WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has been asked to form a county service district known as the Fern Ridge Community Policing District and associated permanent rate establishment onto the ballot for the May 17, 2016 election; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners held a public hearing on the proposed question on January 12, 2016 in order to gain additional public input on the formation; and

WHEREAS, the May 17, 2016 election is a primary election and will include a number of statewide candidates and measures; and

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State's Office will publish a voters' pamphlet it will distribute to each registered voter in Oregon; and

WHEREAS, The Lane Code, section 2.630 establishes that county measures may be included within the voters' pamphlet, and if so, that an explanatory statement shall be printed.

WHEREAS, there is a $300.00 charge to include the explanatory statement in the voters' pamphlet and Lane County shall pay that expense provided it is reimbursed from levy proceeds if the measure passes.

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

1. Consistent with Lane Code 2.630, the following five individuals are appointed as the Explanatory Statement Committee:
   a. Len Goodwin
   b. Heather Kent
   c. Joan Mariner
   d. Kim King
   e. Pete Lillie

2. The Committee is directed to write an impartial, simple and understandable explanatory statement, not in excess of 500 words, addressing the proposal to establish a permanent rate of $1.67/$1,000 total assessed value on real property located inside the proposed boundary of the Fern Ridge Community Policing District which would support Public Safety.
3. The County Administrator is directed to include the final draft of the explanatory statement developed by the Committee into the Board's February 9, 2016 meeting agenda item relating to ordering the County Clerk to include the question of forming the Fern Ridge Community Policing District and levying an associated permanent tax rate of $1.67/$1,000 total assessed value on real property inside the District.

4. The cost of the explanatory statement printing will be reimbursed to Lane County from levy proceeds if the measure passes.

ADOPTED this 12th day of January, 2015.

Faye Stewart, Chair
Lane County Board of Commissioners

APPROVED AS TO FORM
Date

LANE COUNTY OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL

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