

AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: May 10, 2023

SUBJECT: Intergovernmental Agreement with the US Forest Service to fund the Oregon

Living With Fire Program

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

Move approval to authorize the County Administrator to sign Document No. 2023-402, an Intergovernmental Agreement with the US Forest Service.

BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

The current Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with the US Forest Service to fund the Oregon Living With Fire (OLWF) program expires May 31, 2023. A new proposed IGA will increase OLWF's funding from \$33,750 to \$60,000 per year and extend the funding for this program an additional five years.

BUDGET IMPACTS:

Revenue of \$60,000 per year for five years, totaling \$300,000. A match requirement of approximately 48% which will be accomplished using the funding from the related four-county Memorandum of Understanding which will provide for \$72,750 per year.

ATTENDANCE:

Joe Stutler, Jodie Barram and Dr. Jennifer Fenton