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A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE DAY 2026

WHEREAS, the Holocaust was an order directive oppressing and murdering approximately six million Jewish people and millions of others during the reign of Adolf Hitler and the Nazi regime between 1933 and 1945; beginning with anti-Jewish policies to control undesirable people quickly escalating into genocide, mass executions, and extermination camps; and,

WHEREAS, we recognize the history of the Holocaust, reflecting the moral responsibilities of individuals, societies, and governments; and,

WHEREAS, the Holocaust reminds us of the tragic consequences of antisemitism, hatred, and dehumanization; while keeping in mind the consequences of the past, we witness daily assaults on our fellow global citizens today; and,

WHEREAS, we should always remember the consequences of antisemitism and remain vigilant against discrimination, hatred, persecution, and tyranny; and,

WHEREAS, remembering the dignity and rights of human beings and learning about the Holocaust defies misinformation and indifference.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Philomath City Council does hereby proclaim April 14, 2026 as Holocaust Remembrance Day in Philomath, calling upon all Philomath citizens to reflect on the defense of universal human rights being essential for sustainable peace, democracy, and liberty.

PASSED by the Council this ____ day of _____ 2026.

SIGNED by the Mayor this ____ day of _____ 2026.

SIGNED:

ATTEST:

Christopher McMorran, Mayor

Crystal Weber, City Recorder