

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON

In the Matter of Calling an )  
Election to Consider the )  
Columbia County Fair Local ) ORDER NO. 90-00  
Option Tax )  

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WHEREAS, the Columbia County Fair Board is responsible for the presentation of the annual Columbia County Fair and the management of the fairgrounds and buildings for the benefit of the many youth and adults who use the facilities throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, the funds available to the Fair Board are no longer adequate to operate, repair and maintain the fairgrounds or make other necessary improvements; and

WHEREAS, the Fair Board has requested the Board of County Commissioners to refer to the voters the question of approving a local option tax at the rate of \$0.10/\$1000.00 of assessed value for five years; and

WHEREAS, the proposed local option tax would raise approximately \$289,641 in 2001-2002, \$295,549 in 2002-2003, \$304,416 in 2003-2004, \$313,548 in 2004-2005, and \$322,955 in 2005-2006; and

WHEREAS, the purpose for which the funds to be provided by the proposed tax levy are to be expended would be to operate, repair, maintain and otherwise improve the grounds and buildings currently located on the fairgrounds; and

WHEREAS, the estimated total outlay for such purpose over the five-year period would be approximately \$1,526,109; and

WHEREAS, the period of time authorized by the electors pursuant to ORS 280.060(3) would be five years;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1. An election shall be held on Tuesday, November 7, 2000, to consider a local option tax to fund the Columbia County Fair.

2. The estimated total revenues will \$289,641 in fiscal year 2001-2002, \$295,549 in fiscal year 2002-2003, \$304,416 in fiscal year 2003-2004, \$313,548 in fiscal year 2004-2005, and \$322,955 in fiscal year 2005-2006, for a total of \$1,526,109.

3. The period of time for the local option tax will be five

years.

4. The proposed taxes are outside the limitation imposed by Section 11(3), Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

5. The attached ballot title is approved.

DATED this 30th day of August, 2000.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON

By: John G. Peterson  
Chair

Approved as to form

By: not present  
Commissioner

By: John K. [Signature]  
Office of County Counsel

By: [Signature]  
Commissioner