

CLACKAMAS COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Policy Session Worksheet

Presentation Date: 05/02/17 **Approx Start Time:** 2:30PM **Approx Length:** 60 mins

Presentation Title: Immigration and Customs Enforcement in Clackamas County
(Information Gathering)

Department: County Administration

Presenters: Sarah C. Lara, Deputy Chief Counsel, Portland Office of the Chief Counsel / OPLA, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement; Maria Magallon, CYF Diversity Outreach Coordinator; John Foote, DA; H3S, Rich Swift, Sheriff's Office, Matt Ellington and Chris Hoy

Other Invitees: Stephen Madkour, County Counsel

WHAT ACTION ARE YOU REQUESTING FROM THE BOARD?

No action necessary. BCC information gathering only.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Heightened emphasis placed on immigration and customs enforcement by the federal government has created confusion and consternation about the role of public sector jurisdictions like Clackamas County with respect to immigration and customs enforcement. Many undocumented people are living in fear of deportation.

The BCC continues to receive requests to partner with other government officials, civil rights and social justice advocacy groups, and concerned people in formal declarations of non-support for immigration and customs enforcement.

This policy session is designed to give BCC members the opportunity to learn what is happening with regard to immigration and customs enforcement in Clackamas County as well as the impact it is having relative to the County's commitment and ability to provide law enforcement and County services to undocumented immigrants.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS (current year and ongoing): N/A

STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT:

- How does this item align with your Department's Strategic Business Plan goals? County Administration is responsible for equity, diversity and inclusion as a County value and strategic performance based outcome.
- How does this item align with the County's Performance Clackamas goals? Clackamas County is committed to being a welcoming community where people want to live, work, and enjoy life.

LEGAL/POLICY REQUIREMENTS:

- State of Oregon Sanctuary statutes.

PUBLIC/GOVERNMENTAL PARTICIPATION: N/A

OPTIONS:

N/A

RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

ATTACHMENTS: N/A

SUBMITTED BY: Emmett Wheatfall, Assistant County Administrator & Compliance Officer

Division Director/Head Approval _____

Department Director/Head Approval _____

County Administrator Approval _____

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