BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON

In the Matter of Declaring a Fiscal Emergency)	
and Modifying Recording Dates under ORS 205.242)	Resolution No. 53-2009
for the Columbia County Clerk)	

WHEREAS, ORS 205.242(1) sets forth the days of the week on which the Columbia County Clerk shall receive and certify instruments presented for recording, such days being every day except Saturdays, Sundays and other holidays; and

WHEREAS, ORS 205.242(2) authorizes the Board of County Commissioners to limit the days during which the Clerk shall receive and certify instruments presented for recording, upon adoption of a resolution in which the Board determines that a fiscal emergency exists; and

WHEREAS, during the 09-10 budget process, the Board of Commissioners were forced to implement leave without pay requirements for Columbia County employees due to dwindling resources and increased costs; and

WHEREAS, the AFSCME Local 1442 agreed to 8 days of leave without pay during the fiscal year 09-10, on the following specific dates:

September 4, 2009; November 25, 2009; December 24, 2009; January 4, 2010; March 26, 2010; April 23, 2010; May 28, 2010; June 18, 2010.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners decided to close the Columbia County Courthouse to County business on the above listed dates for logistical reasons;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, as follows:

- 1. A fiscal emergency exists in Columbia County which necessitates modification of the days during which the County Clerk shall receive and certify instruments presented for recording.
- 2. In addition to the days set forth in ORS 205.242(1), the County Clerk shall not receive and certify instruments presented for recording on the following dates:

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September 4, 2009; November 25, 2009; December 24, 2009; January 4, 2010; March 26, 2010; April 23, 2010; May 28, 2010; June 18, 2010; and

Dated this _____ day of August, 2009.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON

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Rita Bernhard, Commissioner

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Anthony Hyde, Commissioner

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