

“Promises” from OHS Levy Measure Language - 2010 compared to 2016

	2010 Measure 26-118 language	Performance Measures & Requirements for 2010	2016 Measure 26-174 language	2016 DRAFT Changes to Performance Measures
1	This Multnomah County local option levy will keep the Oregon History Museum open 40 hours a week	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Average; including holidays; 52x40 = 2080/yr • Will be measured against current hours. 	This Multnomah County local option levy will keep the Oregon History Museum open seven days (47 hours a week)	Average; including holidays; 52x47 = 2444/yr
2	and the Library open to the public 32+ hours a week	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Average; incl. holidays; 52x32 = 1664/yr • Will be measured against current hours. 	32 hours a week (<i>Plus “+” removed</i>)	
3	avoiding closure and restoring cuts to service.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Will be measured against what current service level is. Must establish minimum. 	<i>Language is absent in 2016</i>	
4	It supports curation for the museum so that exhibits can be rotated and the collection and protection of Oregon’s historical artifacts and documents can continue	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Will be measured against current rotation and curation. Must establish minimum. 	It supports curation for the museum and continued collection and protection of Oregon’s historical artifacts and documents. (<i>Word “rotation” removed</i>)	
5	Levy funds will also protect the collection of Oregon history documents and artifacts, and public access to those, at four East Multnomah County Historical Societies which together will receive \$150,000 of the levy each of the five years.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Four east county organizations will protect their collections and expand public access to said collections. 	<i>Historical societies named specifically in the 2016 Measure, but they haven’t changed from 2010:</i> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fairview-Rockwood-Wilkes Historical Society [ECHO] 2. Gresham Historical Society 3. Troutdale Historical Society 4. Crown Point Country Historical Society 	
6	OHS levy funds shall be allocated in a manner that	(this is OHS specific) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Will be measured against current manners in which 	(this is OHS specific) Funds shall be allocated in a manner that supports an OHS	How does OHS currently represent diversity in its board,

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	represents Multnomah County’s diverse cultures.	OHS demonstrated commitment to diversity and their openness to feedback in this area.	board, partnerships, staff, exhibits and programs that proactively represent Multnomah County’s diverse cultures.	partnerships, staff, exhibits and programs?
7	The levy supports continuation of educational programs including free admission for every schoolchild to visit the museum and for all county residents - providing access to those previously unable to visit due to cost.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Will be measured (with data) against current service levels. 	<i>No change to language</i>	
8	The Multnomah County Chair will appoint an independent citizens oversight committee – representative of Multnomah County’s diverse communities - to review all levy expenditures and ensure dollars are spent as promised.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Committee will be responsible for ensuring levy dollars are spent as promised in ballot language. Committee will be appointed by Chair, but will be independent. Committee will reflect MC’s diverse communities. 	The Multnomah County Chair will continue to appoint an independent citizens oversight committee – representative of Multnomah County’s diverse communities - to review all levy expenditures and ensure dollars are spent as approved by voters, and shall advise and support OHS in ensuring that its board, partnerships, staff, exhibits and programs proactivity represent Multnomah County’s diverse cultures.	How are the board, partnerships, staff, exhibits and programs proactivity representing Multnomah County’s diverse cultures?
	In addition, Multnomah County will select an auditor for which OHS will pay to conduct annual audits of levy funds that will be made available to the public.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multnomah County will select an auditor. OHS will pay for audits (doesn’t designate whether that will actually come from levy funds or other funds). Audits will be made available to the public. 	In addition, Multnomah County will continue to select an auditor for which OHS will pay to conduct annual audits of levy funds that will be made available to the public.	

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9	This levy will fund nearly one-half of operations at OHS facilities.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires committee to review all of their operations to ensure that the levy doesn't fund more than 50% of the organization's budget. • Must establish current understanding of budget. 	This levy will fund nearly one- third of operations at OHS facilities.	
10	Other funds come from admissions, grants and private donations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires OHS to keep up fundraising programs: donations, grants, etc. • Must establish understanding of current program. 	<i>No change</i>	
11	To consistently provide the services promised to the voters, the Multnomah County Board of Commissioners will consider termination or reduction of the levy if the State of Oregon restores funding to OHS.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The board can refer this matter back to voters if the state restores funding. 	<i>Language is absent</i>	