

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, construction is vital to our strong local economy yet remains one of the most dangerous professions; and

Whereas, the nature of the industry is fluid with craftspeople moving from firm to firm and project to project; and

Whereas, with proper planning, communication and controls, it is possible to eliminate injuries and incidents from construction sites; and

Whereas, no innovation in safety should be proprietary in order to send every worker across the region home safely after every shift; and

Whereas, local private and public owners in Oregon City have been national leaders in construction safety and have the opportunity to demonstrate leadership once again; and

Whereas, a diversity of stakeholders will enrich the dialogue and accelerate the adoption of best practices; and

Whereas, SafeBuild Alliance, a local non-profit advocating Zero Incidents through Collaboration has encouraged all members of the building community to share and learn in safety from one another; and

Whereas, every day should include a focus on safety, a coordinated annual event across the region serves to heighten awareness.

Now, Therefore, I, Dan Holladay, Mayor of the City of Oregon City, do proclaim

May 1-5, 2017

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Construction Industry Safety Week

And, in Oregon City encourage all residents to observe this week.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 19th day of April 2017.



DAN HOLLADAY, Mayor