BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF LANE COUNTY, OREGON

ORDER NO: 19-08-27-06

In the Matter of Authorizing the Ponderosa Management Unit Savanna and Woodland Restoration Project on Mount Pisgah within the Howard Buford Recreation Area (HBRA), authorizing revenue generated by the project to offset project costs and be reinvested into HBRA, and delegating authority to the County Administrator to execute contracts associated with the project.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has adopted the Howard Buford Recreation Habitat Management Plan that calls for the restoration of prairie, savanna, oak woodland, and other rare habitats within Buford Park; and

WHEREAS, The Lane County Parks Division has been collaborating under a partnership agreement with the Friends of Buford Park & Mt. Pisgah to improve habitats within the park; and

WHEREAS, previous savanna and oak woodland restoration projects have been successfully implemented in adjoining parts of the Eastern Uplands Stewardship Zone at HBRA in 2012 and 2016; and

WHEREAS, Friends were successful in securing a grant from the Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board for financial assistance to help implement the Ponderosa project.

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

1. That the Parks Division proceed with implementing Ponderosa Savanna and Woodland Restoration Project on the east side of Mt. Pisgah; and
2. That the revenue generated from the project be used to offset the costs of the project and be reinvested back into HBRA.
3. The County Administrator is delegated authority to execute agreements and contracts associated with the project.

ADOPTED this 27th day of August, 2019

Pete Sorenson, Chair
Lane County Board of Commissioners

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Date 8/15/19

LANE COUNTY OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL