MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

PROCLAMATION NO. 83

Proclaiming the Month of September as Emergency Preparedness Month in Multnomah County, Oregon.

Multnomah County Finds:

A. That the residents and businesses of Multnomah County can be severely impacted by natural and human-caused emergencies that can quickly disrupt services and overburden emergency response agencies.

B. That personal, family, neighborhood, and workplace emergency preparedness helps build a disaster-resilient community.

C. That family and workplace emergency preparedness is necessary for County employees to be ready to serve in their disaster response, support, or coordination roles when needed.

D. That County emergency preparedness includes the capability to restore its routine business operations and services to the public as quickly as possible following any major disruption of services.

E. That emergency managers at the County and across our Cities and other Special Jurisdictions work tirelessly to build and maintain preparedness, response, recovery, and mitigation programs that protect the lives and well-being of all people.

F. That Multnomah County recognizes the importance of raising public awareness about the vital role of emergency management and encourages all residents to take steps to prepare themselves, their families, and their communities for emergencies and disasters.

Multnomah County Proclaims:

The month of September as Emergency Preparedness Month in Multnomah County, Oregon, and urges County residents and employees to work with their families, neighbors, and communities to make preparedness a priority, starting by using the tools available at www.ready.gov and www.redcross.org/prepare and participating in local preparedness training.

SIGNED this 2nd day of September, 2026.

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