

STATE OF OREGON
PROCLAMATION
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

- WHEREAS:** The “Smokin’ on the Columbia” will be held in Astoria, OR – Pier 39; and
- WHEREAS:** The BBQ Championship is an event that involves teams and judges from the entire Pacific Northwest and other states including Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, California and from Canada and will draw visitors from all of these states as well; and
- WHEREAS:** Four categories are included in the “Smokin’ on the Columbia Oregon BBQ Championship” which are ribs, chicken, brisket and pork; and
- WHEREAS:** The grand champion of the “Smokin’ on the Columbia Oregon BBQ Championship” will be designated as the State Champion of Oregon for this event and will allow the contestant to enter the draw for the Jack Daniels Invitational event and to be invited to the American Royal and Great American BBQ events; and
- NOW,**
THEREFORE: I, Theodore R. Kulongoski, Governor of the State of Oregon, hereby proclaim **May 16, 2010** to be

OREGON BBQ CHAMPIONSHIP DAY

in Oregon and encourage all Oregonians to join in this observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause the Great Seal of the State of Oregon to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Salem in the State of Oregon on this day, May 3, 2010.



Theodore R. Kulongoski
Theodore R. Kulongoski, Governor

Kate Brown
Kate Brown, Secretary of State