

## **Department of Finance**

Public Services Building 2051 Kaen Road, Suite 490 | Oregon City, OR 97045

January 21, 2021

Board of County Commissioners Clackamas County

Members of the Board:

Approval to accept a grant award from the State of Oregon, by and through the Oregon Military Department (OEM) for FEMA 4562-DR-OR Wildfire Declaration and Straight-Line Winds

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No dollar figure is committed at this time, but financial commitments will be made by
OEM and FEMA.
Federal funding provided by FEMA and administered by Oregon Emergency
Management (OEM)
The agreement will terminate when the projects associated with the event are
complete.
N/A
N/A
Reviewed and approved by AN on 1/05/2021
N/A Acceptance of a grant agreement is not subject to procurement review.
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4562-DR-OR

## **Background:**

On September 8, 2020, Clackamas County made a disaster declaration due to the devastating impacts of the 2020 Wildfires. The County activated the Emergency Operations Center and began tracking costs for a FEMA event. Attached is an agreement, through the State of Oregon, to accept FEMA funding.

This agreement, provided by FEMA and administered by OEM, is issued under the authority of Presidential Major Disaster Declaration FEMA 4562-DR-OR. OEM will reimburse Clackamas County for eligible costs for the restoration of public facilities damaged from September 7, 2020, through November 3, 2020. FEMA will reimburse the County up to 75 percent of eligible costs. Clackamas County is required to cover the remaining 25 percent, and this is considered matching funds for the agreement.

The agreement is an open-ended award amount, and the value will be determined by FEMA through OEM. Based on expenditures to date, County Finance anticipates the total agreement to be approximately \$2,418,888.00.

OEM has requested that Clackamas County return the attached formal contract as soon as possible.



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## **Recommendation:**

Staff respectfully recommends that the Board accept the attached grant agreement between Clackamas County and the Oregon Military Department.

Sincerely,

Christa Bosserman-Wolfe Deputy Finance Director