

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

**RESOLUTION NO. 04-119**

Approving Reimbursement to the County for County Sponsored Projects from Title III Funding

**The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Finds:**

- a. The Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000 (PL 106-393), provides for funding from the National Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management for use by counties to benefit transportation, education, public safety, law enforcement and other public purposes.
- b. Title III of PL106-393 provides that these funds be dedicated to projects under the following authorized uses: Search, Rescue, and Emergency Services on federal lands; Community Service Work Camps; Easement Purchases; Forest Related Educational Opportunities; Fire Prevention and County Planning; and Community Forestry.
- c. Multnomah County, on May 22, 2003 and May 27, 2004, adopted Resolutions that elected to receive a portion of its annual federal forest payments as Title III project funds for federal fiscal years 2003 and 2004 (for expenditure after federal fiscal years 2003 and 2004, respectively).
- d. On May 10, 2004, the County published a Public Notice describing proposed Title III projects and opened a forty-five (45) day public comment period. That period ended June 25, 2004.
- e. The County received no comments during this period.
- f. The County currently provides several public services in and adjacent to federal lands that are eligible for Title III funding.
- g. The list of projects sponsored by Multnomah County for County FY 2004 includes:

Search, Rescue, and Emergency Services (Sheriff's Office)	\$221,913
Search and Rescue (BCS Emergency Mgmt & Finance)	\$835
Community Service Work Camps (Community Justice)	\$88,092
Administration of Community Service Work Camps (BCS Finance)	\$1,044
Fire Prevention and County Planning (BCS)	\$20,587
Total County Title III projects shown above	\$332,471

- h. The County expects to receive \$271,000 in Title III payments during County FY 2005 and authorizes estimated expenditures from those funds for the following projects:

Search, Rescue, and Emergency Services (Sheriff's Office)	\$220,000
Search and Rescue (BCS Emergency Mgmt & Finance)	\$800
Community Service Work Camps (Community Justice)	\$29,200
Administration of Community Service Work Camps (BCS Finance)	\$1,000
Fire Prevention and County Planning (BCS)	\$20,000
Total County Title III projects shown above	\$271,000

- i. On August 14, 2003, in Resolution 03-116, the Board recognized additional Title III eligible costs for Community Service Work Camps (Community Justice) performed by Multnomah County from FY 2001 and FY 2002 totaling \$112,463.

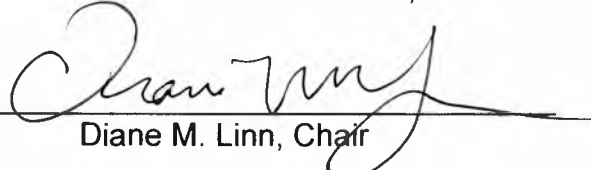
**The Multnomah County Board of County Commissioners Resolves:**

1. The County projects listed in g) and h) will be reimbursed from County Title III funds for expenditures incurred on these projects during the periods July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2004 and July 1, 2004 through June 30, 2005, respectively.
2. The County projects listed in i) will be reimbursed from County Title III funds for expenditures incurred on these projects during the period November 1, 2000 through June 30, 2002.

ADOPTED this 19th day of August, 2004.



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Diane M. Linn, Chair

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