



February 28, 2019

Board of County Commissioners  
Clackamas County

Members of the Board:

Recognition of Raeline Kammeyer, Oregon Fairs Association's  
2018 Fair Board Member of the Year

<b>Purpose/Outcomes</b>	To recognize Clackamas County Fair Board member Raeline Kammeyer for receiving the Oregon Fairs Association's 2018 Fair Board Member of the Year award.
<b>Dollar Amount and Fiscal Impact</b>	N/A
<b>Funding Source</b>	N/A
<b>Duration</b>	N/A
<b>Strategic Plan Alignment</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Build public trust through good government</li></ul>
<b>Previous Board Action</b>	N/A
<b>Contact Person</b>	Laura Zentner, CPA Director, Business and Community Services, 503-742-4351  Laurie Bothwell Executive Director, Clackamas County Fairgrounds and Event Center, 503-266-1136

**BACKGROUND:**

The Oregon Fairs Association (OFA) was formed in 1928 to provide inspiring leadership, create agriculture and education opportunities, and develop strategies and techniques that enhance and advance the state's 36 county fairs. Every year, the OFA presents the Fair Board Member of the Year award to honor a member of an Oregon fair board who has gone above and beyond his or her expected responsibilities and has made significant contributions to improve the fair he or she represents. The OFA recently presented the 2018 Fair Board Member of the Year award to Clackamas County Fair Board member Raeline Kammeyer.

Raeline graduated from Oregon State University, taught agriculture in the Estacada School District for 22 years, and served as an FFA advisor. Raeline joined the Clackamas County Fair Board in 2008, and also serves on the Clackamas County Fair Improvement Foundation.

In nominating Raeline for the Fair Board Member of the Year award, her fellow Fair Board members recognized her dedication and contributions, writing:

*This humble and hardworking volunteer has tirelessly devoted her time and resources to the Clackamas County Fairgrounds and Event Center.*

*This dedicated individual has a background in livestock and agriculture. In fact, she was an FFA Advisor for many years and even showed sheep at the Clackamas County Fair when she was an FFA student.*

*Raeline is not afraid to get her hands dirty. She attends the Fair every day with an upbeat and cheerful attitude asking what she can do to help; no job is too menial for her to tackle.*

*As a member of the Fair Board she actively seeks out and is awarded grants for financial assistance for the improvement to the Fair facility.*

*Raeline is very well-liked by everyone and is appreciated by our other Fair Board members and staff for her tireless dedication.*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff respectfully recommends the Board recognize Clackamas County Fair Board member Raeline Kammeyer for receiving the Oregon Fairs Association's 2018 Fair Board Member of the Year award, her contributions to the Clackamas County Fair, and her service to the community.

Respectfully submitted,

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