

# PROCLAMATION

## Islamic Heritage Day

**WHEREAS**, the mission of the Muslim Educational Trust is to provide information about Islam to both Muslims and non-Muslims, to enrich public understanding of Islam, and to dispel common myths and stereotypes about Islam; and

**WHEREAS**, the Muslim Educational Trust serves the Muslim community's educational needs and helps create generations of well adjusted, committed Muslims who are able to face the challenges of modern life with pride, dignity, and confidence in the Islamic path; and

**WHEREAS**, the Muslim Educational Trust is focused on Islam as a faith, a cultural heritage, a moral code, and a way of life; and

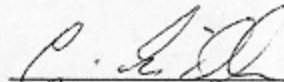
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I**, Craig Dirksen, Council President, on behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby acknowledge that Sunday, September 28, was designated as

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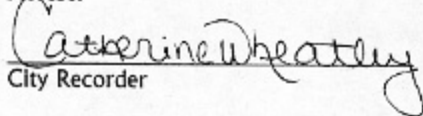
in Tigard, in recognition of the Muslim Educational Trust's contributions to the education of the broader community.

Dated this 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 2003.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Tigard to be affixed.

  
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Craig Dirksen, Council President  
City of Tigard

Attest:

  
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Catherine Wheatley  
City Recorder

