IN THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE STATE OF OREGON
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASCO

IN THE MATTER OF THE WASCO COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION'S REQUEST TO APPROVE PROPOSED PERIODIC REVIEW LEGISLATIVE AMENDMENTS TO UPDATE THE LAND USE AND DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE RELATED TO CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT AND LAND USE PLANNING GOALS, CHAPTERS 1 AND 2 OF WASCO COUNTY 2040, THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN (FILE NUMBER PLALEG-16-08-0001)

ORDINANCE # 18-002

NOW ON THIS DAY, the above-entitled matter having come on regularly for consideration, said day being one duly set in term for the transaction of public business and a majority of the Board of Commissioners being present; and

WHEREAS, the Wasco County Planning Commission and the Wasco County Board of Commissioners directed the Wasco County Planning Department to pursue Voluntary Periodic Review to update the Wasco County Comprehensive Plan on 5 October 2016; and

WHEREAS, Wasco County entered Periodic Review on 20 February 2018 with approval from the Department of Land Conservation and Development’s (DLCD) approval of a work plan; and

WHEREAS, the first two work tasks on the work plan were to make amendments to goals 1 (Citizen Involvement) and 2 (Land Use Planning) to make the language consistent with current Wasco County Planning Department practice and state law and reformat them in to the new Wasco County 2040 (Comprehensive Plan) format; and

WHEREAS, each Periodic Review tasks is approved and submitted to DLCD after completion for acknowledgment; and

WHEREAS, the Wasco County Planning Department sent notification to DLCD pursuant to ORS 197.610 on 28 February 2018; and

WHEREAS, all property owners were sent notice of proposed Periodic Review update to the Comprehensive Plan in March 2017; and

WHEREAS, that on 3 April 2018, at the hour of 3:00 PM at the Lecture Hall in Building 2 of the Columbia Gorge Community College the Wasco County Planning Commission held the first legally notified public hearing to review recommendations by staff and the advisory group, background information, and receive public testimony on work tasks 1 and 2. The Planning Commission then closed the public hearing and with a vote of 5 to 0, with two members absent, recommended approval to the Wasco County Board of Commissioners; and

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WHEREAS, that on 2 May 2018 at the hour of 9:30 AM at the Wasco County Courtroom #302, located at 511 Washington St, The Dalles, Oregon, the Wasco County Board of Commissioners met to conduct the first of two legally notified public hearings on the above matter. The Board of County Commissioners reviewed recommendations by the Wasco County Planning Commission, staff’s presentation, and received testimony from the public. The Board of County Commissioners tentatively approved the amendments; and

WHEREAS, that on 17 May 2018 at the hour of 2:00 PM at the Wasco County Courtroom #302, located at 511 Washington St, The Dalles, Oregon, the Wasco County Board of Commissioners met to conduct the second of two legally notified public hearings on the above matter. The Board of County Commissioners reviewed recommendations by the Wasco County Planning Commission, staff’s presentation, and received testimony from the public. The Board of County Commissioners, by a vote of 3-0, approved the amendments and conducted the second reading, recommending submittal to DLCD; and

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED: That the request by the Wasco County Planning Department for a legislative amendment to the Wasco County Comprehensive Plan, to be renamed Wasco County 2040, in conjunction with Periodic Review work plan tasks 1 and 2 is hereby approved; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Oregon Administrative Rules 660-025-0130, submission of a completed work task is required to DLCD for acknowledgment as part of Periodic Review, and once the work tasks are acknowledged they will be effective.

DATED this 17th day of May, 2018.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Kristen Campbell, County Counsel

WASCO COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS:

Steven D. Kramer, Commission Chair

Scott C. Hege, Vice-Chair

Rod L. Runyon, County Commissioner