

## **BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

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November 27, 2019

Board of County Commissioner Clackamas County

Members of the Board:

Proclaiming Giving Tuesday in Clackamas County

Purpose/Outcomes	Recognition of the #GivingTuesday movement to create an international day of charitable giving at the beginning of the holiday season. Celebrated the Tuesday following the Thanksgiving holiday.
Dollar Amount and	N/A
Fiscal Impact	
Funding Source	N/A
Duration	December 3, 2019
Previous Board	The Board discussed this proclamation at the October 29, 2019 Issues
Action	session.
Counsel Review	N/A
Strategic Plan	1. Ensure safe, healthy and secure communities
Alignment	2. Grow a vibrant economy
Contact Person	Caroline Hill, Commission Policy Advisor – 503-655-8261

### **BACKGROUND:**

#GivingTuesday was established in 2012 by the 92<sup>nd</sup> Street & and the United Nations Foundation as a movement to create an international day of charitable giving. It is a multi-platform campaign involving many different nonprofits and donation processing platforms, all focusing on one single day to coordinate efforts to raise awareness and publicity to encourage philanthropy and volunteerism and move away from commercialization and consumerism following the Thanksgiving holiday. #GivingTuesday is celebrated five days after the Thanksgiving holiday.

This year #GivingTuesday will be celebrated on December 3, 2019.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff respectfully requests the Board of County Commissioners proclaim December 3<sup>rd</sup> Giving Tuesday in Clackamas County.

Respectfully submitted,

Gary Schmidt County Administrator



# Proclaiming Giving Tuesday in Clackamas County

*WHEREAS*, Giving Tuesday was established as a national day of giving on the Tuesday following Thanksgiving; and

*WHEREAS*, Giving Tuesday is a celebration of philanthropy and volunteerism where people give whatever they are able to give; and

**WHEREAS**, Giving Tuesday is a day where citizens work together to share commitments, rally for favorite causes, build a stronger community, and think about other people; and

*WHEREAS*, it is fitting and proper on Giving Tuesday and on every day to recognize the tremendous impact of philanthropy, volunteerism, and community service in Clackamas County, Oregon; and

*WHEREAS*, Giving Tuesday is an opportunity to encourage citizens to serve others throughout this holiday season and during other times of the year.

*NOW, THEREFORE,* the Clackamas County Board of Commissioners, do hereby proclaim December 3, 2019 as Giving Tuesday in Clackamas County. We encourage all citizens to join together to give back to the community in any way that is personally meaningful.

**Dated** this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2019

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