

IN THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LANE COUNTY, OREGON

ORDER

- ) IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING THE
- ) SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO
- ) THE USDA FOREST SERVICE FOR A TIME
- ) EXTENSION ON THE USE OF SECURE
- ) RURAL SCHOOLS TITLE II FUNDING FOR
- ) THE INMATE FOREST WORK CREWS

WHEREAS, layoffs in the Sheriff's Office brought about by the loss of Secure Rural Schools funding took affect the end of May, resulting in a reduction in the number of Inmate Work Crews available for planned forest project work through June 30th; and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff's Office lapsed \$137,546 in Title II grant funds and \$143,303 in matching Title III funds which are not currently budgeted for FY 08-09; and

WHEREAS, the Title II grant funding was approved by the Resource Advisory Committees (RACs) specifically for the Inmate Work Crew project and cannot be used for any other purpose and if these funds are not re-obligated by the Forest Service for the Work Crew Project they will either be reassigned to another project or lapse back into the US Treasury; and

WHEREAS, the Title II funding is for Materials & Services items only and in order to be used effectively requires that the remaining Title III lapse funding from the Sheriff's Office also be used in order to pay the salaries of the Deputies running the work crews; and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff's Office is running out of funding for current work crew staff and may have to lay off a Deputy if additional funding is not found beyond September 18, 2008;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the Board of County Commissioners ratifies the County Administrator's signature on an application for time extension with the USDA Forest Service to extend the use of the Title II RAC funds from September 18, 2008 to June 30, 2011; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that if the USDA Forest Service approves the time extension the County Administrator is delegated authority to sign all related grant documents; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that if the USDA Forest Service time extension is granted that the lapse funding from remaining Title II and Title III funding from the Sheriff's Office be appropriated in the next Supplemental Budget.

Dated this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2008.

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Faye Stewart, Chair  
Board of County Commissioners

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
Date 8/20/08 Lane County  
Teresa [Signature]  
OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL