



BOARD OF
COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: March 27, 2024

SUBJECT: Proclamation: International Dark Sky Week

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

Move approval of the proclamation declaring April 2 – 8, 2024, as International Dark Sky Week in Deschutes County.

BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

Dark sky areas provide opportunities for stargazing, astrophotography and other nighttime activities that require clear skies and minimal intrusion from artificial lighting. This proclamation celebrates Dark Sky Week in recognition of the benefits of dark sky areas.

BUDGET IMPACTS:

None

ATTENDANCE:

Carter Gudell, Visit Central Oregon Regional Programs Specialist