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Subject: Purdue/Sackler and "Group of 8" Opioid Settlements
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Commissioners,

Additional settlements have been reached in the ongoing federal multidistrict opioid litigation, this time with Purdue/Sackler and eight other manufacturer defendants referred to as the "Group of 8". My understanding is that the general terms of the Oregon subdivision agreement are the same as in the prior settlement agreements (45% to the State of Oregon and 55% to participating subdivisions, including Yamhill County), and our percentage share of the settlement amounts is also unchanged. Our understanding remains that any final attorney fee percentages are still capped at the federal level of 15%, which is well within the percentage originally agreed to in our outside counsel fee agreement.

If you have any questions about these latest settlements, please let me know. Otherwise, as you have done with prior opioid settlement agreements, I would ask that this be placed on next week's agenda and that you authorize me to sign the final settlement documents. Suggested agenda language:

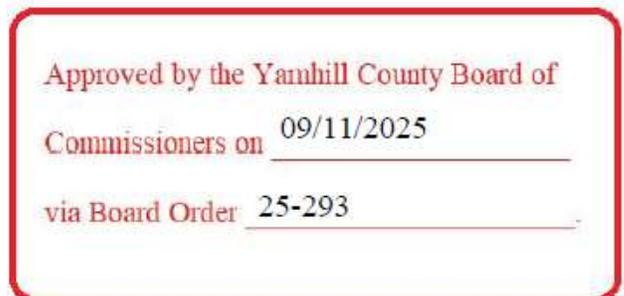
"Consideration of authorizing County Counsel Christian Boenisch to sign the final Participation Forms and related documents to include Yamhill County in the proposed national opioid settlement agreement between litigating parties and Purdue/Sacker and the "Group of 8", settling and releasing all claims against the named parties arising out of federal multi-district opioid litigation."

Please let me know if there are any other questions.

Thanks,

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