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My name is Ramesh Krishnamurthy and I have been a resident of Beaverton for over 30 years. An engineer by training, now retired, I was employed by Intel Corp in Hillsboro for over 25 years. My spouse is an alumnus of Portland State University with a business degree was also employed by Intel, now retired. Our children born, brought up and educated here in Oregon are now gainfully employed in their chosen professions and are on their path to be productive and model citizens of this great nation.

I have personally been involved with a lot of civic agencies and volunteer organizations – Beaverton Police Department, Diversity Advisory Board at the Beaverton Mayor's office, Cultural Coalition of Washington County, Clean Water Services Advisory Commission. I am also the elected commissioner on the West Slope Water Board.

The great state of Oregon has become our home, provided us the opportunity to grow professionally and a supportive community to educate and bring up our children. Oregon has also been encouraging and supportive of us continuing to cherish our Indian culture, traditions and heritage at the same time.

I am very glad that the Oregon Legislature is set to recognize the Indian Community on the occasion of the 75th Year of Independence. I request all of your support to this Concurrent Resolution.

Thank you.