

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON**

RESOLUTION NO. 2013-141

Declaring a Vacancy on the Board of County Commissioners District 1, Calling an Election, and Setting the Candidate Filing Deadlines.

The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Finds:

- a. The Multnomah County Code requires the Board to promptly determine and declare the date of vacancy upon becoming aware of a vacancy in an elective office.
- b. The Charter and Code also require the Board to call an election to fill the vacancy, and to set deadlines for candidates to file for election to fill the remainder of the unexpired term.
- c. Multnomah County Commissioner Deborah Kafoury's term of office ends December 31, 2016. Commissioner Kafoury announced her resignation from office effective 5:00 PM on Friday, October 18, 2013.
- d. The Charter and Code provide that when more than one year remains in the term of office, then a person shall be elected at the next May or November election date to fill the remainder of the term of office.
- e. Resolution 2012-094 approved Liesl Wendt as Commissioner Kafoury's Interim Designee. In accordance with the Charter and the Code, Ms. Wendt will serve as Acting Commissioner for District 1.

The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Resolves:

1. The elective office of Multnomah County Commissioner District 1 is declared vacant as of 5:00 PM on October 18, 2013.
2. An election is called for May 20, 2014, to fill the remainder of the current term of office for the Multnomah County Commissioner District 1.
3. This election and election date are certified to the Director of Multnomah County Division of Elections.

4. Candidates for Multnomah County Commissioner District 1 must file for election with the Multnomah County Division of Elections beginning on October 21, 2013 and by 5:00 PM on March 11, 2014.

ADOPTED this 17th day of October, 2013.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON



Marissa Madrigal, Acting Chair

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SUBMITTED BY: Marissa Madrigal, Acting Multnomah County Chair.