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AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

For Board Business Meeting of February 2, 2015

DATE: January 22, 2015

FROM: Tom Anderson County Administrator 388-6565

TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM:
Deschutes County Sheriff's Office Transition

PUBLIC HEARING ON THIS DATE? No

BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

Deschutes County Sheriff Larry Blanton has submitted notice of his retirement effective July 1, 2015. Sheriff Blanton has developed a transition plan, including a recommendation on his replacement, and will present the plan to the Board of Commissioners. The plan is designed to help ensure a seamless transition in DCSO leadership, so that the public safety mission of the office is preserved.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

In order to ensure adequate training and operational understanding, it is possible that DCSO may come back at a later time to request permission for early replacement/hire of key staff. This will not include the position of Sheriff.

RECOMMENDATION & ACTION REQUESTED:

Consider the presentation and recommendation of Sheriff Blanton, and provide direction to staff on next steps.

ATTENDANCE: Sheriff Larry Blanton and DCSO command staff

DISTRIBUTION OF DOCUMENTS:

N/A