DATE: February 12, 2016

FROM: Steve Reinke 911 541-322-6101

TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM:
Consider an Order to place a measure on the May 2016 ballot which forms a new 911 District with a new permanent rate and withdraws territory from the current Deschutes County 911 County Service District; the new permanent maximum tax rate is $.425 per $1,000 of taxable assessed value.

PUBLIC HEARING ON THIS DATE? Yes.

BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:
In order for the Service District to change its permanent levy rate, territory in the current District must be withdrawn and a new District must be formed to take its place with a new permanent rate. This process can be accomplished concurrently with a single ballot measure.

On December 7, 2015, in Order 2015-055 the Board considered an economic feasibility statement and resolutions asking to be in the District from two-thirds of the public safety entities in the District’s service area (on a population basis) and ordered the formation of the replacement District.

On January 13, 2016 the Board held the first of two required public hearings; heard testimony; and signed Order 2016-003 to hold a second public hearing to place the measure on the May 17, 2016 ballot.

The final step in the process is to hold a public hearing to consider the attached Order and to determine whether to place a measure forming a new 9-1-1 Service District on the May 17, 2016 ballot.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:
None to the County.

RECOMMENDATION & ACTION REQUESTED:
Hold a public hearing; adopt Order.

ATTENDANCE: Steve Reinke.

DISTRIBUTION OF DOCUMENTS:
Two originals. One to Steve Reinke at the 9-1-1 Service District and one for the County's records.
BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF DESCHUTES COUNTY, OREGON, 
ALSO ACTING AS THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE DESCHUTES COUNTY 911 COUNTY 
SERVICE DISTRICT

An Order Approving a Measure on
Formation of a Deschutes County Chapter
451 Service District for Emergency
Communication Services and Withdrawing
Properties Currently in the Deschutes County
9-1-1 County Service District.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners ("Board") initiated formation of the
Deschutes County 9-1-1 Service District by Order No. 2015-055 and on January 13, 2016 conducted a
public hearing on the proposed formation, withdrawal of all territory in Deschutes County from the
existing Deschutes County 9-1-1 County Service District and a permanent tax rate limit and, by Order
No. 2016-003 approved formation, withdrawal and a permanent rate limit and as required by law,
scheduled an additional, second public hearing on February 17, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the Board, having provided two public hearings and received input from staff and
interested persons finds that it is in the public interest to present to the electors an option to provide
long-term stable funding for emergency communications; now, therefore

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF DESCHUTES COUNTY, OREGON,
also acting as the Governing Body of the Deschutes County 911 County Service District, hereby
ORDERS as follows:

Section 1. The proposed formation of an ORS Chapter 451 county service district for
emergency communications, including 9-1-1 services, is hereby approved.

Section 2. The withdrawal of all property in the existing emergency communications district in
Deschutes County to occur simultaneously with the formation of a new district is approved.

Section 3. No changes to the boundary of the proposed district as described in Order No. 2016-
003 are necessary or appropriate; accordingly, the boundary shall be substantially as legally described
in Exhibit “A” and depicted on the map in Exhibit “B,” both exhibits attached hereto and by this
reference incorporated herein.
Section 4. The name of the proposed district shall be the Deschutes County 9-1-1 Service District.

Section 5. The proposed Deschutes County 9-1-1 Service District, if formed, will have a permanent rate limit for operating taxes of $.425 per $1,000 assessed value that, if fully levied, would raise an estimated $8,665,034 in operating funds for the district in the 2016-2017 fiscal year.

Section 6. If long-term stable funding is approved by the voters, it is the intent of the Board to levy only $.3618 per $1,000 assessed value in the first two initial fiscal years which would raise an estimated $7,339,794 in operating funds for the 2016-2017 fiscal year.

Section 7. The Deschutes County 9-1-1 Service District shall be authorized to take all necessary and proper steps to plan, establish, furnish and maintain a 9-1-1 emergency communications system within Deschutes County and to construct, maintain and operate any related facilities pursuant to ORS 451.010 et seq.

Section 8. The County Legal Counsel shall prepare for Vice-Chair signature a draft ballot title, explanatory statement, SEL 803 and other necessary documents in advance of the May 17, 2016 election on formation and simultaneous withdrawal.

Dated this 17th day of February, 2016.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF DESCHUTES COUNTY, OREGON, ALSO ACTING AS THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE DESCHUTES COUNTY 911 SERVICE DISTRICT

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ALAN UNGER, Chair

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TAMMY BANEY, Vice-Chair

ATTEST:

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Recording Secretary

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ANTHONY DEBONE, Commissioner

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EXHIBIT “A”

Deschutes County as described in ORS 201.090 as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of
township 22 south, range 23 east of the Willamette Meridian; thence westerly along township lines to
the summit of the Cascade Range; thence northerly along the summit of the Cascade Range to the line
between township 13 and 14 south; thence easterly along such township line to the northeast corner of
township 14 south, range 13 east; thence southerly along the east line of range 13 east to the southwest
corner of township 16 south, range 14 east; thence easterly to the southeast corner of such township;
thence southerly along the range line to the southwest corner of township 18 south, range 15 east;
thence easterly along township lines to the northwest corner of township 19 south, range 17 east;
thence southerly to the southwest corner of such township; thence easterly to the northeast corner of
township 20 south, range 19 east; thence southerly to the southeast corner of such township; thence
easterly to the northeast corner of township 21 south, range 20 east; thence southerly to the southeast
corner of such township; thence easterly to the range line between ranges 23 and 24 east; thence
southerly along such range line to the place of beginning.

The portion of Jefferson County served by the Sisters - Camp Sherman Rural Fire Protection District
as follows: Beginning at the corner common to townships 13 and 14 south, ranges 9 and 10 east,
Willamette Meridian, Oregon; thence northerly, on the line common to said ranges 9 and 10, 4 miles
more or less, to the southwest corner of section 7, township 13 south, range 10 east; thence easterly,
1.0 mile more or less, to the southeast corner of said section 7; thence northerly, 1.5 miles more or less,
on the east lines of sections 7 and 6, to the east quarter corner of said section 6; thence westerly, 1.0
mile more or less, to the west quarter corner of said section 6, on said range line; thence northerly, 1.5
miles more or less, on said range line, to the northwest corner of section 31, township 12 south, range
10 east, Willamette Meridian; thence easterly, 3.0 miles more or less on the north line of sections 31,
32 and 33, to the northeast corner of said section 33; thence northerly, 5.0 miles more or less, on the
east line of sections 28, 21, 16, 9 and 4 of township 12 south, range 10 east, Willamette Meridian, to
the northeast corner of said section 4; thence westerly, 3.0 miles more or less on the north line of
sections 4, 5 and 6, to the northwest corner of section 6, also being the corner common to townships 11
and 12 south, ranges 9 and 10 east, Willamette Meridian; thence northerly, 6.0 miles more or less, on
the line common to ranges 9 and 10 east, to a point on the south line of section 31, township 10 south,
range 10 east, Willamette Meridian; thence northerly, continuing on the extension of the range line
common to ranges 9 and 10 east, in township 11 south, 0.6 miles more or less, to its intersection with
the “thread of the Metolius River”, being a point on the southern boundary of the “Warm Springs
Indian Reservation”, and also being the terminus of this “line description”.

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