## BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY, OREGON

In the Matter of Renewing the	)	Resolution No. R2022-20
Declaration of Housing	)	
Emergency in Curry County	)	

WHEREAS, this Board of Commissioners declared a housing emergency in Curry County by Resolution No. 2019-40, effective August 14, 2019 – August 14, 2021, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners continues to be committed to addressing the housing crisis in Curry County; and

WHEREAS, the median gross rent in Curry County is \$888.00, the median mortgage is \$1,450.00, the median household income is \$41,939.00, but per capita the income is \$23,842.00, meaning a single person would spend 44% of their income on rent, or 73% of their income on a mortgage.

WHEREAS, the emergence of the Coronavirus pandemic has made it more difficult for all Curry County citizens to find, secure and sustain adequate housing for their needs; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the lack of affordable, adequate housing, the County faces a high percentage of persons with no home or shelter at all; and

WHEREAS, there is a clear need to improve the availability, affordability and quality of housing in Curry County to benefit each and every citizen.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Curry County Commissioners, herein assembled, resolves to continue to declare a housing emergency to be existent in Curry County.

## NOW, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

A housing emergency is declared in Curry County effective until August 16, 2023, at which time the emergency will be assessed, and the suitability of further extension determined.

DATED this 18th day of August, 2021.

**BOARD OF CURRY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** 

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Christopher Paasch, Vice Chair

Court Boice, Commissioner 9-8-22

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