

Whereas

Whereas, Karla Moore-Love has been a faithful public servant on behalf of the City of Portland for 30 years, beginning in the Bureau of Licenses;

Whereas, Karla has provided gracious and patient support to City Council as Clerk of the Council since 2001, guiding five Mayors and 11 Commissioners as they conducted the weekly business of the City over almost two decades;

Whereas, Karla worked for City Auditors Gary Blackmer, LaVonne Griffin-Valade, and Mary Hull Caballero, guiding her bosses, Auditor's Office staff, and countless City employees through the process of ordinance – and resolution-drafting, and agenda-setting, meeting procedures, minutes preparation, and records retention;

Whereas, Karla consistently modeled the best attributes of a public servant in her interactions with community members seeking to engage their government through communication and comment at City Council meetings;

Whereas, Karla persevered through marathon meetings too numerous to count, all the while keeping track of agenda items, procedures, motions, public commenters, and votes;

Whereas, Karla was lauded twice as a Wonder Woman and received a Spirit of Portland award in 2016 because her work in public and behind the scenes was exemplary.

Whereas, Karla is a mother, a native Oregonian, a Pit River Paiute member of the Klamath tribe, and an avid football fan;

Whereas, Karla officially retired August 1, 2020, but remained on the job to ensure a smooth transition of her Council Clerk responsibilities to her successor and to meet one last challenge: helping City Council launch and carry out virtual meetings during a global pandemic;

Whereas, a grateful City of Portland is better because of her grace, patience, humor, and wisdom

Now, therefore, I Ted Wheeler, Mayor of the City of Portland, Oregon, the “City of Roses” do hereby proclaim December 16, 2020 to be

Karla Moore-Love Day

In Portland and encourage all residents to observe this day.

Proclaim December 16, 2020 to be Karla Moore-Love Day
(Proclamation introduced by Mayor Wheeler)

Filed December 8, 2020

MARY HULL CABALLERO
Auditor of the City of Portland

By *Keelan McClymont*
Deputy

COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
	YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz		
2. Ryan		
3. Hardesty		
4. Eudaly		
Wheeler		