



# Active Bethel Citizens

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Mayor Lucy Vinis  
125 East 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
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Dear Mayor Vinis,

Active Bethel Citizens supports designating Eugene as a City of Kindness. "Choose Kindness" signs are springing up all over Eugene and Springfield and they are springing up in Bethel as well. Signs were distributed at our May 15 Active Bethel Citizens general meeting as well as at our We Are Bethel Celebration on June 1.

The dictionary says that kindness is the quality or state of being sympathetic, forbearing or having a pleasant nature. We will not always agree, but in this age of divisiveness it is important to remember that it is not necessary to be disagreeable. We are all made stronger individually and as a community when we treat each other with kindness and when we receive kindness from others.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Tai Puce-Zimmerman  
ABC Co-chair

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