BEFORE THE METRO COUNCIL

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FOR THE PURPOSE OF DECLARING A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF METRO COUNCILOR FOR COUNCIL DISTRICT NO. 2 **RESOLUTION NO. 07-3871**

Introduced by Council President David Bragdon

WHEREAS, BRIAN M. NEWMAN was elected to the Office of Metro Councilor for Council District No. 2 at the November 7, 2006 General Election for a four-year term, commencing on January 1, 2007 through January 2, 2011;

WHEREAS, BRIAN M. NEWMAN has tendered his resignation as Metro Councilor for Council District No. 2 to the Metro Council President effective October 6, 2007 at 12:00 p.m. pursuant to his letter to the Metro Council President dated September 11, 2007, attached hereto as Exhibit A;

WHEREAS, Metro Code Section 9.01.050 provides that the vacancy in office shall be filled by the making of an appointment by a majority of the remaining members of the Metro Council for a term ending on the first Monday in January 2009;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Metro Charter and state law, the remaining two years of the original four-year term shall be filled by election at the primary election to be held in May 20, 2008; and

WHEREAS, Metro Code Section 9.01.060 provides for the procedures to be followed by the Metro Council in making Metro Council appointments; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That the Metro Council declares that a vacancy exists in the Office of Metro Councilor for Council District No. 2, as provided for in Metro Code Section 9.01.030;

2. That the Metro Council President David Bragdon shall commence the appointment process for filling the vacancy as provided in Metro Code Section 9.01.050; and

3. That the remainder of the term of the Office of Metro Councilor for Council District No. 2 through January 2, 2011 shall be filled by election at the regular primary election to be held on May 20, 2008 and at the general election to be held November 4, 2008, if required by law.

	ADOPTED by the Metro Council this day of	October 2007.
	David	Bragdon, Council President
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Councilor Brian Newman

September 11, 2007

Council President David L. Bragdon Metro Council 600 NE Grand Ave Portland, OR 97232

Dear President Bragdon:

As you know, I have accepted the position of Director of Campus Planning and Development at Oregon Health and Science University.

I hereby resign my position representing district 2 on the Metro Council effective October 6, 2007 at 12 noon.

I have enjoyed my time working with you and the other councilors and I wish you all the best in your future endeavors.

Sincerely,

Brian M. Newman

Metro Councilor, District 2

cc Christine Billington, Clerk of the Council Daniel B. Cooper, Metro Attorney