

MINUTES FOR THE
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
STATE OF OREGON, COUNTY OF JACKSON
WORK SESSION HELD ON
OCTOBER 12, 2021

The Board of Commissioners' Work Session was opened by Commissioner Rick Dyer on Tuesday, October 12, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. by videoconference. Those participating were:

Rick Dyer, Chair
Dave Dotterer, Commissioner
Colleen Roberts, Commissioner
Danny Jordan, County Administrator
Joel Benton, County Counsel
Kacie Kinney, Recording Secretary
Members of the Public and Press

1. *Order Increasing 3.00 Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Positions in the Sheriff's Office. Order No. 184-21*

Commissioner Dyer read the Order by title. Mr. Jordan explained that the Sheriff's Office has requested an increase in personnel of 3.00 full-time equivalent (FTE) positions. This will increase the FTEs for the Sheriff's Office from 182.00 to 185.00 for fiscal year 2021-2022.

Commissioner Dotterer made a motion to approve Order No. 184-21, as read. Commissioner Roberts seconded the motion. Those who voted aye: Commissioner Dotterer, Commissioner Roberts, and Commissioner Dyer. Motion passed.

Following the motion and roll call vote, Commissioner Dotterer, Commissioner Roberts, and Commissioner Dyer each authorized the use of his/her electronic signature on Order No. 184-21, pursuant to Order No. 1-21.

2. *Discussion Regarding COVID-19*

Commissioner Dyer spoke about the decline in the number of COVID-19 patients hospitalized locally in Region 5. Commissioner Dotterer said that he spoke to the local Veterans' Administration (VA), and was told that the VA is still seeing people come through their clinics for COVID-19 vaccinations. There was additional discussion about the State's reported vaccination rates and how the data from the VA is not included.

3. *Executive Session*

There was nothing for Executive Session.

There being no further business, Commissioner Dyer adjourned the Work Session at 9:05 a.m.

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/s/ Rick Dyer
Rick Dyer, Chair

/s/ Dave Dotterer
Dave Dotterer, Commissioner

/s/ Colleen Roberts
Colleen Roberts, Commissioner

Due to the existing novel coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic and the need to promote physical distancing, the Jackson County Board of Commissioners is conducting meetings through electronic and telephonic means. On January 5, 2021, the Board of Commissioners approved Order No. 1-21 authorizing the use of their electronic signatures on Ordinances, Orders, and other documents. Following the motion and roll call vote, Commissioners Dyer, Dotterer and Roberts authorized the use of his/her electronic signature on these minutes of October 12, 2021.

/s/ Kacie Kinney
Kacie Kinney, Recorder
Approved on: 10/27/2021