



# MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

(Revised: 09/23/13)

## Board Clerk Use Only

Meeting Date: 3/6/14  
Agenda Item #: C.2  
Est. Start Time: 9:30 am  
Date Submitted: 2/18/14

**Agenda Title:** **Renewal of the Intergovernmental Agreement for Oregon Public Works Emergency Response Cooperative Assistance**

*Note: Title should not be more than 2 lines but sufficient to describe the action requested. Title on APR must match title on Ordinance, Resolution, Order or Proclamation.*

### Requested

Meeting Date: March 6, 2014 Time Needed: Consent

Department: Community Services Division: Road Services

Contact(s): Brian Vincent

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### Presenter

Name(s) &

Title(s): Consent

## General Information

- 1. What action are you requesting from the Board?** The Department of Community Services recommends approval to renew the Public Works Emergency Response Cooperative Assistance Agreement for a 5-year term.
- 2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer this action affects and how it impacts the results.** This is a renewal of Multnomah County's participation in the State-wide mutual aid agreement for response by Cities, Counties or the State in times of emergency. This agreement enables public works agencies to voluntarily respond and assist each other in emergencies, provides the mechanism for immediate response and established the necessary documentation needed to seek maximum reimbursement possible from Federal agencies. Multnomah County first entered into this agreement in 1998; this will be the fourth 5-year renewal.
- 3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).** There is no current or recurring fiscal impact. Multnomah County may respond to requests or may request support of others in the agreement when resources are needed. This agreement does not force the County to respond if resources are not available. If we are to provide assistance, funding would be borne by existing budget Road fund, and we would seek Federal or State emergency reimbursement as appropriate.

4. **Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.** The agreement is authorized under ORS 402.010, which provides for cooperative Assistance Agreements among public and private agencies for reciprocal emergency aid and resources.
5. **Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.** Currently, about 170 Cities and County Agencies participate in this agreement.

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**Required Signature**

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**Elected  
Official or  
Department**

**Director:** Kim Peoples /s/ **Date:** February 18, 2014

*Note: Please submit electronically. Insert names of your approvers followed by /s/ - we no longer use actual signatures. Please insert date approved.*