services such as fire prevention education , home safety inspections, pre-fire planning, fire and life safety code enforcement, and emergency medical services; and

WHEREAS, injuries, some permanently disabling, and death are common among fire personnel as they are employed in our nation's most hazardous occupation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Roger A. Hall, Mayor of the City of Milwaukie, Oregon, hereby proclaim the week of May 3 through May 9, 1987 as


FIRE SERVICE APPRECIATION WEEK

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the City to be affixed this 5th day of May, 1987.



Roger A. Hall, Mayor

ATTEST:



Jerri L. Widner, City Recorder