



BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: May 10, 2023

SUBJECT: Public Hearing to take testimony on proposed amendments to Deschutes County Code (DCC) 6.04 regarding multi-year option for dog licenses and an exemption from license fees for assistance animals

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

- (1) Move First and Second Reading by title only of Ordinance 2023-008, an Ordinance Amending Title 6.04 of the Deschutes County Code and declaring an emergency.
- (2) Move emergency adoption (effective date of July 1, 2023) of Ordinance 2023-008, an Ordinance Amending Title 6.04 of the Deschutes County Code.

BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

The Deschutes County Finance Department operates the county dog licensing program and would like to offer dog owners the option of purchasing multi-year licenses. Additionally, Finance recommends providing a fee exemption for assistance animals.

BUDGET IMPACTS:

Slight reductions in fees associated with the fee exemption for assistance animals.

ATTENDANCE:

Finance