PROCLAMATION NO.	
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A PROCLAMATION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MILWAUKIE, OREGON, TO SUPPORT NATIONAL NIGHT OUT 1997

WHEREAS, the National Association of Town Watch (NATW) is sponsoring a unique, nationwide crime and drug prevention program on August 5, 1997 called "National Night Out"; and

WHEREAS, the "14th Annual National Night Out" provides a unique opportunity for Milwaukie to join forces with thousands of other communities across the country in promoting cooperative, police-community crime and efforts; and

WHEREAS, Milwaukie Police Department plays a vital role in promoting crime and drug prevention efforts and is supporting "National Night Out 1997" locally; and

WHEREAS, it is essential that all citizens of Milwaukie be aware of the importance of crime prevention programs and impact that their participation can have on reducing crime, drugs, and violence in Milwaukie; and

WHEREAS, police-community partnerships and neighborhood safety and awareness and cooperation are important themes of the "National Night Out" program;

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, MILWAUKIE CITY COUNCIL, do hereby call upon all citizens of Milwaukie to join Milwaukie Police Department and the National Association of Town Watch in supporting the "14th Annual National Night Out" on August 7, 1997.

FURTHER, LET IT BE RESOLVED THAT, WE, MILWAUKIE CITY COUNCIL, do hereby proclaim Tuesday, August 5, 1997 as "NATIONAL NIGHT OUT" in Milwaukie.

Introduced and adopted by the City Council on July 15 , 1997

CITY OF MILWAUKIE

Craig J. Lomnicki, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pat DuVal
Pat DuVal, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

O'Donnell, Ramis, Crew, Corrigan & Bachrach



Memorandum

To:

Mayor and City Council

From:

Craig S. Stensrud, Crime Prevention Officer

Date:

June 5, 1997

Subject:

Request for proclamation approval

I am requesting that City Council adopt a proclamation approving Tuesday, August 5, 1997, as National Night Out in the City of Milwaukie.

National Night Out is an important nationwide crime and drug prevention event sponsored by the National Association of Town Watch. In its thirteenth year, it is an opportunity for citizens to join their neighbors and members of the police department in activities which foster police/community cooperation and crime and drug prevention awareness. National Night Out has been observed in the City of Milwaukie for several years. Neighborhood Watch and Neighborhood Association leaders will be contacted to encourage planning activities which observe the theme of "Give Neighborhood Crime and Drugs A Going Away Party".

No public costs are related to this activity. It is requested that Council proclaim Tuesday, August 5, 1997 as "National Night Out" in the City of Milwaukie.