BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

In the matter of the Board of County Commissioners authorizing the Chair to request Letters of Intent to participate in proposed financing of a newly constructed Donald E. Long Home)

Resolution No. #89-183

WHEREAS, the Donald E. Long Home, the Juvenile Court, and ancillary administrative spaces occupied by the District Attorney and the Juvenile Justice Division are in current need of extensive renovation; and

WHEREAS, the architectural firm of Kaplan, McLaughlin, and Diaz was engaged to furnish the Board of County Commissioners with various options for possible remodeling and/or replacement approaches for the Donald E. Long Home together with the probable cost of each option; and

WHEREAS, the Board has previously indicated its approval of phased rebuilding of a complete new facility on the current site of the Donald E. Long Home; and

WHEREAS, Washington County, Clackamas County, and the State Children Services Division (C.S.D.) all currently house juveniles at the Donald E. Long and compensate Multnomah County for such housing; and

WHEREAS, preliminary discussions with representatives of Washington and Clackamas Counties and with State C.S.D have indicated interest among these jurisdictions in contributing in one form or another to the costs of this new construction in order to ensure the future availability of space within the proposed new facility for detained juveniles under their respective jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, it is the current intent of the Board of County Commissioners to proceed with plans to finalize the scope, design, and financing of the Donald E. Long reconstruction by early in the spring of 1990;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of County Commissioners authorize the Multnomah County Chair to formally request that Washington County, Clackamas County and the State of Oregon send to the Chair within 30 days a signed letter expressing their respective intent to participate in the planning and to share by whatever stated means in the cost of constructing new juvenile detention spaces and related common areas within the proposed facility to replace the Donald E. Long Home.

Adopted this 12 day of Oct., 1989

By Gladys McCoy
Multnomah County Chair

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