## BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF LANE COUNTY, OREGON

ORDER NO: 19-04-09-01

In the Matter of Commenting On Proposed Name Changes for a Natural Feature Located in Lane County to the Oregon Geographic Names Board

**WHEREAS**, geographic naming in Oregon is a public process by which anyone can submit a formal proposal for consideration; and

WHEREAS, the Oregon Geographic Names Board (OGNB) is the official advisor and state geographic names authority of Oregon with the purpose of supervising the naming of geographic features within the state of Oregon and making recommendations to the United States Board on Geographic Names (USBGN), which has final approval authority; and

WHEREAS, the OGNB has determined that the island has not been previously named; and

WHEREAS, the OGNB has received two additional proposals to name an island in the Willamette River; and

WHEREAS, the Board has previously supported an application to name the island "Westview Island" on February 27, 2018 by passing Order Number 18-02-27-01; and

WHEREAS, the OGNB requests comment from the Lane County Board of County Commissioners on naming proposals prior to the OGNB forwarding their recommendation to the USBGN.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** the Board of County Commissioners of Lane County **ORDERS** as follows:

No opinion on the applications for the proposed names of "Bridgebend Island" or "Honk Island" for the island within the Willamette River centered at 44° 02' 51"N, 123° 01' 48" W.

ADOPTED this <u>9th</u> day of <u>April</u>, 2019.

APPROVE Date LANE COUNTY OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL

Pete Sorenson, Chair Lane County Board of Commissioners