

DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF LANE COUNTY

Executive Committee

7/2/2020

RESOLUTION 2020.3

A resolution of the Democratic Party of Lane County

Relating to the Vehicular Assault at June 28th's BLM Children's March

WHEREAS, the peaceful expression of beliefs is central to a functioning democracy,
and

WHEREAS, the Black Lives Matter movement is devoted to promoting a just and equitable society through peaceful protest, and

WHEREAS, on June 28 a peaceful children's march was hosted in Eugene in support of Black Lives Matter, and

WHEREAS, at that children's march a car ran through those gathered, and

WHEREAS, the driver of that vehicle was detained briefly before being released by EPD despite protestors being injured at the scene, and

WHEREAS, Black people continue to be targets of hatred and white supremacy in our community, and

WHEREAS, the Democratic Party of Lane County remains committed to peaceful expression and rooting out hatred and violence in our community

THEREFORE, the Democratic Party of Lane County resolves:

SECTION 1: Peaceful protest should always be respected.

SECTION 2: Whoever uses violence against peaceful protestors should be held accountable to the fullest extent of the law.