



Communications Office FY 2026 Approved Budget

Presented to the
Board of County Commissioners

Multnomah County
May 28, 2025

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Oregon Territory Multnomah County
Portland City January 17th 1855.
The County Commissioners of Multnomah County met pursuant to
an Act of the Legislative Assembly passed the House of Representatives
December 22nd and the Council December 23rd 1854
present George W. Taft and Enos R. Scott absent F. F. Ryba
The bond of Thubrick Morris as County Auditor was presented and
approved by the board of Commissioners - On Motion it was
ordered that the County Auditor be authorized to procure, books,
stationery &c for the use of his office also Stationery &c for the
use of the board of County Commissioners. On Motion adjourned until
2 o'clock P.M.



Public Records Center

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Frequently Asked Questions

Can a government agency charge me a fee for public records?

What if I need an accommodation or translation services?

I'm having trouble downloading a file. How do I disable my browser's pop-up blocker?

What types of records are there?

Can I change my request after submitting

Welcome

Multnomah County will be adding departments to this online Public Records Request Center into the first quarter of 2025. If you do not see the department related to your public records request listed here, please visit the [Public Records Request page](#) on the Multnomah website and email or mail your request to the appropriate department. Thank you.



Submit a Request



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Care for When It's Cold

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For information on: **Warming & Winter Shelters • Donations
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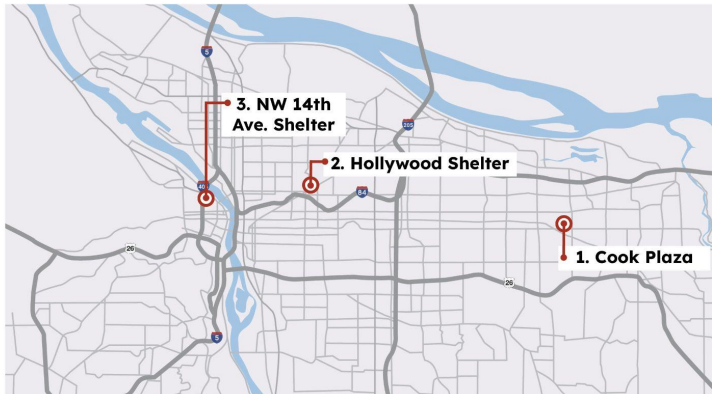
Severe Weather Spaces

Call 2-1-1 or check multco.us/cold for the latest. Information may change.

Severe weather shelters open **Monday, Feb. 10, 2025**, at **8 p.m.** until conditions improve. All sites ADA accessible. Pets welcome.

No one will be turned away. Call 2-1-1 for transportation help. TriMet (trimet.org/planner) allows free rides to spaces.

1. **Cook Plaza:** 19421 S.E. Stark St., Gresham
2. **Hollywood Shelter:** 1815 N.E. 43rd Ave., Portland
3. **NW 14th Ave. Shelter:** 600 N.W. 14th Ave., Portland



Revised 02.10.2025

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4. **Ascension Church Tony Rinella Hall:** 823 S.E. 76th Ave., Portland
5. **Grand Oak Shelter:** 324 S.E. Grand Ave., Portland
6. **Charles Jordan Community Center:** 9009 N. Foss Ave., Portland

Opening at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 13:

7. **Friendly House:** 1737 N.W. 26th Ave.
8. **Bud Clark Commons:** 650 N.W. Irving St.



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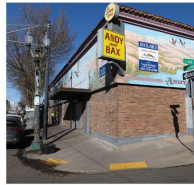
Hollywood Shelter
1815 N.E. 43rd Ave., Portland (previously Dollar Tree, at N.E. 43 Ave. and Sandy Blvd.)



N.W. 14th Ave. Shelter
600 N.W. 14th Ave., Portland (previously U.S. Outdoor Store, at N.W. Hoyt St. and 14 Ave.)



Ascension Church Tony Rinella Hall
823 S.E. 76th Ave., Portland (at S.E. 76th Ave and SE Yamhill St.)



Grand Oak Shelter
324 S.E. Grand Ave., Portland (previously Andy and Bax, at S.E. Oak St. and S.E. Grand Ave.)



Charles Jordan Community Center
9009 N. Foss Ave., Portland (N. Alaska St. between Woolsey Ave. and Chautauqua Pl.)



Friendly House Community Center
1737 N.W. 26th Ave., Portland (at N.W. Thurman St. and 26th Ave)



Bud Clark Commons
650 N.W. Irving St., Portland (at N.W. Irving St. and Broadway)

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Refugios disponible en caso de clima invernal



Llama al 2-1-1 o visita multco.us/cold para obtener la información más reciente. Esta información puede cambiar.

Los refugios para el clima invernal abren el **viernes 14 de febrero del 2025**, hasta que las condiciones mejoren. Todos los sitios son accesibles para todas las personas. Las mascotas son bienvenidas.

Toda persona es bienvenida. Llama al 2-1-1 para ayuda con el transporte a un refugio. TriMet (trimet.org/planner) ofrece transporte gratis a los refugios.



Cook Plaza
19421 S.E. Stark St., Gresham (entre S.E. 194 y 196 Ave., en Stark St.)



Refugio Hollywood
1815 N.E. 43rd Ave., Portland (anteriormente Dollar Tree, en N.E. 43 Ave. y Sandy Blvd.)



Refugio N.W. 14 Ave.
600 N.W. 14th Ave., Portland (anteriormente U.S. Outdoor, en N.W. Hoyt St. y 14 Ave.)



Iglesia Ascensión Salon Tony Rinella
823 S.E. 76th Ave., Portland (en S.E. 76th Ave. y Yamhill St.)



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**Multnomah County
Veterans' Services**



Learn about your VA benefits

(503) 988-VETS (8387)
veteran.services@multco.us



multco.us/veterans

Additional Resources

VA Crisis Line
1-800-273-8255 & Press 1

VA Hospital
(503) 220-8262

VA Claims Status
1-800-827-1000

**Veterans' Community Resource
and Referral Center**
(503) 808-1256



**FOR ALL
WHO SERVED**

**Multnomah County
Veterans' Services**











County Auditor Finds Preschool for All Faces Multiple Risks to Expansion

How new Multnomah County
data explains the region's
homelessness crisis

**Multnomah County to limit tent
distribution to severe cold weather events**

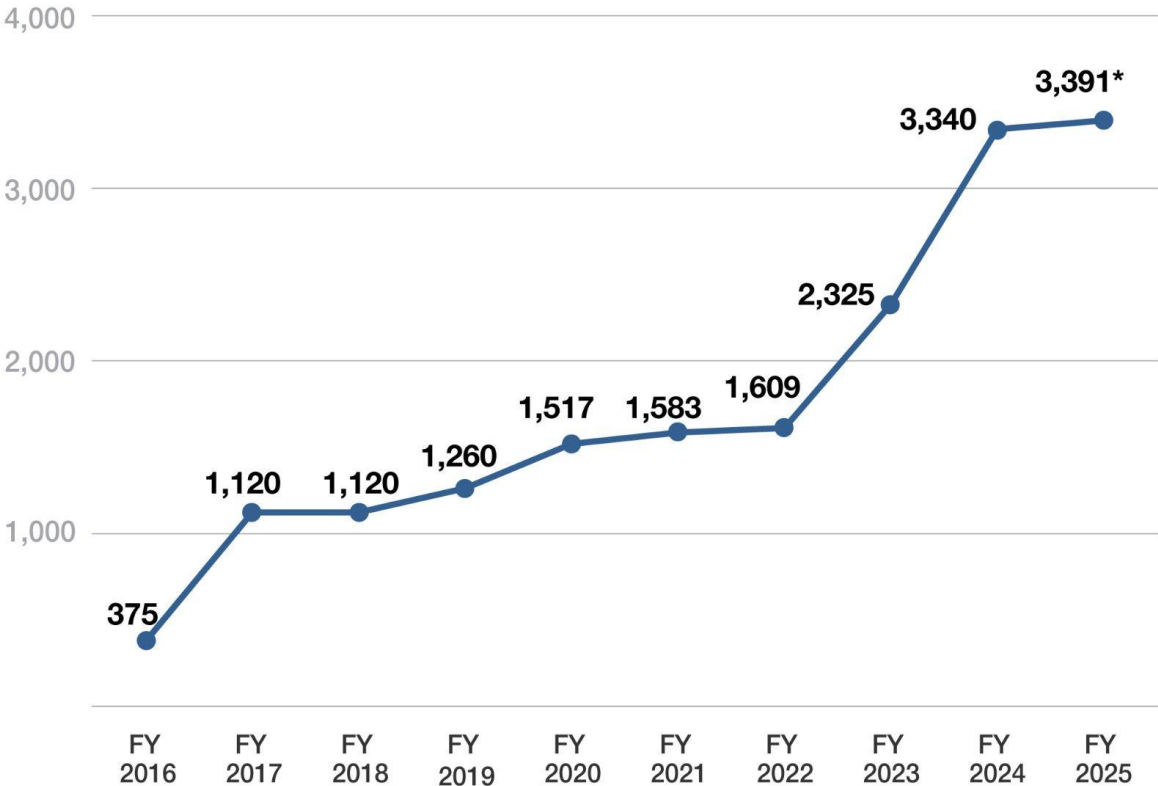
Multnomah County moving forward with
\$85M animal shelter rebuild

Tuberculosis case confirmed at Portland
middle school

Multnomah County reports big progress in
sheltering, housing people experiencing
homelessness

**Multnomah County will have sobering beds for
the first time since 2019**

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Meg Arsenaault (she/her)



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Election Night



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Multnomah County's long-troubled animal shelter improved pet care, record keeping, but still has more work to do, auditors say

Updated: Aug. 20, 2024, 9:44 a.m. | Published: Aug. 19, 2024, 6:00 a.m.



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Outreach is the best tool I know of for creating the conditions for true and authentic collaboration with folks sleeping on the streets.

Mike O'Malley
Outreach Worker
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What services do outreach workers provide?



Outreach workers provide **survival gear** like blankets, hygiene supplies and first-aid kits. They also **connect people to long-term services** including healthcare, shelter, recovery programs and even housing.



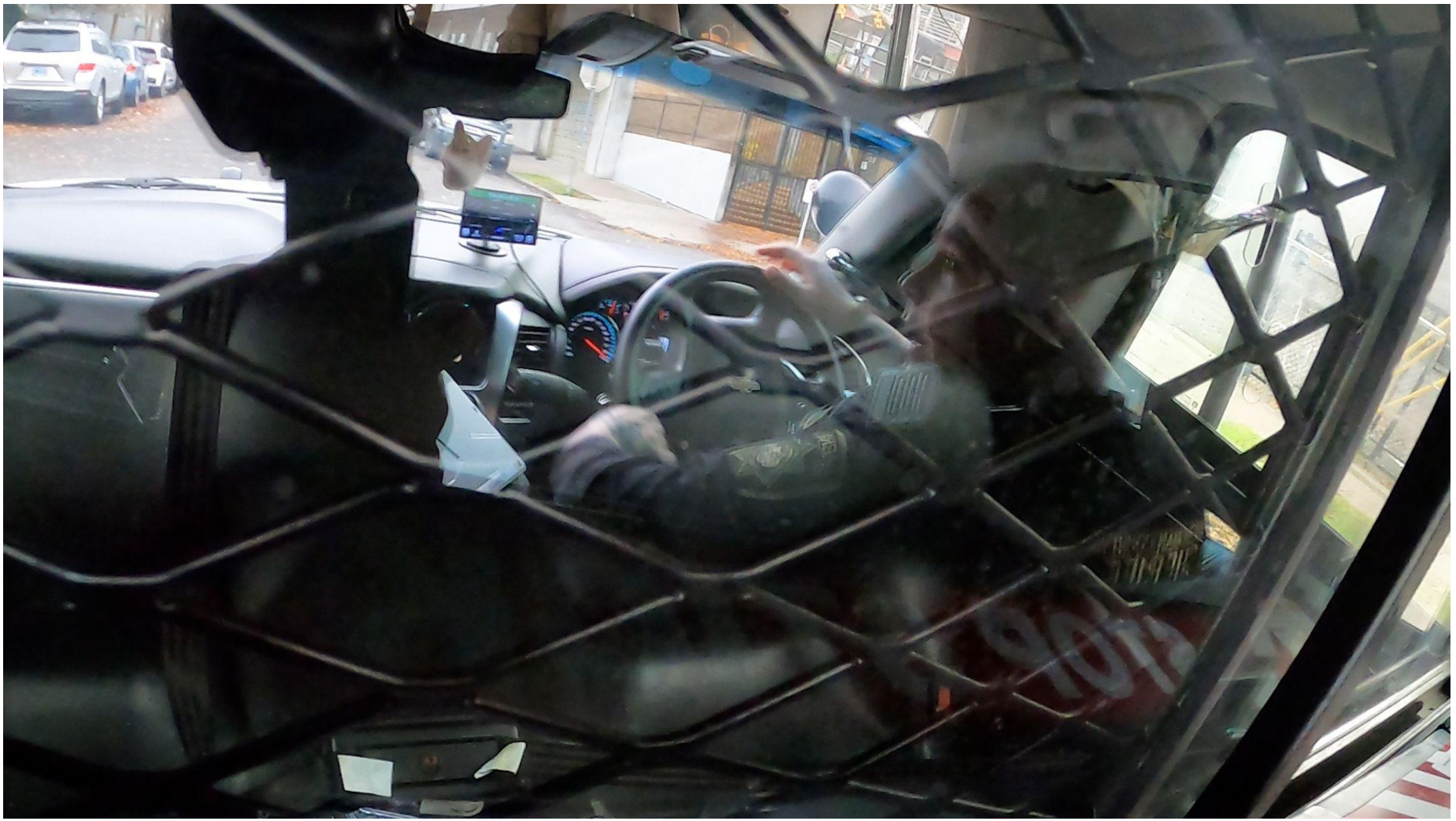




























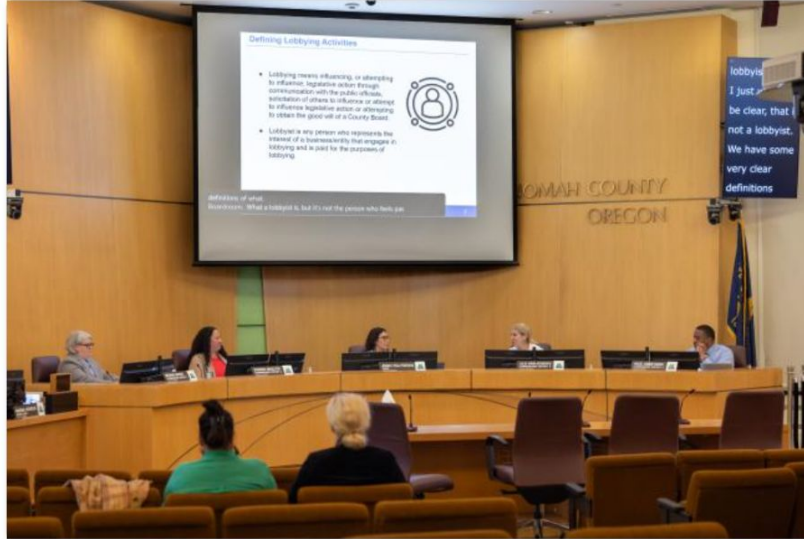












Commissioners unanimously approve County's first-ever lobbying and transparency ordinance

Multnomah County Commissioners unanimously passed their first-ever lobbying and transparency ordinance, set to take effect July 1, 2026. The new rules mandate lobbyist registration, require public posting of Commissioners' calendars, and cooling-off period for former officials.



Achieving a Behavioral Health Resource Center housing goal: 'to have a place in 60 days'

Multnomah County's first Climate Justice Plan released for public comment; Board of Commissioners briefed

Featured news



Board of Commissioners celebrates third Proclamation Day of 2025, signing seven proclamations

May 9, 2025



NEWS RELEASE: All registered voters should have received their ballots for the May 20 Special District Election

May 6, 2025



‘Back to this place where they had a positive experience’: Community continues after housing at Behavioral Health Resource Center alumni meetings

April 18, 2025



Racheale’s Behavioral Health Resource Center experience: ‘It feels good to finally be soaring’

April 18, 2025



NEWS RELEASE: Multnomah County opens 13 new sobering stations at Coordinated Care Pathway Center

April 23, 2025



A home away from home: Providing care and upholding dignity in Multnomah County Adult Care Homes

April 29, 2025

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Bargaining updates by bargaining unit

- [AFSCME Local 88](#)
- [AFSCME Local 88-2 \(Physicians & Psychiatrists\)](#)
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How does bargaining work?

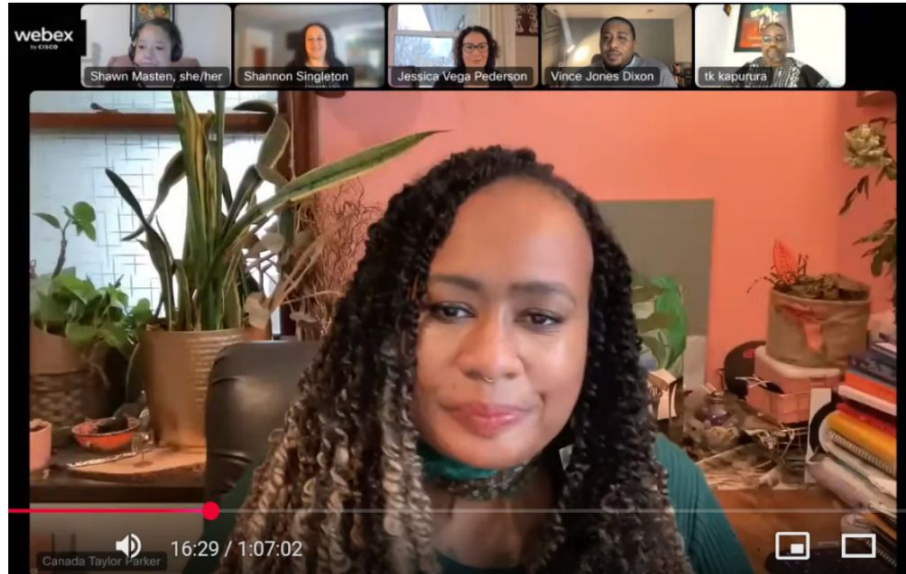
For each contract, the Union and Management will come to the table (literally – it's a table) to talk through what each side would like to change from the previous contract. This can include housekeeping things like switching to gender-



A weekly digest of news and information
for Multnomah County employees

Wednesday Wire: Feb. 26, 2025

Black History and Black Futures Month proclamation perseveres through freeze, snow, and County closures



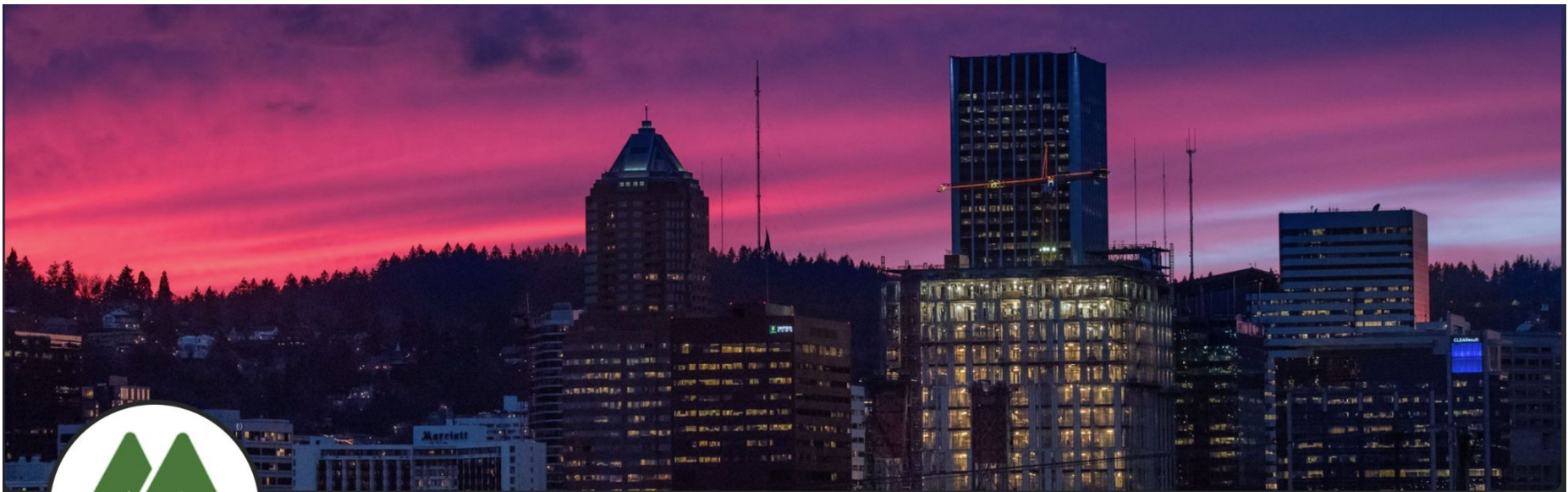
Daisy



Daisy the dog

Daisy is a stunning, nearly seven-year-old Great Pyrenees who's ready to bring her gentle sweetness and devoted heart to her forever family. She forms deep bonds with her humans and thrives on their affection. And though Daisy might enjoy the occasional company of other dogs, she will do best as the only canine companion in her new home. Similarly, Daisy's new home should be without cats, as her guardian instincts are true to that of her breed — strong. Speaking of Pyrenees characteristics, when she's feeling happy or alerting you to something important, Daisy will use her breed's signature vocals to let you know. If you're looking for a loyal and loving companion to cherish, Daisy might just be the perfect fit!





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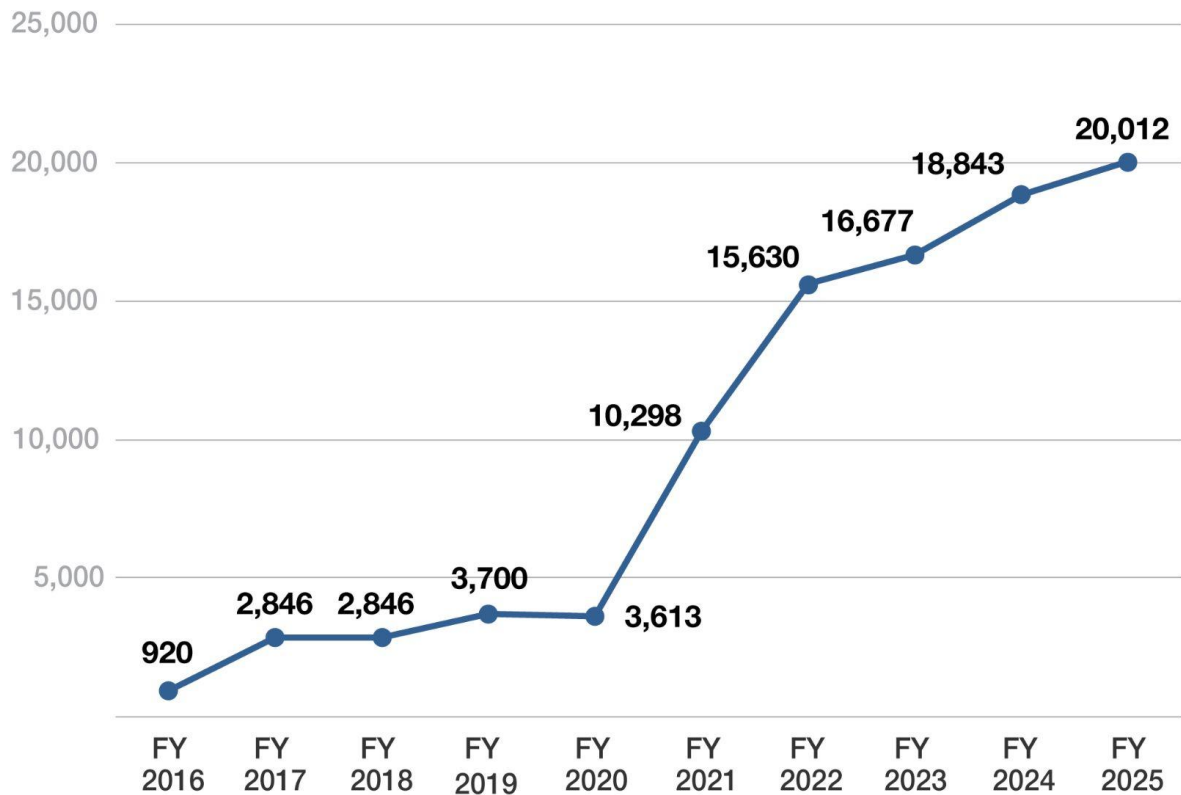


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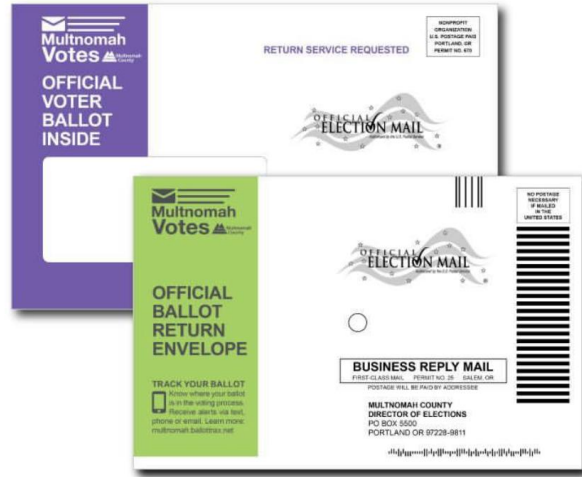
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antes del jueves, 8 de mayo.



Tome medidas y comuníquese con
Elecciones del Condado de
Multnomah al **503.988.VOTE (8683)**.



Extended Hours Available at Both Voter Service Locations

Saturday, Nov. 2
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 4
8 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 5 (Election Day)
7 a.m. - 8 p.m.





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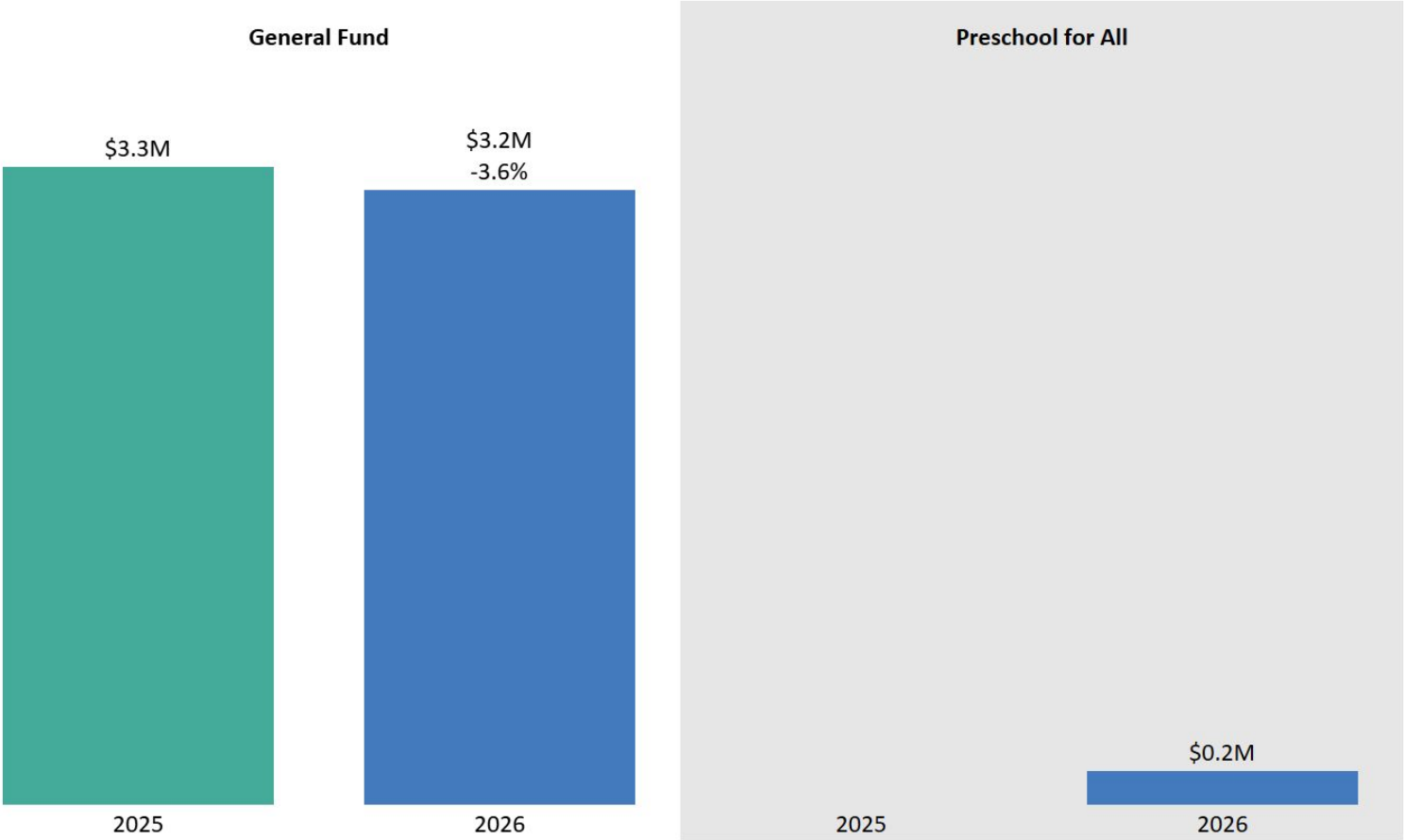
No_Cat_No_Cradle • 3h

My son's daycare decided not to apply this year, I believe in large part because of concerns that they'd lose control on enrollment, as most of their pre-k students come up through their own infant and toddler rooms. Obviously I share that concern as I'd like him to have a spot in their pre-k room there regardless of whether it's PFA-funded. How are you addressing that issue?

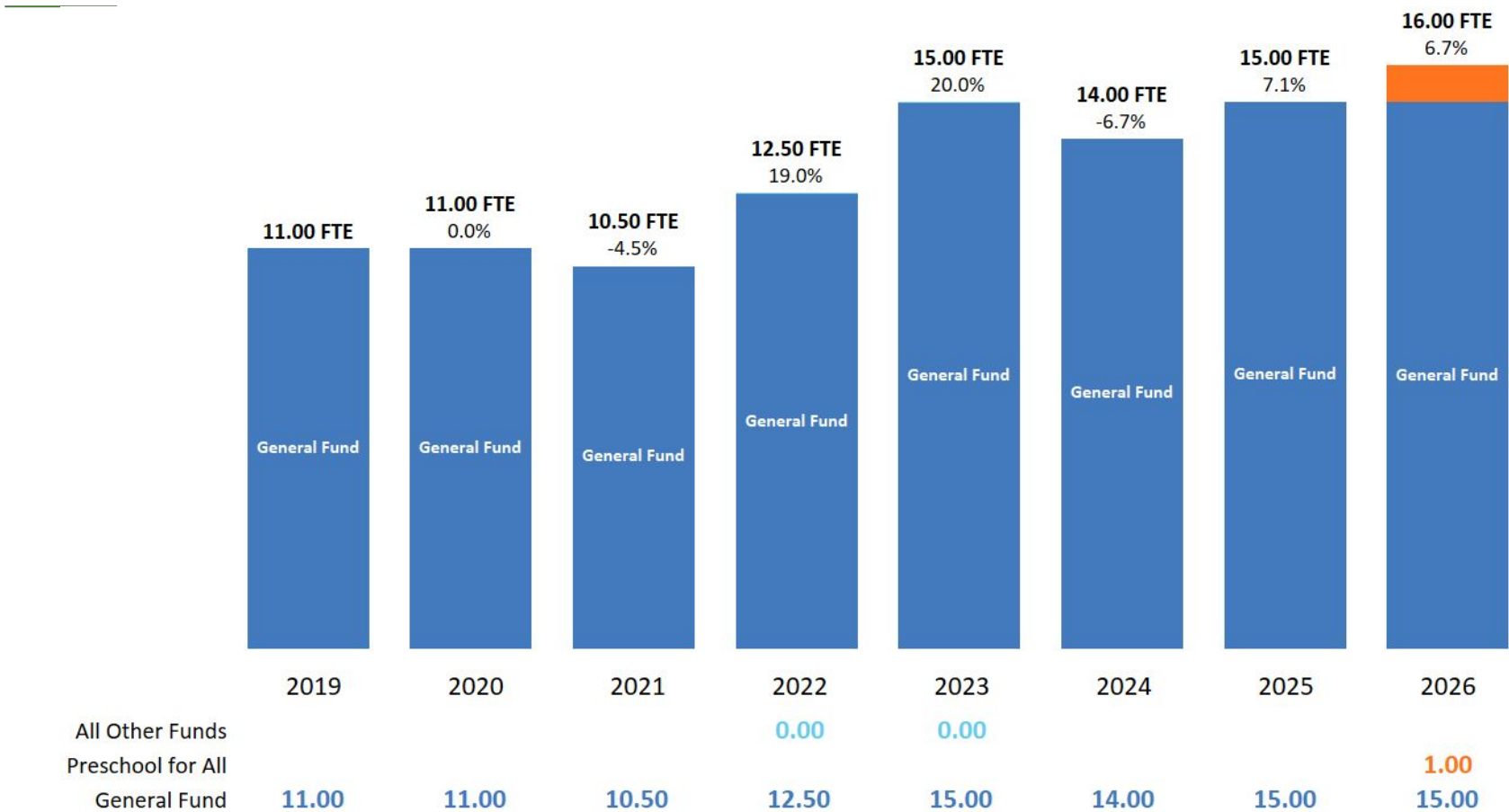
EDIT: Since no one else is really saying this, THANK YOU for making yourselves available in a forum like this. It's very rare for program staff to do this but is very valuable. And it's not the easiest thing to do with the highly visible and contentious program you manage. Solid public servant move.

... Reply 16

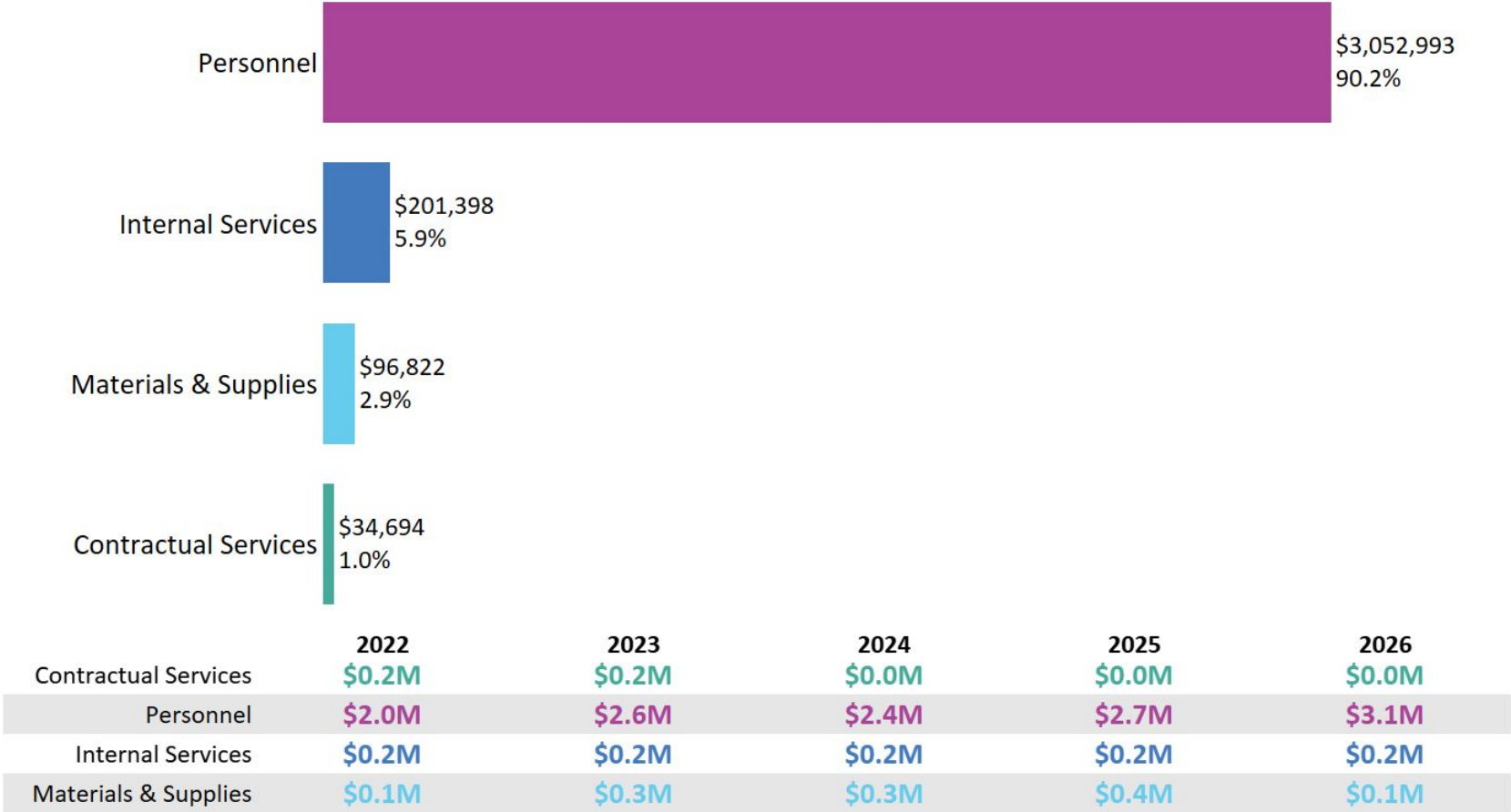
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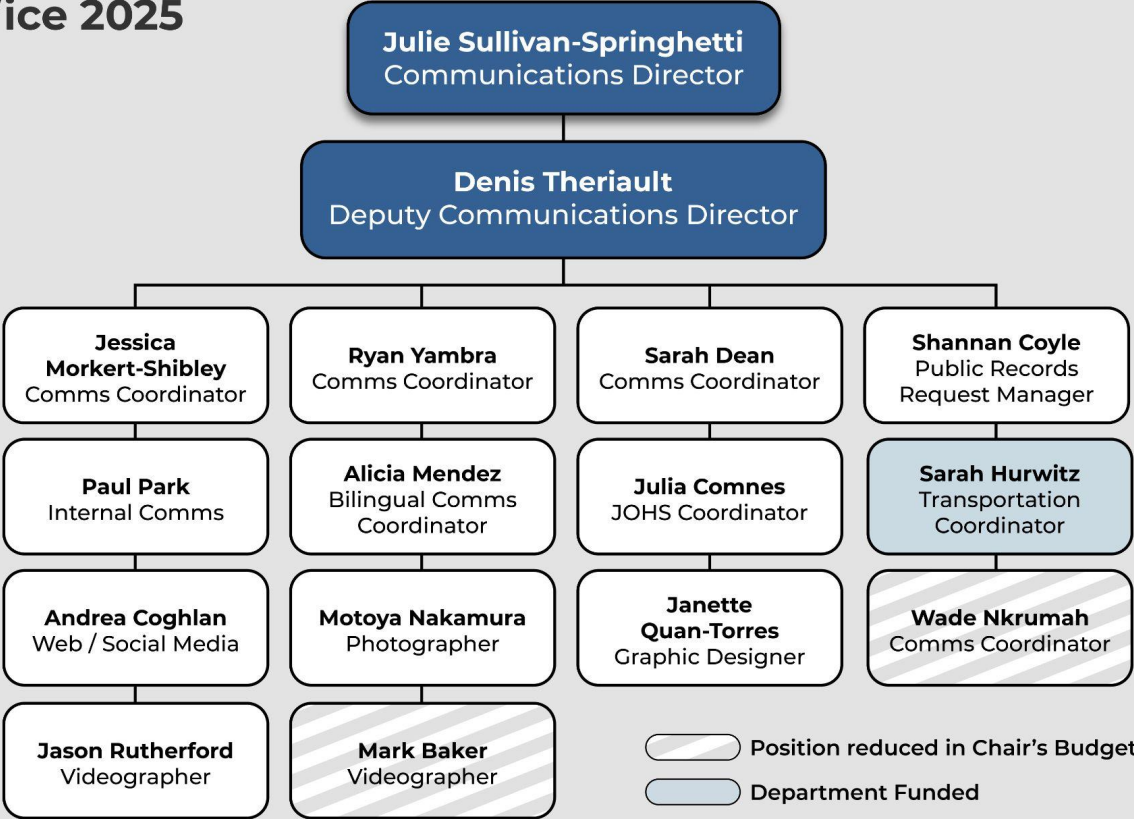
FTE Trend FY 2019-2026



Operating Budget by Category - \$3,385,907



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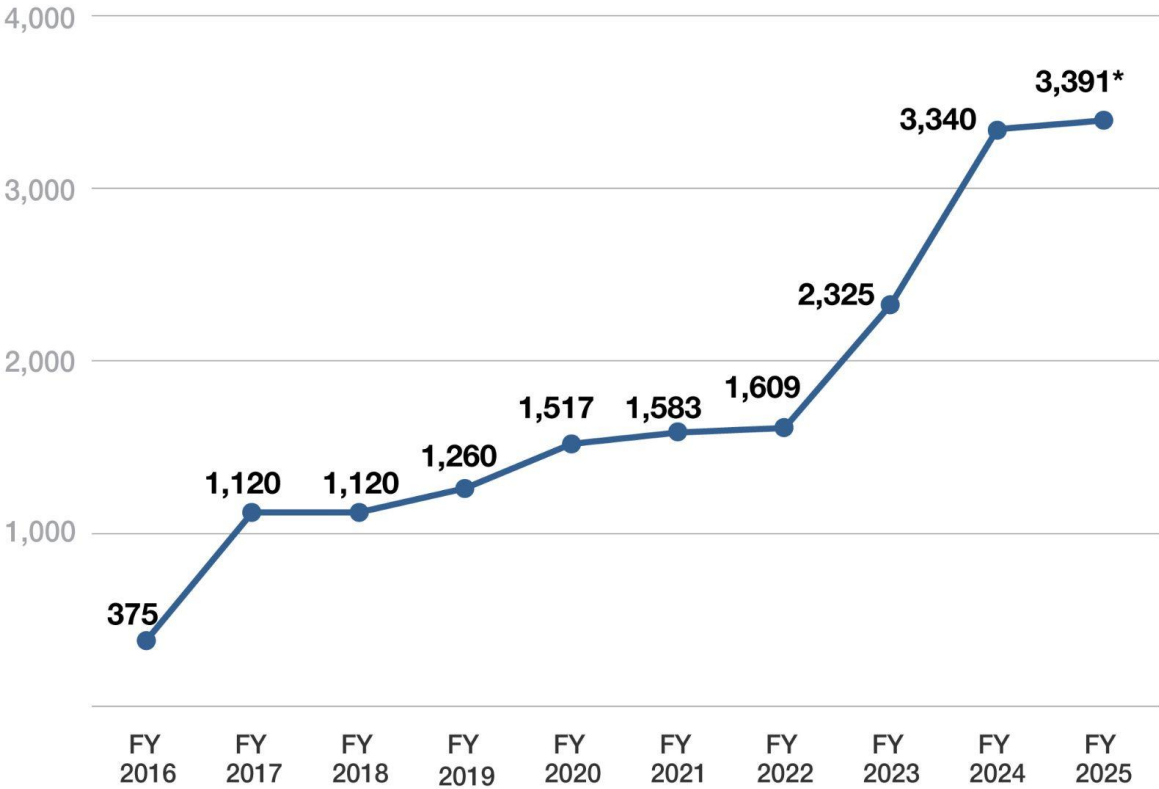
Reductions

PO #	Reduction Description	General Fund Reductions	GF FTE Red.
10007A	Videographer (Multimedia/Video Production Specialist)	(\$166,297)	(1.00)

New & OTO

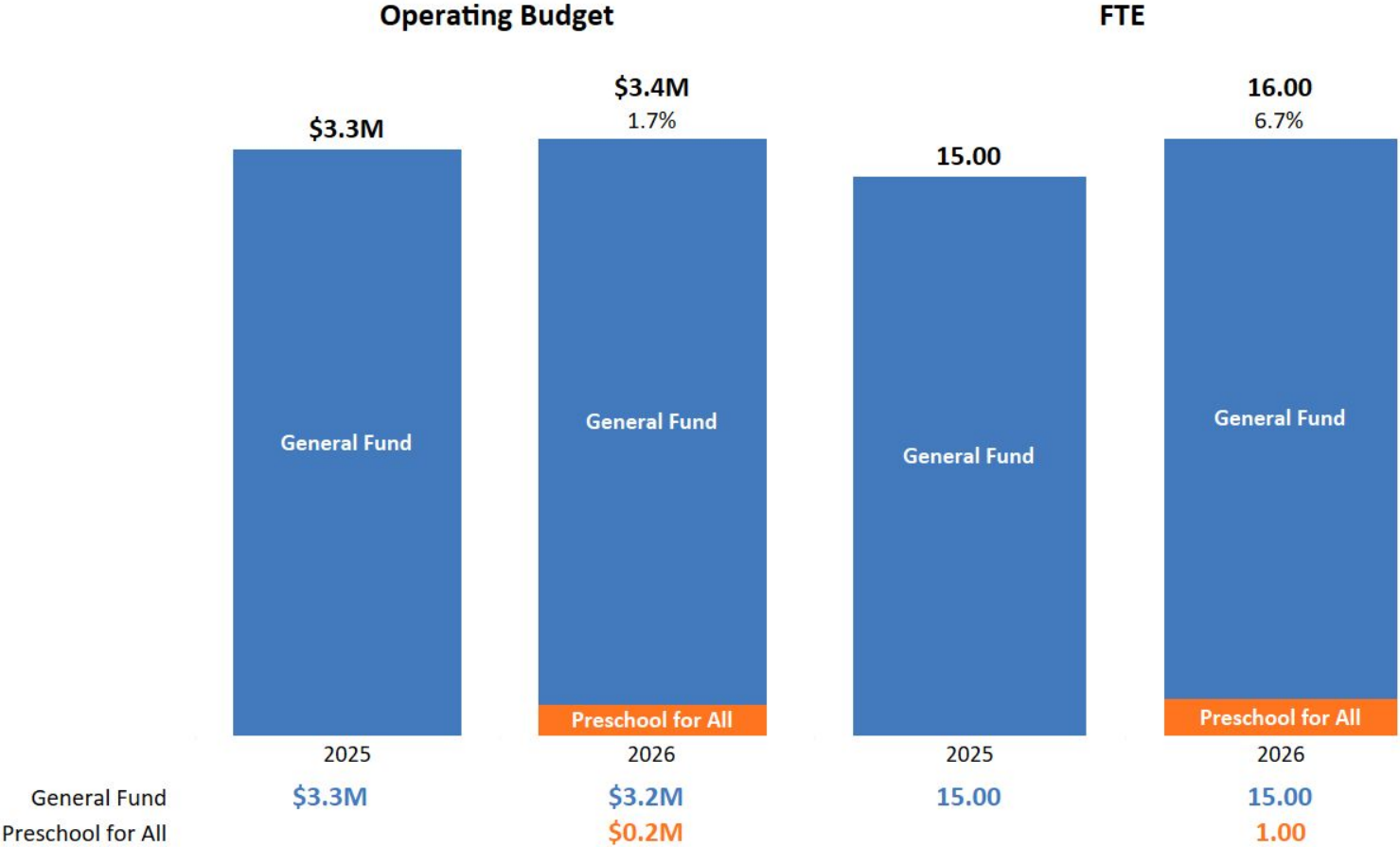
PO #	Program Offer Name	FY 2026 General Fund	FY 2026 Preschool for All Fund	Total	FTE	OTO	New
10007B	Expanded Communications Capacity	\$171,699	\$176,549	\$348,248	2.00		X

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Operating Budget & FTE









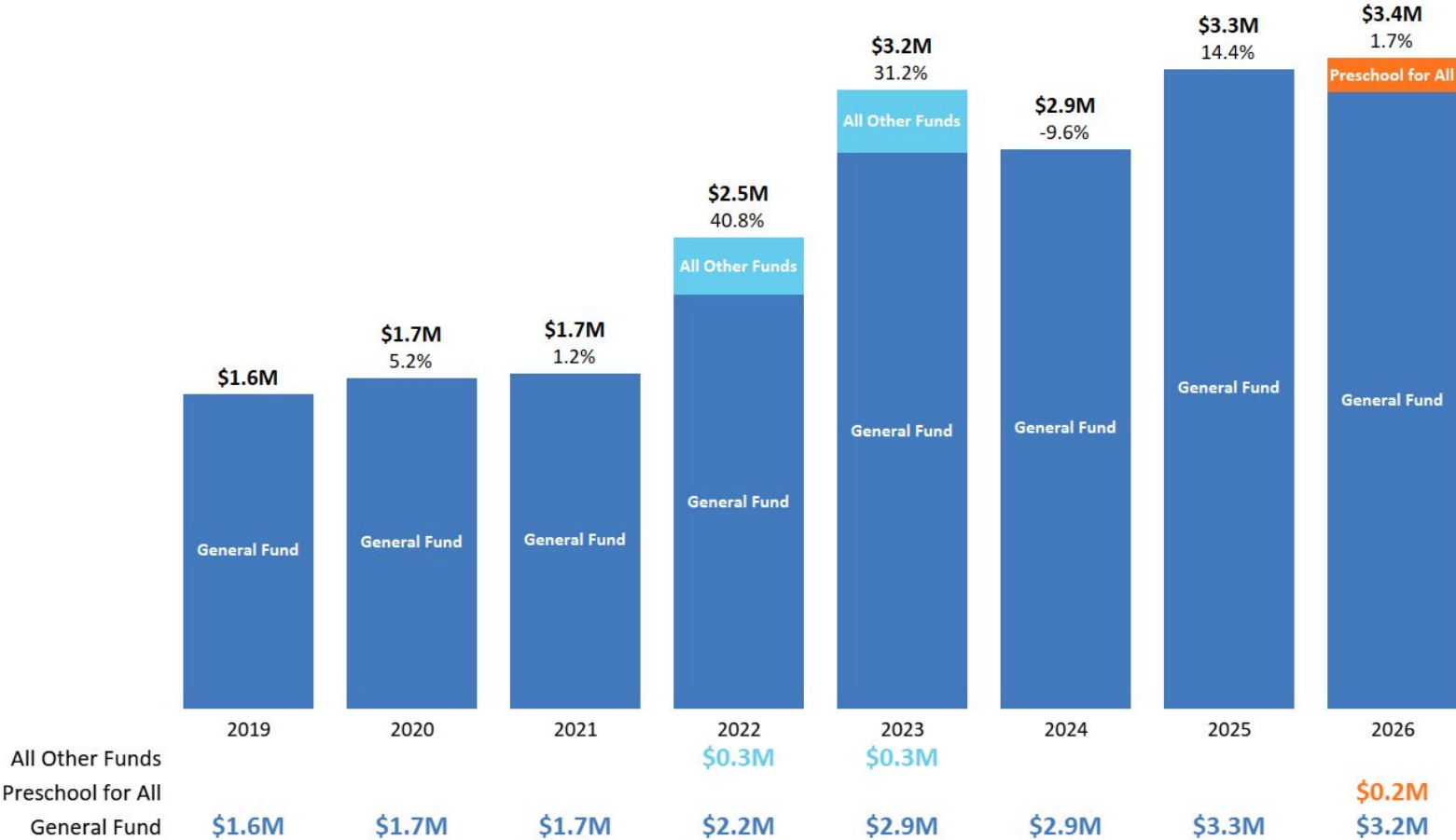
Questions



Appendices

The following slides
are provided for reference.

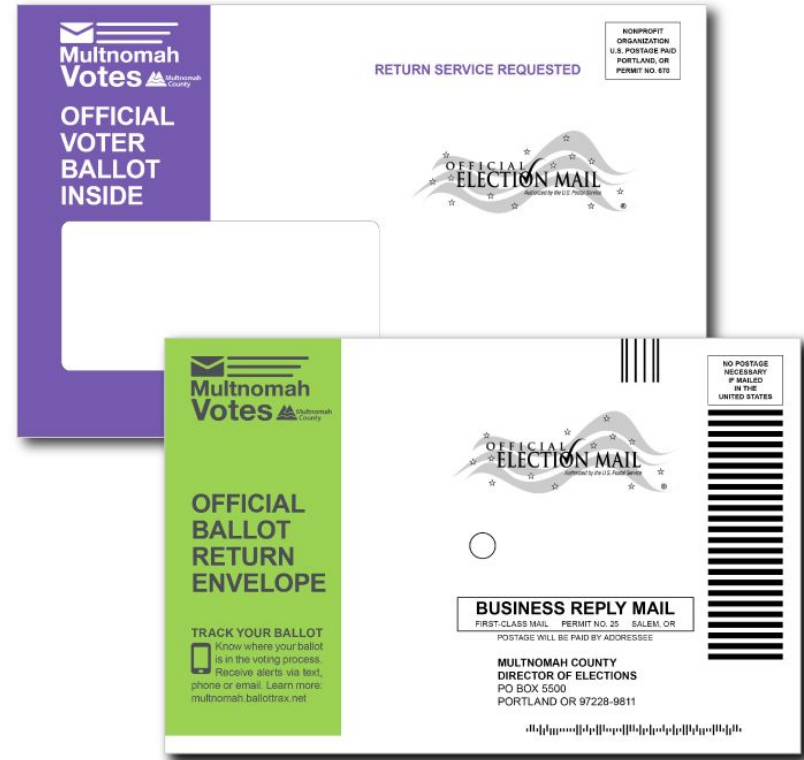
Significant Operating Funds FY 2019-2026



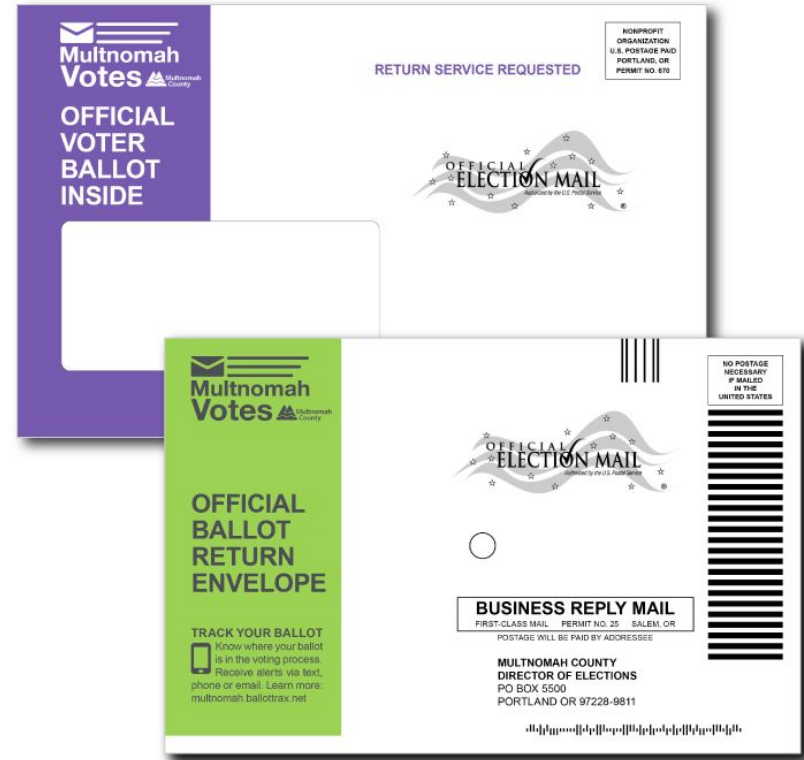
FY 2026 Budgeted Vacancies

PO #	JCN	Title	FTE	Total Personnel Expense
10007B	6089	General Communications Coordinator (Public Affairs Coordinator)	1.00	\$169,466
10007B	6089	Preschool for All Communications Coordinator (Public Affairs Coordinator)	1.00	\$169,466
Total			2.00	\$338,932

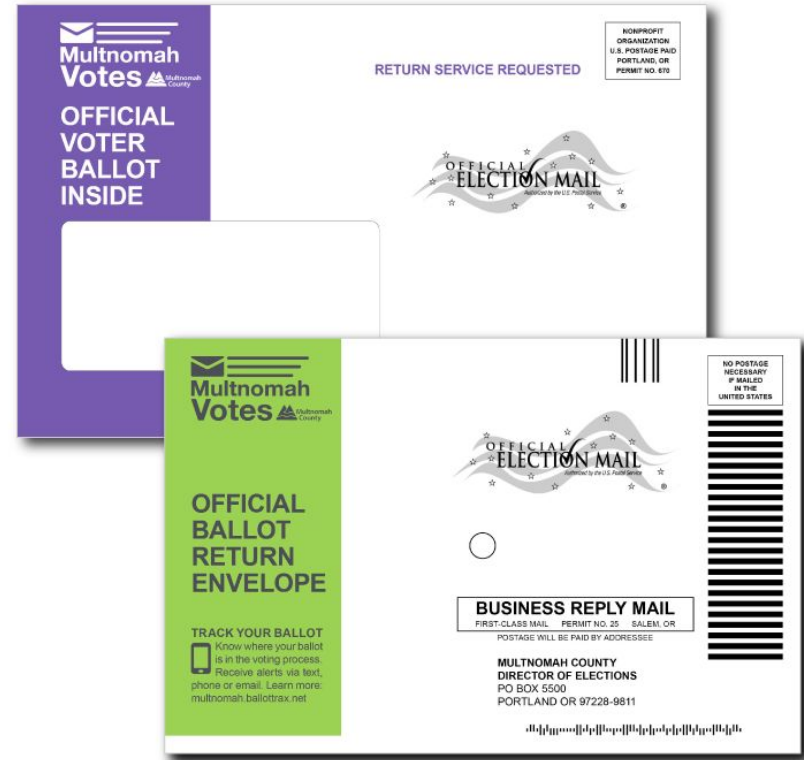
如果您没有在5月8日
(星期四) 之前收到选票，请采取行动，致电
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联系Multnomah县选举部。



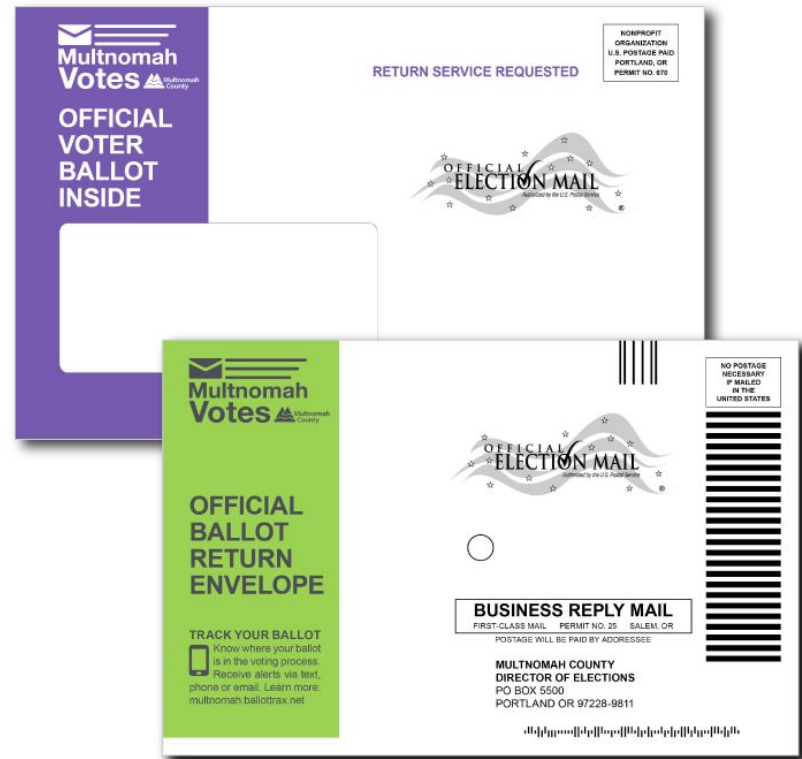
Если вы не получите
свой бюллетень до
четверга, 8 мая,
примите меры и
позвоните в
избирательную
комиссию округа
Multnomah по тел.
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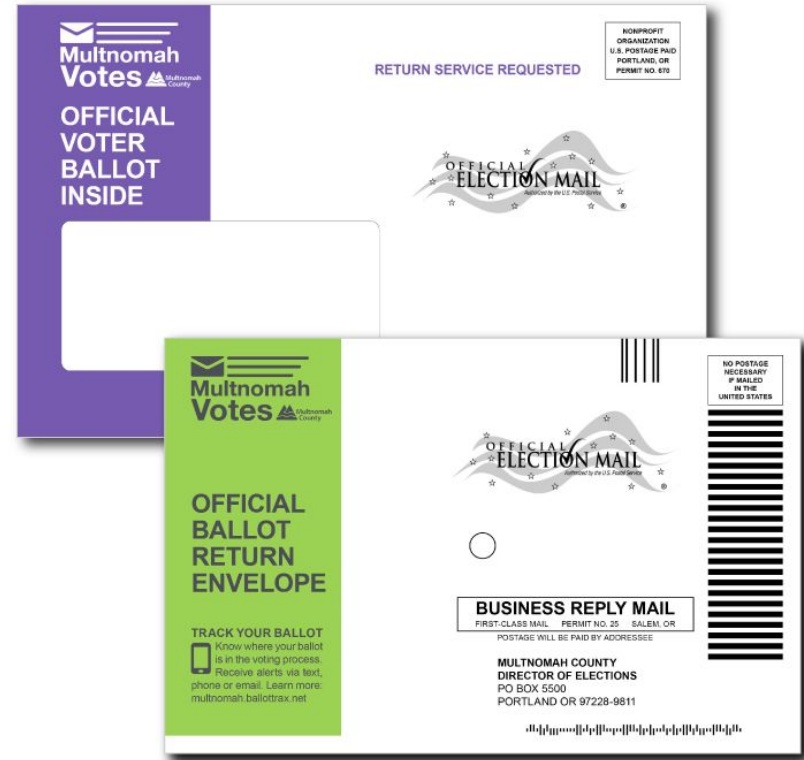
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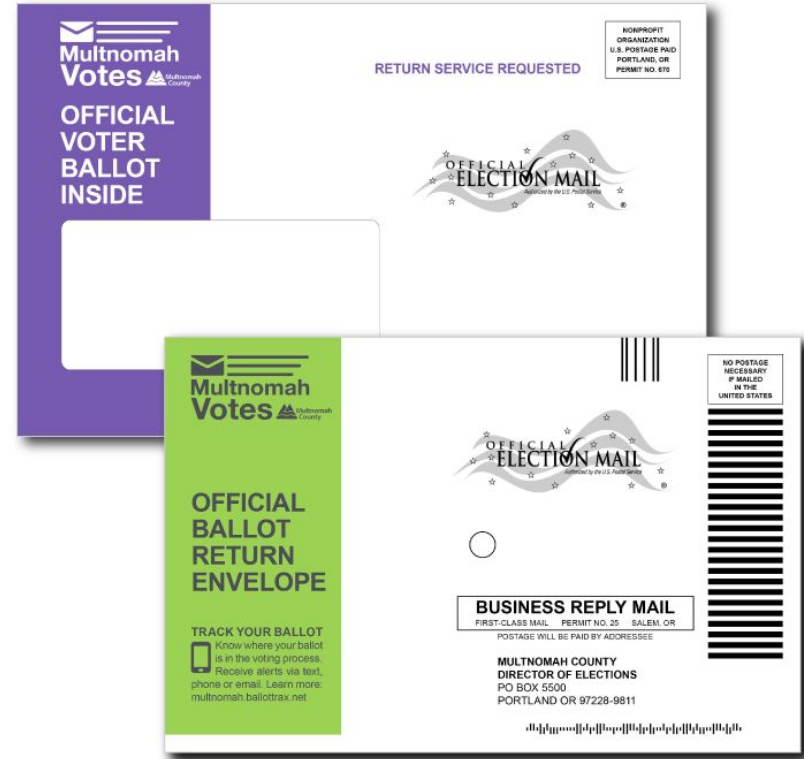
Si no recibe su boleta electoral antes del jueves, 8 de mayo, tome medidas y comuníquese con Elecciones del Condado de Multnomah al 503.988.VOTE (8683).



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до четверга, 8 травня,
зателефонуйте до
департаменту
проведення виборів
округу Multnomah за
номером 503.988.VOTE
(8683).



Nếu quý vị không nhận được lá phiếu bầu cử của mình chậm nhất vào thứ Ba, ngày 8 tháng 5, hãy hành động và liên hệ với Ban Bầu cử Quận Multnomah theo số 503.988.VOTE (8683).





El Servicio Postal de EE.UU. comenzó a entregar las boletas para las Elecciones del Distrito Especial del 20 de mayo del 2025





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🔥 Hôm nay, thứ Ba, ngày 20 tháng 5 năm 2025 là ngày cuối cùng để bầu cử trong cuộc Bầu cử Đặc Khu:

multco.us/info/vietnam...



Vietnamese: Hôm nay chính là Ngày Bầu cử! Hãy bỏ phiếu chậm nhất vào 8 giờ tối để đảm bảo lá phiếu được kiểm đếm

Nhân viên Ban Bầu cử sẽ tăng cường giờ làm việc tại Gresham và Southeast Portland, xem danh sách đầy đủ các địa điểm bỏ phiếu dưới đây

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