



## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

# AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

**MEETING DATE:** May 1, 2024

**SUBJECT:** Approval of Board Signature of Order No. 2024-014 appointing Health Services Director's Designees

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:**

Move approval of Order No. 2024-014, appointing Health Services Director's Designees.

*(Please note that after this Order was approved by the Board on April 17<sup>th</sup>, necessary corrections were made. The revised Order requires formal Board approval.)*

**BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:**

Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) 426.233 (3) provides that the Director may authorize a qualified individual to perform certain acts listed in ORS 426.233 (3) including, without limitation, accepting custody of a person from a peace officer, taking custody of a person, removing a person in custody to an approved hospital or nonhospital facility, transferring a person in custody to another individual authorized under this resolution or a peace officer, transferring a person in custody from a hospital or nonhospital facility to another hospital facility or nonhospital facility, and retaining a person in custody. The Director has confirmed that each of the individuals identified in Sections 2 and 3 of the attached Board Order are qualified mental health professionals as that term is defined under Oregon law and meet applicable standards established by the Oregon Health Authority.

Board Order 2023-042 was signed October 4th, 2023. Since that time, 10 mental health professionals have been removed from the list and 4 additional qualified mental health professionals who meet the applicable standards have been added. The authorization to provide custody and secure transportation services for allegedly mentally ill persons is being updated to reflect these staff changes through the attached Board Order 2024-014.

**BUDGET IMPACTS:**

None

**ATTENDANCE:**

Adam Goggins, Program Manager