

# PROCLAMATION

## National Arts and Humanities Month

**WHEREAS**, the arts and humanities enhance and enrich the lives of all Americans; and

**WHEREAS**, the arts and humanities affect every aspect of life in America today including the economy, social problem solving, job creation, education, creativity, and community livability; and

**WHEREAS**, the nation's 23,000 cultural organizations, the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Humanities, the Institute of Museum and Library Services, the nation's 3,800 local art agencies, the arts and humanities councils of the 56 states and U.S. jurisdictions, and the President of the United States will be encouraged to participate in this celebration; and

**WHEREAS**, the month of October has been recognized as National Arts and Humanities Month by the United States Conference of Mayors;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I**, Craig Dirksen, Council President, on behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby proclaim:


October 2003 as

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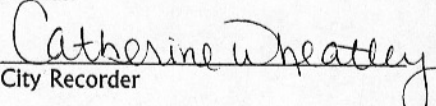
in the City of Tigard and urge all Tigard residents to participate in and to celebrate the cultural riches our community has to offer.

Dated this 14<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.

  
Craig Dirksen, Council President  
City of Tigard

Attest:

  
Catherine Wheatley  
City Recorder

