

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON

In the Matter of Designating and Authorizing)
the Director of the Commission on Children)
and Families to make Sole-Source)
Determinations for Commission-funded)
Contracts)

ORDER NO. 26-2005

WHEREAS, pursuant to ORS 279B.075, a contract for goods or services may award a contract for goods and services without competition when the local contract review board or a person designated in writing by the board determines in writing that the goods or services or class of goods or services are available from only one source; and

WHEREAS, the determination of a sole source must be based on written findings that may include: (a) that the efficient utilization of existing goods requires the acquisition of compatible goods or services; (b) that the goods or services required for the exchange of software or data with other public or private agencies are available from only one source; (c) that the goods or services are for use in a pilot or an experimental project; or (d) other findings that support the conclusion that the goods or services are available from only one source; and

WHEREAS, the Director of the Columbia County Commission on Children and Families prepares numerous contracts for various projects funded by the Commission, subject to approval by the Board of County Commissioners and many of these projects are uniquely tailored to particular communities, age groups and/or factual situations, and fit the criteria for a sole-source determination; and

WHEREAS, there is need for efficient and timely administration of these contracts, and, because of the process the Commission engages in, the Director has a unique knowledge of the projects;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Director of the Commission on Children and Families is authorized and designated to make sole-source determinations for Commission-funded projects.

DATED this 15th day of June, 2005.


Approved as to form

By: 
Office of County Counsel

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON

By: 
Chair

By: 
Commissioner

By: 
Commissioner