

Notice of Measure Election

District

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 rev 01/16 ORS 250.035,
250.041, 255.145, 255.345

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Notice			
Date of Notice August 18, 2017	Name of District South Lane Fire Rescue	Name of County or Counties Lane	Date of Election November 7, 2017

Ballot Title Prepare with assistance from the district attorney or an attorney employed by the district.
Caption 10 words which reasonably identifies the subject of the measure.
Renewal of current five-year local option tax for general operations.

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Question 20 words which plainly phrases the chief purpose of the measure.
Shall the District impose \$0.47 per \$1,000 of assessed value for general operations for five-years beginning fiscal year 2018-2019? This measure renews current local option taxes. <i>OK</i>

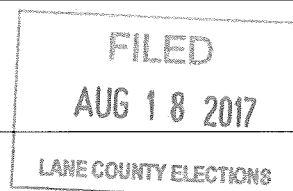
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Summary 175 words which concisely and impartially summarizes the measure and its major effect.
South Lane County Fire and Rescue seeks to renew the 2012 Operations and Staffing Levy for the purpose of continuing to provide 24/7 paramedic ambulance services from our staffed stations in Cottage Grove and Creswell. <i>35</i>
If renewed, the levy will allow the District to continue providing its current level of service from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2023. In addition, the continued presence of 24/7 365 staffing assists in maintaining the District's ISO Rating of 2/4/10W, which was achieved following voter approved establishment of the levy in 2012. <i>54</i>
Without the additional tax revenue generated by the levy, the District will be forced to reduce existing staffing levels and cut service, negatively impacting the District's service area and ISO rating. Specifically, the District would reduce or eliminate its paramedic level ambulance service due to the elimination of up to nine (9) firefighter/paramedic positions District wide. <i>56</i>
The proposed renewal of the \$0.47 per \$1,000 of assessed value is estimated to raise approximately \$955,749 in 2018-2019, \$984,421 in 2019-2020, \$1,013,954 in 2020-2021, \$1,044,373 in 2021-2022, and \$1,075,704 in 2022-2023. The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of estimate and may reflect the impact of early payment discounts, compression and the collection rate. <i>OK</i>

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Explanatory Statement 500 words that impartially explains the measure and its effect.
If the county is producing a voters' pamphlet an explanatory statement must be drafted and attached to this form for: → any measure referred by the district governing body; or → any initiative or referendum, if required by local ordinance.
Explanatory Statement Attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

Authorized District Official Not required to be notarized.	
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By signing this document: → I hereby state that I am authorized by the district elections authority to submit this Notice of Measure Election and I certify the above ballot title is true and complete.	



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Signature

Date Signed