BEFORE THE METRO COUNCIL

FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING)	RESOLUTION NO. 05-3587
PORTLAND STUDENTS' TRANSITIONS TO)	•
NEW SCHOOLS)	Introduced by Metro Councilor Brian
		Newman

WHEREAS, the Metro Council represents the 1.3 million citizens of the metropolitan area; and

WHEREAS, the Metro Council supports educational opportunities as a necessary resource that contributes to the livability and economic health of our region; and

WHEREAS, the students of Kenton Elementary are subject to school district budgetary constraints, obliging them to attend neighboring schools; and

WHEREAS, the Metro Council recognizes that change is inevitable, whether it be from home to home or from school to school; and

WHEREAS, the students of Kenton Elementary embody the future and promise of our region; and

WHEREAS, in the interest of extracurricular education and regional collaboration, Tri-Met and the Metro Council's Oregon Zoo have agreed to honor these students with a free trip to the Zoo; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Metro Council does resolve:

- 1. To recognize these students for their fortitude and spirit, and
- 2. To wish these students all the best in their future endeavors.

ADOPTED by the Metro Council this 12th day of May, 2005

David Bragdon, Council President

Approved as to Form:

Daniel B. Cooper Metro Attorney