

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: January 24, 2024

SUBJECT: 2023 Annual Report for the Prescribed Fire, Smoke and Public Health Community Response Plan

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

Move approval of Document No. 2024-089, the 2023 Annual Report for the Prescribed Fire, Smoke and Public Health Community Response Plan.

BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

This report is provided to meet the requirements of OAR 629-048-0180 (3)(f) in order to maintain the exemption from the one-hour air quality threshold in the Oregon Smoke Management Plan granted on December 7, 2019 for the Bend Smoke Sensitive Receptor Area. This report describes actions taken from the period of January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023 regarding the implementation of the Bend Smoke Sensitive Receptor Area Community Response Plan.

BUDGET IMPACTS:

None

ATTENDANCE:

Kevin Moriarty, County Forester Sarah Worthington, Regional Climate and Health Coordinator