

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON

In the Matter of the Distribution of)
Forest Trust Land Revenues)
[2020 Distribution])
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ORDER NO. 61- 2020

WHEREAS, ORS 530.115 governs the disposition of certain revenue from lands acquired under ORS 530.010 to 530.040; including forest trust land revenues; and

WHEREAS, ORS 530.115(1)(a) provides that the County general fund shall first be reimbursed for all costs and expenses incurred by the County in the maintenance and supervision of forest trust lands, provided that the proceeds so applied shall not be less than ten (10) percent of the total proceeds received; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to ORS 530.115(1) forest trust land revenue shall be credited to the county in which the lands are situated and applied pursuant to ORS 530.115(1)(a) to 530.115(1)(c); and

WHEREAS, the County has been credited with forest trust land revenue as shown on Exhibit A, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference; and

WHEREAS, after costs and expenses are reimbursed to the County, 25% of the remainder shall be credited and paid to the County School Fund and the remainder shall be prorated and apportioned to the taxing districts in which the lands are situated; and

WHEREAS, Resolution and Order No. 35 - 2005 dated June 29, 2005, and effective retroactive to July 1, 2004, governs how costs and expenses incurred in the maintenance and supervision of forest trust lands shall be determined; and

WHEREAS, the total forest trust land revenues received between July 1, 2019, and June 12, 2020, plus interest; the costs and expenses incurred in the maintenance and supervision of such forest trust lands during that time period; the monies due the County School Fund pursuant to ORS 530.115(1)(b); and, the monies to be reimbursed to the affected taxing districts pursuant to ORS 530.115(1)(c) are summarized on the attached Exhibit A;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1. The schedule of forest trust revenues, costs, expenses, and distributions attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is approved.

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2. Upon execution of this Order, the Treasurer is authorized to distribute those amounts set forth in Exhibit "A", Section I, Forest Trust Lands Receipts, to Columbia County's General Fund and to the County School District/Education Service District for the County School Fund, and is further authorized to distribute those amounts set forth in Section II, Schedule of Distributions, to the taxing districts as shown therein.

DATED this 24 day of June, 2020.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON**

By: Alex Tardif

Alex Tardif, Chair

By: Margaret Magruder

Margaret Magruder, Commissioner

By: Henry Heimuller

Henry Heimuller, Commissioner

Approved as to form

By: Swanson

Office of County Counsel

EXHIBIT A

FOREST TRUST LANDS – PROCEEDS AND DISTRIBUTIONS
(UNDER ORS 530.115[1])

I. FOREST TRUST LANDS RECEIPTS (July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020)

Qtr Payment Dept Forestry 7/31/2019	54,429.55
Qtr Payment Dept Forestry 10/31/2019	373,241.31
Qtr Payment Dept Forestry 1/30/2020	2,192.62
Qtr Payment Dept Forestry 4/30/2020	1,321.15
Total Revenues	431,184.63
Plus FY2018-2019 Undistributed Balance	28,831.77
Plus Interest	4,980.33
TOTAL RECEIPTS	464,996.73

LESS COUNTY COSTS AND EXPENSES

10% administrative costs pursuant to ORS 530.115(1)(a) to General Fund	(46,499.67)
Subtotal	418,497.06

LESS COUNTY SCHOOL FUND (25%) 0.25	(104,624.26)
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TOTAL FOREST TRUST LANDS REVENUE FOR DISTRIBUTION	313,872.79
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II. SCHEDULE OF DISTRIBUTIONS Taxing Districts

	Distribution Formula per ORS 311.390	Distribution Formula per ORS 530.115 (proration of tax rate)	Amount
Columbia County	0.093737	14.47%	45,428.85
Columbia 4-H	0.003806	0.59%	1,844.55
Columbia County Development Agency	0.044484	6.87%	21,558.80
Jail Operations - Local Option	0.039984	6.17%	19,377.91
9-1-1 Communication District	0.037011	5.71%	17,937.07
Gr St Helens Aquatic District	0.005645	0.87%	2,735.80
Mist-Birkenfeld RFPD	0.005539	0.86%	2,684.43
NW Regional ESD	0.010145	1.57%	4,916.69
St Helens 502 School District	0.152129	23.49%	73,728.04
Rainier 13 School District	0.050501	7.80%	24,474.88
Scappoose 1 JT School District	0.121245	18.72%	58,760.37
Vernonia 47 JT School District	0.048816	7.54%	23,658.26
Portland Community College	0.034597	5.34%	16,767.14
Totals	0.647639	100%	313,872.79