FROM (DEPT/ DIVISION): County Counsel

<u>SUBJECT:</u> Umatilla County Road Service District

Background:	Requested Action:
Previously, the Board initiated the formation of the Umatilla County Road Service District to provide funding for services to County Roads. The first public hearing was set on the matter for January 17, 2024. A final public hearing is set for February 21, 2024. There have not been any requests received to refer the district formation for an election. Following the public hearing, the formation of the district can be considered by the Board.	(1) Conduct Public Hearing(2) Adopt Order No. BCC2024-026

ATTACHMENTS: Proposed Order

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Checkoffs: () Dept. Heard (copy) () Human Resources (c () Fiscal (X) Legal (copy) () (Other - List:) ********	To be notified of Meeting: opy) Needed at Meeting: *******
Scheduled for meeting on:	February 21, 2024
Action taken:	
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Follow-up:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF UMATILLA COUNTY

STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of Creating)	
the Umatilla County Road)	Order No. BCC2024-026
Service District)	

WHEREAS, in accordance with ORS 198.835, the Board of Commissioners adopted Order No. BCC2023-047 and initiated the formation of a county service district for roads to be organized under ORS Chapter 451, to be known as the Umatilla County Road Service District;

WHEREAS, a hearing on the proposed formation of the Umatilla County Road Service District was held January 17, 2024, and the Board of Commissioners adopted Order No. BCC2024-010 setting the boundaries of the proposed district, and setting a final hearing for the formation of the district on February 21, 2024;

WHEREAS, notice of the final public hearing on the proposed formation was published in the East Oregonian on January 24 and 30, 2024, and was posted at the following locations: Stafford Hansell Government Center, 915 SE Columbia Drive, Hermiston, Oregon; Umatilla County Public Works Department, 3920 Westgate, Pendleton, Oregon; and the Umatilla County Courthouse, 216 S.E. 4th Street, Pendleton, Oregon;

WHEREAS, on February 21, 2024, the Board of Commissioners held a final public hearing to determine if the district should be formed and to consider public input.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Commissioners finds and orders that:

1. An election is not necessary for the formation of the Umatilla County Road Service District as insufficient written requests for an election were filed as required by ORS 198.810, and a permanent tax rate is not sought for operating taxes for the district.

2. The Umatilla County Road Service District is created as a county service district for County Roads throughout the County under ORS Chapter 451 and is declared formed effective February 21, 2024.

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3. The boundary for the Umatilla County Road Service District is as follows:

Beginning at a point on the boundary of the state and the eastern boundary of Morrow County, as described in ORS 201.250; thence southerly along such county boundary to the northern boundary of Grant County, as described in ORS 201.120; thence easterly along such county boundary to the boundary of Union County as described in the following section.

The boundary line between Umatilla and Wallowa and Umatilla and Union Counties begins at the terminus of Umatilla and Union Counties on the south and more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the summit of the Blue Mountains where the township line between townships 6 and 7 south intersects the summit; thence west on the township line to the southwest corner of section 33, township 6 south, range 35 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the northwest corner of section 4 of such township and range; thence west to the southwest corner of section 34, township 5 south, range 34 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the northwest corner of section 27, township 4 south, range 34 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence west to the northwest corner of section 27, township 4 south, range 33 ½ east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the northeast corner of township 4 south, range 33 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence west to the southwest corner of section 35, township 3 south, range 33 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the northwest corner of section 2, township 3 south, range 33 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the northeast corner of township 3 south, range 33 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence south to the northwest corner of township 3 south, range 33 ½ east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the southeast corner of township 2 south, range 33 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the northwest corner of section 31, township 2 south, range 34 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the southeast corner of section 28, township 2 south, range 35 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the northwest corner of section 3, township 2 south, range 35 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the southeast corner of

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southwest quarter of section 35, township 1 south, range 35 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 35, township 1 south, range 35 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the northeast corner of northwest quarter of section 36, township 1 south, range 35 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence south to the center of section 36, township 1 south, range 35 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the northeast corner of southeast quarter of section 36, township 1 south, range 35 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence south to the southwest corner of township 1 south, range 36 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east along the south boundary line of township 1 south, range 36 east, and township 1 south, range 37 east, to the southwest corner of section 33, township 1 south, range 37 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the northeast corner of section 20, township 1 south, range 37 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the southeast corner of section 13, township 1 south, range 37 east of the Willamette Meridian; thence north along the east boundary line of township 1 south, range 37 east, and townships 1 and 2 north, range 37 east, of the Willamette Meridian, to the northeast corner of township 2 north, range 37 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 4, township 2 north, range 38 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the township line between townships 3 and 4 north, range 38 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the southeast corner of section 34, township 4 north, range 38 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the northwest corner of section 23, township 4 north, range 38 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the southwest corner of section 17, township 4 north, range 39 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence north to the northwest corner of section 5, township 4 north, range 39 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence east to the southeast corner of section 31, township 5 north, range 39 east, of the Willamette Meridian; thence due north about nine and one-half miles, terminating at the state line between Oregon and Washington. All being East of Willamette Meridian, Umatilla County, Oregon.

4. This district will have as its service territory County Roads in the entire county.

5. Pursuant to ORS 451.485, the Board of Commissioners shall be the governing body for the Umatilla County Road Service District.

DATED this 21st day of February, 2024.

UMATILLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

John M. Shafer, Chair

Celinda A. Timmons, Commissioner

Daniel N. Dorran, Commissioner

ATTEST: OFFICE OF COUNTY RECORDS

Records Officer

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