

RESOLUTION NO. 6808

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION AND APPRECIATION TO DEB BARR FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AND OUTSTANDING DEDICATION TO THE PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

- **WHEREAS**, Deb Barr came to the Portland Development Commission as a temporary hire in July 2005 and became a permanent full-time employee in November 2007;
- **WHEREAS**, Deb Barr has ably assisted the PDC Board, Executive Director Bruce Warner, Executive Office Supervisor Tracey Gemma and Senior Executive Board Coordinator Renee Castilla during that time;
- **WHEREAS**, Deb Barr has provided stellar customer service, has exhibited skills in crowd control, and has kept a professional and calm attitude at all times while always wearing a bright smile;
- **WHEREAS**, Deb Barr has a love of music and singing and has lent her beautiful voice to the PDC Black History Month choir while secretly wishing she could appear on "American Idol";
- **WHEREAS**, Outside the office Deb Barr is a woman with many talents and interests including owning and riding Harley Davidson motorcycles;
- **WHEREAS**, Deb Barr and her husband Rick combine their love of motorcycles with their church so they can minister to other Harley owners across the country;
- **WHEREAS**, Deb Barr's love of HOGs (Harley Owners Group) might explain her unhealthy obsession with bacon;
- **WHEREAS**, Deb Barr is as committed to her work at PDC as she is to her family including her husband of 37 years, three daughters, and five grandchildren whom she is extremely proud of;
- **WHEREAS**, Deb Barr is talented and artistic specializing in painting desert and ocean-related scenes; with plans to spend more time on this pursuit when she leaves PDC;
- **WHEREAS**, Deb Barr is the personification of her passion and interests being colorful and beautiful both inside and out;
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the PDC Board, and all her friends and colleagues at PDC, commend Deb Barr for her service to this Commission and for being a wonderful employee, special person and friend.
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted by the Portland Development Commission on June 23, 2010.

Renee A. Castilla, Recording Secretary



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PRESENT	COMMISSIONERS	VOTE		
FOR VOTE		Yea	Nay	Abstain
	Chair Scott Andrews			
	Commissioner Bertha Ferrán			
	Commissioner John Mohlis			
	Commissioner Steven Straus			
	Commissioner Charles Wilhoite			
☐ Consent Agenda ☐ Regular Agenda				

Certification

The undersigned hereby certifies that:

The attached resolution is a true and correct copy of the resolution as finally adopted at a Board Meeting of the Portland Development Commission and duly recorded in the official minutes of the meeting.

Renee A. Castilla, Recording Secretary

Date: August 19, 2010