



BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: June 26, 2024

SUBJECT: Approval of Resolution No. 2024-034 to acquire right-of-way for the construction of improvements on Hamhook Road

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

Move approval of Resolution No. 2024-034.

BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

Deschutes County Road Department is preparing plans and specifications for the Hamhook Road Bridge Replacement project. The project construction plans are complete, and project right-of-way (ROW) needs have been identified. General information notices regarding ROW acquisitions have been mailed to affected adjacent property owners.

Adoption of Resolution No. 2024-034 will memorialize the public necessity for the project and proposed ROW acquisitions, and will authorize Road Department and Legal Department to negotiate with the owners of adjoining properties for the property interests required for the project. All resulting purchase agreements and conveyance instruments will be presented to the Board of County Commissioners for acceptance upon completing negotiations.

BUDGET IMPACTS:

Right of way acquisition costs are included in the Road Capital Fund budget for Fiscal Year 2024. The Road Department will present purchase agreements and conveyance instruments to Board of County Commissioners upon completing negotiations with property owners.

ATTENDANCE:

Cody Smith, County Engineer/Assistant Road Department Director