

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR TILLAMOOK COUNTY, OREGON

In the Matter of Establishing) RESOLUTION
Participation in Oregon Public) #R-24- 015
Employees Retirement System (PERS))
for Tillamook County Employees)

This matter came before the Tillamook County Board of County Commissioners on October 9, 2024, at the request of Shawn Blachard, County Treasurer. The Board, being fully appraised of the records and files therein, finds as follows:

1. Tillamook County is an employer of public employees and qualifies as a "public employer" as defined in ORS 238.005(21).
2. Tillamook County wishes to begin participating as a PERS-covered employer as a "participating public employer" as defined in ORS 238A.005(12).
3. Tillamook County must determine and establish parameters for the future application of the PERS program for the County.
4. Tillamook County intends to join PERS pursuant to ORS 238A.070(3).
5. Tillamook County authorizes Shawn Blanchard, County Treasurer to represent it and establish a coverage agreement with PERS.
6. Tillamook County shall extend PERS coverage to all eligible employees working in eligible positions, hired on or after January 1, 2025.
7. Tillamook County will participate in the Oregon Public Service Retirement Program (OPSRP) Pension Program and the OPSRP Individual Account Program (IAP).
8. Tillamook County will participate in the PERS Chapter 238 Program for members of that program that it currently employs or may hire in the future in the class(es) designated for coverage to the extent set forth above.
9. Tillamook County intends to not participate in the unused sick leave program pursuant to ORS 238.350.
10. Tillamook County does not intend to participate in the State and Local Government Rate Pool (SLGRP).

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11. Tillamook County intends to submit the six percent (6%) IAP contribution on the employees' behalf using the member-paid pre-tax (MPPT) method pursuant to ORS 238A.335(2)(a) and OAR 459-009-0200(3).

12. Tillamook County proposes to commence participation beginning January 1, 2025.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that:

13. The Tillamook County Board of Commissioners hereby approves this resolution to participate in PERS and authorizes the County Treasurer to establish a coverage agreement with PERS.

Dated this 9th day of October, 2024.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR TILLAMOOK COUNTY, OREGON

Aye Nay Abstain/Absent

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Mary Faith Bell, Chair

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Doug Olson
Doug Olson, Vice-Chair

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Erin D. Skaar
Erin D. Skaar, Commissioner

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ATTEST: Christy Nyseth, County Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By: Debra Garland
Special Deputy

W.K. Sargent
William K. Sargent,
County Counsel

