

REQUEST FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

PL 110-343 Section 302 Title III Project Grant Submissions

EMERGENCY ECONOMIC STABILIZATION ACT OF 2008

TITLE VI – OTHER PROVISIONS, SEC. 601

“Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Program”

Title III of the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination act (PL 110-343 Section 302(a)(3)(b)) mandates a public comment period on the following County program:

1. Firewise Communities Program

The Oregon Department of Forestry, Molalla Unit, will provide fuels reduction, fire prevention, and educational opportunities for homeowners in Clackamas County in support of the Clackamas County Community Wildfire planning efforts. The fuels reduction work to be done will be accomplished in coordination with the Oregon Department of Forestry and the Oregon Department of Corrections, Coffee Creek Correctional facility. This project will continue the work outlined in the Clackamas County Wildfire Protection Plan (CCWPP) by providing defensible space and fuels reduction/fire mitigation in the pre-identified wildland urban interface areas located throughout Clackamas County. In addition to private land, the project will provide fuels reduction and defensible space on ODF protected Bureau of Land Management land and land protected by the United States Forest Service in Clackamas County. The project will also update the current Clackamas County Wildfire Protection Plan (CCWPP). The project will allow for the purchase of fire prevention, education, and mitigation materials and services to support ongoing efforts.

Parties wishing to submit comments on the above project should contact Nancy Bush, Director, Clackamas County Emergency Management, 2200 Kaen Road Oregon City, OR or by email at nbush@co.clackamas.or.us.

Comments must be submitted by 6:00 PM, July 18, 2016

Dated this 3rd day of June, 2013

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