

PROCLAMATION

National Library Week 2007

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Whereas, our nation's public, academic, school and specialized libraries transform their communities;

Whereas, libraries play a vital role in supporting the quality of life in their communities;

Whereas, librarians are trained professionals, helping people of all ages and backgrounds find and interpret the information they need to live, learn and work in the 21st century;

Whereas, libraries are part of the American Dream – places for opportunity, education, self-help and lifelong learning;

Whereas, libraries bring a world of knowledge both in person and online;

Whereas, libraries are key players in the national discourse on intellectual freedom, equity of access, and narrowing the “digital divide;”

Whereas, libraries, librarians, library workers and supporters across America are celebrating National Library Week with The Campaign for America's Libraries.

Now, Therefore, be it resolved that I, Alice Norris, Mayor of Oregon City, proclaim

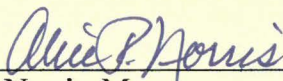
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and encourage all residents to visit our library this week to take advantage of the wonderful library resources available and thank our librarians and library workers for making information accessible to all who walk through the library doors.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Oregon City to be affixed this 4th day of April 2007.



Alice Norris, Mayor

