## CLACKAMAS COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

## Study Session Worksheet

Presentation Date: February 9, 2010 Time: 10:15 AM Length: 15 minutes

Presentation Title: Community Planning Organizations (CPOs) Annual Recognition

Department: **Public and Government Affairs** 

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## **ISSUE & BACKGROUND**

A Citizen Participation Policy was adopted in 1973 as Board Order No. 73-1659. This Policy established the Community Planning Organizations (CPOs) and created specific recognition requirements for CPOs. The CPO program is one method that accomplishes Citizen Involvement, Goal 1 of the Statewide Planning Goals, for Clackamas County.

The Board of County Commissioners (BCC) reviews the activity status of CPOs annually and officially recognizes the CPOs that have taken the time and effort to meet the requirements by submitting the following information to the County:

- A list of current CPO officers including addresses, phone numbers and email addresses
- A copy of current CPO bylaws
- A copy of meeting minutes from at least two publicly-noticed meetings during the calendar year

Of the 43 original geographic areas for which a CPO may be formed, three are now Hamlets (Beavercreek, Stafford, Mulino) and one Village (Villages at Mt. Hood). In addition, a new Hamlet is forming, Molalla Prairie. The Board of County Commissioners last approved annual recognition for 29 CPOs at the February 10, 2009 Study Session.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff respectfully recommends the official recognition of the 31 CPOs listed below that have submitted the required information to the Office of Citizen Involvement for calendar year 2009:

Aurora-Butteville-Barlow Government Camp Southgate Stafford-Tualatin Birdshill Holcomb-Outlook Jennings Lodge Sunnyside United Boring

Bull Run Ladd Hill Lake Forest Carus

Central Point-Leland Rd.-New Era Molalla

Mt. Hood Corridor Clackamas Clarkes-Highland North Clackamas

Oak Lodge Colton Redland-Viola Fischer's Mill Eagle Creek-Barton

Estacada Rhododendron Far West Rosewood Skylands Firwood

Forest Highlands South Clackamas

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