



MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

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Meeting Date: 8/15/13
Agenda Item #: R.2
Est. Start Time: 9:35am
Date Submitted: 7/30/13

Agenda Title: **Authorizing Settlement of Litigation associated with Sellwood Bridge condemnation case**

Note: If Ordinance, Resolution, Order or Proclamation, provide exact title. For all other submissions, provide a clearly written title.

Requested Meeting Date: August 8, 2013 **Amount of Time Needed:** 5 minutes
Department: Non-Departmental **Division:** County Attorney
Contact(s): Jenny M. Madkour
Phone: (503) 988-3138 **Ext.** 83138 **I/O Address:** 503/5/500
Presenter(s): Ken Elliott, Assistant County Attorney

General Information

1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

Approve settlement of litigation associated with the Sellwood Bridge condemnation cases.

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.

Settlement of this case is acceptable and, as it resolves the compensation issues, insulates the County from further liability and avoids the further use of County time and resources in the pursuit of the matter.

3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).

N/A

4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.

On December 18, 2003, the Board adopted Resolution 03-171 delegating authority to the County Attorney to settle claims and litigation against the County or its employees in amounts up to \$25,000 per case. The County Attorney must obtain Board approval for all settlements of over \$25,000.

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5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.

N/A

Required Signature

Elected Official or
Department/
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