



BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: September 10, 2025

SUBJECT: Public Hearing: Farm and Forest Housekeeping Text Amendments

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

At the conclusion of the public hearing, the Board can choose one of the following options:

- Continue the hearing to a date and time certain;
- Close the oral portion of the hearing and leave the written record open to a date and time certain;
- Close the hearing and commence deliberations; or
- Close the hearing and schedule deliberations for a date and time to be determined.

Draft Ordinance 2025-016 is attached for consideration, if needed.

BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

The Board of Commissioners will conduct a public hearing on September 10, 2025 to consider housekeeping amendments to the Deschutes County Code (file no. 247-25-000297-TA) to integrate changes to state rule resulting from the state's Farm and Forest Modernization Project into local code.

All record materials can be found on the project website: bit.ly/farmforesthouskeeping

BUDGET IMPACTS:

None

ATTENDANCE:

Nicole Mardell, AICP, Senior Planner

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