

PROCLAMATION

HATE CRIME IS NOT ACCEPTABLE IN KING CITY

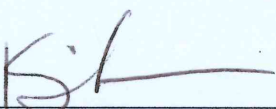
The City Council of King City, Oregon believe as the Declaration of Independence states, 'that all [people] are created equal and deserve the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness' for themselves and their families.

We uphold the freedoms granted by the Constitution of the United States for each and every person, including the freedom to discuss, air grievances and to disagree; however, crime and/or violence are never acceptable expressions of freedom. Those who break the law will be subject to the fines and/or jail time as ordained by the statutes of the city, county, state, and nation.


Further, while in some cases it is protected by the constitution, we denounce all hate speech in our community, and our country, and believe that is un-American to espouse such views. We specifically denounce all speech that asserts that any one group is superior to another on the basis of race, religion, gender, age, sexual orientation, or status.

We encourage all persons to show fairness and consideration to their fellow citizens regardless of age, race, religion, gender, sexual orientation or status. Petitions for hearings regarding grievances will be heard when requested of the City Council.


In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hand and caused the Seal of the City of King City to be affixed on this 1st day of November 2017.



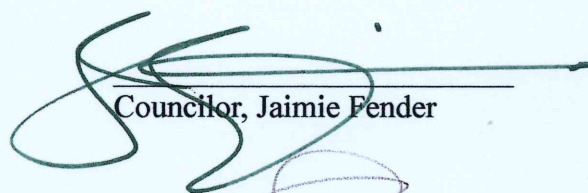
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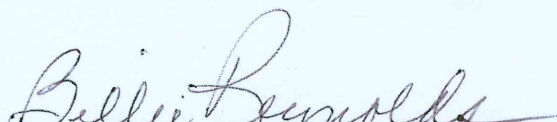
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Councilor, John Boylston



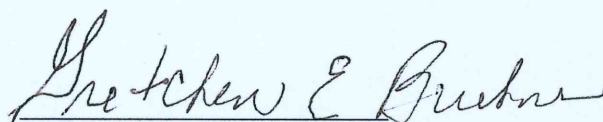
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