



BMCC Board of Education

Resolution in Celebration of the Annual Arts & Culture Festival

The BMCC Board wishes to honor the principles of community celebrated each year at the annual Arts and Culture Festival. These principles of community ensure the College is a welcome and inclusive place where:

- We are committed to freedom of expression and dialogue, in a respectful and civil manner, on the variety of views held by our varied and diverse College communities,
- We value differences as well as commonalities and promote respect in personal interactions,
- We do not tolerate acts of discrimination, harassment, profiling, intimidation or other harm to individuals on the basis of expression of race, color, ethnicity, gender, age, disability, religious beliefs, political preference, sexual orientation, gender identity, citizenship or national origin among other personal characteristics, and
- The annual Arts and Culture Festival is the College's centerpiece for promoting these ideas and principles. The Festival provides an educational opportunity that extends far beyond the campus boundaries of Blue Mountain Community College.

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The BMCC Board wishes to acknowledge the Mount Hood Community College Principles of Community from which many of these ideas have been taken.