

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF LANE COUNTY, OREGON

ORDER NO: 20-10-20-04

ORDER/ IN THE MATTER OF  
AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACTS  
FOR COVID-19 HOTEL USE AND  
CORRESPONDING CASE MANAGEMENT  
SERVICES AND GRANTING AUTHORITY  
TO THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR TO  
EXECUTE THE CONTRACTS

**WHEREAS**, The World Health Organization, the President of the United States, the State of Oregon and Lane County have declared COVID-19 a global pandemic and public health emergency; and

**WHEREAS**, many of Lane County's traditional winter warming strategies are not feasible during the pandemic; and

**WHEREAS**, one strategy deployed for warming services will be access to up to 100 hotel rooms for individuals experiencing homelessness who are at high risk of complications from COVID-19; and

**WHEREAS**, the anticipated start date for the project is November 2, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, Health & Human Services is currently conducting selection process for both hotel use and resident services; and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary to act promptly to award and execute contracts for these services to make housing available to medically fragile individuals experiencing homelessness;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Board of County Commissioners of Lane County **ORDERS** as follows:

1. Upon selection of vendor(s), contract(s) will be awarded for hotel use for individuals experiencing homelessness who are at high risk of complications from COVID-19 and the County Administrator is granted authority to execute contract(s) for this service.
2. Upon selection of vendor(s), contract(s) will be awarded for resident case management services of a hotel based emergency shelter project for individuals experiencing homelessness who are at high risk of complications from COVID-19 and the County Administrator is granted authority to execute contract(s) for this service.

ADOPTED this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020



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Heather Buch, Chair  
Lane County Board of Commissioners