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between

**Multnomah County,** 

Oregon and

**Multnomah County Corrections Deputy Association** 



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#### **OREGON AND**

# MULTNOMAH COUNTY CORRECTIONS DEPUTY

#### **ASSOCIATION MCCDA**



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J	MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON	
4	And	
5	MULTNOMAH COUNTY CORRECTIONS DEPUTY ASSOCIATION	
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7	ARTICLE 1	
7	<u>PREAMBLE</u>	
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9	This Agreement is entered into by Multnomah County, Oregon, hereinafter refer	ed to
10	as "the County", the Multnomah County Sheriff, hereinafter referred to as the "Sheriff," ar	d the
	Multnomah County Corrections Deputy Association, hereinafter referred to as "MCCDA."	
11	The purpose of this Agreement is to set forth those matters pertaining to rates o	f pay,
12	hours of work, fringe benefits, and other matters pertaining to employment, consistent wi	h the
13	parties' objective of providing ever improving services to the people of Multnomah Count	
	can be characterized as fair, economical and beneficial to the quality of life in this commu	nity.
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	ARTICLE 1, PREAMBLE	

#### **ARTICLE 2**

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#### **DEFINITIONS**

- 1. For purposes of this Agreement, "probationary employee" means a permanent employee serving a twelve (12) month period to determine their suitability for continued employment. Such probationary period shall begin on the date of appointment from a list certified by the County. When a temporary employee becomes a permanent employee time spent in temporary status shall apply to the probationary period, provided that the job classification is the same, the job responsibility is substantially the same, and there is no preak in service.
- Por purposes of this Agreement, "supervisor" or "supervisory employee" as defined in ORS 243.650 243.782 means an individual having authority in the interest of the employer to hire, transfer, suspend, layoff, recall, promote, discharge, assign, reward, or discipline other employees, or having responsibility to direct them, or to adjust their grievances, or effectively to recommend such action, if in connection therewith, the exercise of such authority is not of a merely routine or clerical nature, but requires the use of independent judgment.
- 3. For purposes of this Agreement, "permanent employee" means an employee who following an examination process is appointed from a list of eligibles certified by the County to fill a budgeted position; provided that a permanent employee shall retain such status upon temporary or permanent transfer, promotion, or demotion.
- 4. For purposes of this Agreement, "temporary employee" is any non-permanent employee

  16 who has worked less than six (6) months.
- 17 5. For purposes of this Agreement, "day" as used in this Agreement shall mean calendar days unless otherwise specified.
  - 6. For purposes of this Agreement, "hours of assigned work" shall be termed "G" shift, "C"

1	shift, "E" shif	ft and "relief" shift and shall be defined as follows:	
2	A.	"C" shift: any work period which starts between 4 a.m. and 12 noon;	
3	B.	"E" shift: any work period which starts between 12 noon and 8 p.m.;	
4	C.	"G" shift: any work period which starts between 8 p.m. and 4 a.m.;	
5	D.	"Relief" shift: any five (5) day work schedule which includes more than one	(1) of
6		the above eight (8) hour work periods or has start times within the five (5)	) day
7		work schedule which differ by more than two (2) hours.	
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	-	ARTICLE 2, DEFINITIONS	

# 1 **ARTICLE 3** 2 **RECOGNITION** The County recognizes the Association as the exclusive representative for the 3 purpose of establishing wages, hours and conditions of employment for the Corrections Officers' bargaining unit. The parties recognize that the unit was certified October 11, 1984, by the Employment Relations Board as being composed of all permanent and probationary, non-supervisory Corrections Officers in the Multnomah County classified service (Corrections Officer and Correction Officer Supervisor [Sergeant]) excluding ranks of Lieutenant and above and temporary employees (i.e., employees not appointed pursuant to Multnomah County Code 9.120(C) from a certified list of eligibles and who have served less than six (6) months). "Supervisory employee" as used above shall be defined in ORS 243.650. 10 The positions covered by this Agreement are listed in Addendum A-1 attached 11 hereto and made a part hereof. 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19

ARTICLE 3, RECOGNITION

# **ARTICLE 4 MANAGEMENT'S RIGHTS** The County shall retain the exclusive right to exercise the customary functions of management including, but not limited to, directing the activities of the MCSO determining the levels of service and methods of operation and the introduction of new equipment; the right to hire, layoff, transfer and promote; to discipline or discharge for just cause, to determine work schedules and assign work and any other such rights, insofar as these rights do not affect the meaning, interpretation or application of any other terms of this agreement. Management rights, except where abridged by specific provisions of this agreement, or general law, are not subject to the grievance procedure.

# 1 **ARTICLE 5** 2 **ASSOCIATION SECURITY** Employees shall have the right to self-organize, to form, join or assist labor 3 organizations or to refrain therefrom, to bargain collectively through representatives of their own choosing, and there shall be no discrimination exercised against any employed covered by this Agreement because of his/her employee membership or MCCDA activities or because he/she employee refrains therefrom. In addition, no employee shall suffer restraint, interference, or coercion because defined in the control of th or in the exercise of any rights protected under the P.E.C.B.A. or in or because of any protected concerted activity. The MCCDA shall have the duty to fairly represent all members of the bargaining unit, whether or not they are MCCDA members. 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19

ARTICLE 5, ASSOCIATION SECURITY

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### CHECK OFF

1. The County agrees to deduct once each pay period: The MCCDA membership dues of those MCCDA members who individually request such deductions in writing. Such requests shall be submitted to: dcm.central.payroll@multco.us by either the member or a MCCDA representative.

**ARTICLE 6** 

- The County agrees to furnish the MCCDA each month a listing of: (A) all new employees hired into the bargaining unit during the month; (B) all employees who terminated during the month; (C) all employees in the bargaining unit for whom dues were deducted during the month; and (D) all employees in the bargaining unit for whom no dues were deducted during the month. Such listing shall contain the names of the employees, along with their job description, work locations and home addresses. The County will notify the MCCDA of the date and time of each new employee orientation session and grant the Union 30 minutes during the session to provide new employees information about union membership. The County will provide paid release time for an MCCDA representative to attend the orientation session.
  - 3. The MCCDA agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the County for any loss or damage arising from the operation of this article, excluding the cost of the County's defense to enforce this provision. In the event that any administrative agency or court with jurisdiction over this agreement declares that any part of this article is invalid and/or order reimbursement of dues or fees collected by the County to an employee, the MCCDA shall be solely responsible for such reimbursement, provided the County has acted in good faith in the collection of such payments, and the parties will commence fast-track bargaining pursuant to ORS 243.698 to negotiate a substitute dues deduction provision.

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Set forth in Attiole 24.	
8 ARTICLE 2, DEFINITIONS	
	4. This article shall remain in effect regardless of the duration and termination provided forth in Article 24.  8 ARTICLE 2, DEFINITIONS

#### **ARTICLE 7**

#### NO STRIKE AND NO LOCKOUT

No employee covered by this Agreement shall engage in any work stop-age, slow-down, picketing (except informational picketing), or strike at any County facility or at any location where bargaining unit work is required during the life and duration of this Agreement. If any such work stoppage, slow-down, picketing, or strike shall take place, the Association will immediately notify such employees so engaging in such activities to cease and desist.

Employees in the bargaining unit, while acting in the course of their regular employment, shall not refuse to cross any picket line established by any labor organization when called upon to cross such picket line in the line of duty. It is understood, however, that no employee shall be disciplined or discharged for refusal to cross a picket line for the purpose of performing work which does not properly fall within the scope and jurisdiction of this Association, and the job duties normally performed by members of this bargaining unit. Any employee engaging in any activity in violation of this Article may be subject to immediate disciplinary action including discharge. Such discipline shall require written notification before the action is taken and afford the employee the protections set forth in Articles 18 and 19 of this Agreement. There will be no lockout of employees in the unit by the County as a consequence of any dispute during the life and duration of this Agreement.

### **ARTICLE 8**

### <u>HOLIDAYS</u>

1. Holidays and Holiday Pay. Any day the President and/or Governor of Oregon declares a holiday for all public and private sector employees shall be recognized and observed as a paid holiday. In lieu of any other specific, recognized or observed holidays, each employee shall be credited with twelve (12) personal holidays per year at the commencement of each fiscal year and the employee shall receive one (1) day's pay at the straight time rate for each of the holidays selected on which the employee performs no work. It is understood that one of these personal holidays is in recognition and celebration of the contribution of Martin Luther King to the people of the United States. An employee hired subsequent to July 1 of a fiscal year shall be credited with 7.33 hours of personal holiday time for each month remaining in the fiscal year.

If an employee is scheduled to work New Year's Day, Independence Day, Thanksgiving Day or Christmas Day and has no remaining personal holidays the employee shall be paid one and one-half (1.5) times the employee's regular rate for working the holiday. With the approval of the Chief Deputy, Christmas Day may be traded for any other religious holiday during the fiscal year, provided the employee uses paid leave for, or works on December 25<sup>th</sup> as a non-holiday at the straight time rate. The employee must request such holiday trade in writing during the month of July each year prior to the requested trade. If the employee has remaining personal holidays, whether the employee works a regular shift only, an overtime shift only, a regular shift and an overtime shift, or two (2) overtime shifts, the employee may either (a) designate and charge such work day as a personal holiday and be paid at the rate of two and one-half (2.5) times the regular rate or (b) opt to be paid one and one-half (1.5) times the employee's regular rate and use the employee's remaining personal holiday at a later time.

1 2. Taking of Holidays. Employees shall be allowed to use the personal holidays singly or 2 consecutively and they may be used in conjunction with regularly scheduled vacations.

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An employee may use personal holidays with twenty-four (24) hours' notice or a shift commander's or designee's approval if there is a vacant slot on the vacation/personal holiday sign-up calendar. Approval shall be on a first-come first-serve basis.

Employees may schedule the use of personal holidays by the same 3. Scheduling. procedure employed for scheduling of vacation times, and the application of seniority shall apply on the same basis as it applies to vacation scheduling. However, if the right of seniority in selection of personal holidays is not employed at the same time as selection of vacation times, then the right of selection by seniority is waived. In any event, the County will make 10 good faith efforts to assure availability of relief personnel whenever an employee gives the County at least ten (10) days advance written notice of a desired personal holiday time.

An employee may cancel a previously scheduled personal holiday with twenty (20) days advance written notice to the employer, or with fewer days' advanced notice if the employer consents in writing. The employer may cancel a previously scheduled personal holiday daily in case of a bona fide emergency. In such emergency, no prior notice is required. Cancellation of personal holidays scheduled through use of annual vacation sign-up procedures shall be governed exclusively by Article 9, Section 3.

4. <u>Unused Holidays</u>. Personal holidays do not accrue on the same basis as vacations. Personal holidays which have not been used by June 30 of the fiscal year shall be paid off at the rate of one and one-half (1.5) times the employee's regular rate of pay for each unused holiday that was requested but not granted, except New Year's Day, Independence Day,

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'	Thanksgiving Day, or Christmas Day. Unused holidays which were not requested shall be	paid
2	off at the straight time rate. The employee also has the option of donating personal he	liday
3	time or unused comp time to the catastrophic leave bank.	
4	In the event of termination by resignation, lay-off, or discharge, holiday time w	ill be
7	compensated at the rate of seven and thirty-three tenths (7.33) hours of straight time page 1	ay for
5	each month worked during the current fiscal year, less the total hours of any personal hol	idays
6	taken. Employees will not accrue personal holidays during a leave of absence without pay	
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ARTICLE 8, HOLIDAYS

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#### **VACATION LEAVE**

- 3 1. <u>Accrual.</u> Employees shall accrue vacation time in accordance with the following schedule:
- A. Less than five (5) years service, three and thirty-three tenths (3.33) hours per semi-monthly pay period of service, cumulative to two hundred (200) hours. After one (1) year of service, an employee shall be entitled to bid two (2) weeks (i.e., eighty (80) hours) vacation.
- B. Five (5) years, but less than ten (10) years of service, five (5) hours per semi-monthly pay period cumulative to two hundred forty (240) hours; and shall be entitled to bid three (3) weeks [i.e., one hundred twenty (120) hours] vacation.
- 9 C. Ten (10) years, but less than fifteen (15) years of service, six and sixty-seven tenths (6.67) hours per semi-monthly pay period cumulative to four hundred (400) hours; and shall be entitled to bid four (4) weeks [i.e., one hundred sixty (160) hours] vacation.
- D. Fifteen (15) years, but less than twenty (20) years of service, eight and thirty-three tenths (8.33) hours per semi-monthly pay period of service, cumulative to four hundred (400) hours; and shall be entitled to bid five (5) weeks [i.e., two hundred (200) hours] vacation.
- 14 E. Twenty (20) or more years' service, ten (10) hours per semi-monthly pay period
  15 of service, cumulative to five hundred (500) hours; and shall be entitled to bid six (6) weeks
  [i.e., two hundred forty (240) hours] vacation.
- For purposes of accrual only, lateral hires may receive credit for prior corrections service as "County Service," up to a maximum of ten (10) years.
- Employees are entitled to use all accumulated vacation hours subject to the terms of this agreement.

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1 2. Employees shall be permitted to choose either a split or entire Vacation Times. vacation. Vacation times shall be scheduled by the County according to classification, shift, and location (East or West side of Willamette River) based primarily on the needs of efficient operations and the availability of vacation relief. Employees shall have the right to determine vacation times within their classification, shift, and eastside or westside (as applicable) by an annual sign-up, but in any case, vacation times shall be selected on the basis of seniority. Seniority shall be exercised only once a year and only to the extent of the employee's annual accrual. The number of vacation times placed on the annual vacation time schedule shall be determined in accordance with a separate 2001 Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) entitled "Memorandum of Understanding Concerning Vacation Times: MCCDA Bargaining Unit." The MOU shall be considered part of this agreement, and disputes concerning its meaning, interpretation, or application shall be resolved under Article 20, Settlement of 10 Disputes, of this agreement. The bidding process shall, to the extent feasible, allow members 11 whose bid choices are frustrated to bid on other open slots before such slots are assigned to

Sign-up for vacation shall be in forty (40) hour increments with preference towards periods of days that mesh with or are contiguous to each employee's workweek or weekend. Thus, an employee whose normal days off are Tuesday and Wednesday should attempt to schedule their vacation to commence on a Thursday and end on a Monday.

persons of lower seniority (i.e., avoid "blind bidding).

After the vacation bid is complete, the vacation book will be open for all employees to submit requests for additional vacation time off in full day increments. Employee will be allowed to select vacation days from among the still-available vacation slots on a first come, first serve basis.

3. <u>Change of Scheduled Vacation</u>. Once a vacation has been scheduled, neither the

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1	employer nor the employee may change the scheduled vacation without first giving twent	y (20)
2	days' notice to the other party of the change, except by mutual consent. This provision	s not
3	applicable to: (1) emergencies, or (2) situations where the employee has voluntarily transf	erred
4	or has received a promotion since the vacation was scheduled. In situations when	e an
_	employee has been involuntarily transferred, any vacation scheduled prior to the transfer	shall
5	not be changed.	
6	4. <u>Termination or Death.</u> After six (6) months of service, upon the termination	of an
7	employee for any reason, or in the event of the death of an employee, all accumu	lated
	vacation shall be paid either to the employee or the employee's heirs, whichever the case	may
8	be.	
9	5. Accrual During Leave. Vacation leave shall not accrue during a leave of abs	ence
0	without pay which exceeds thirty (30) calendar days.	
	6. Special Order 15-11. If the County wishes to modify mandatory subjects in Special Order 15-11.	ecial
11	Order 15-11, it shall first provide the Association with written notice of the provide	osed
2	modifications, and shall not implement any modifications until bargaining to completic	n as
3	required by ORS 243.968.	
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ARTICLE 9, VACATION LEAVE

1	ARTICLE 10				
2	SICK LEAVE				
3	1. <u>Accrual and Utilization</u> . Employees shall accrue sick leave at the rate of four (4) nours				
4	for each semi-monthly pay period worked. Sick leave may be accrued on an unlimited basis				
7	Sick leave may be utilized only for the following purposes:				
5	A. When the employee is unable to work due to an off-the-job illness or injury.				
6	B. When the employee's presence is actually needed to care for an ill or injure				
7	member of the employee's immediate family.				
	C. To attend the employee's own medical or dental appointments or wher				
8	necessary to transport or accompany a member of the employee's immediate family to a				
9	medical or dental appointment, subject to the conditions set forth below.				
10	D. For absences attributable to denied, deferred or disputed workers' compensation				
10	claims, in accordance with Article 13, Section 4 of this Agreement.				
11	For the purposes of this section only, the definition of immediate family is defined				
12	below:				
13	(1) Members of the employee's immediate household;				
10	(2) The employee's spouse, parents, or children as defined in the federa				
14	Family and Medical Leave Act (hereafter referred to as the "FMLA");				
15	(3) The employee's grandparents, grandchildren, or parents-in-law as				
16	defined in the Oregon Family Leave Act (hereafter referred to as "OFLA");				
	(4) The employee's domestic partner as designated in an Affidavit o				
17	Domestic Partnership on file with Employee Benefits; or				
18	(5) The children, parents, grandchildren and grandparents of such domestic				
19	partner, defined as if the domestic partner was the employee's spouse;				
13	16 ARTICLE 10, SICK LEAVE				
20	ARTICLE 10, SICK LLAVE				

#### E. For other absences in accordance with applicable law

Whenever possible, medical and dental appointments should be scheduled outside an employee's regularly scheduled working hours. In the event such appointments cannot be scheduled outside an employee's regularly scheduled working hours, employees must report the need to be absent as early as possible, consistent with Section 3 of this Article.

Sick leave taken for partial work shifts should be taken at the beginning or end of an employee's scheduled shift, unless such utilization is prevented due to a sudden illness or other unanticipated event. In the event that an employee's sick leave absence exceeds four (4) hours, management reserves the right to require the employee to charge the full day of absence to the appropriate accrual bank.

- 2. <u>Verification</u>. The Sheriff's Office will require an employee to submit written certification from a physician or other acceptable verification of eligibility to receive sick leave whenever the employee's absence exceeds three (3) consecutive workdays, or in the event sick leave is used for OFLA "sick child" leave, in accordance with OFLA and the Oregon Sick Leave law. Verification for absences exceeding three (3) consecutive workdays must cover the full duration of the absence and must, if related to the employee's injury or illness, including the employee's status to return and list any applicable limitations or restrictions. The Sheriff's Office may also require certification or verification under any of the following conditions:
- A. Whenever the County can articulate reasonable cause to believe that a misuse or abuse of sick leave has occurred, including questionable usage, questionable patterns of usage or calling in sick on a previously denied day off, provided the employee has been previously notified by a Facility Commander, Unit Commander or Human Resources representative that, due to such concerns, future verification will be required. Employees notified of such reasonable cause may be required to furnish a doctor's certificate for each use

- 1 of sick leave for a period not to exceed six (6) months following the notice.
- B. When the employee has called in sick without verification five (5) or more times for separate events in any six (6) month period, regardless of how the time is charged and the employee has been notified by a Facility Commander, Unit Commander or a Human Resources representative that such verification will be required for a period of up to six (6) months following the notice. This may be waived at the discretion of the County on a case by case basis.
- In the event verification is required under paragraphs A, B, or C, it must be submitted within fifteen (15) days of the date of the request.
- 8 3. Reporting of Sick Leave. Any employee who must be absent for any reason listed in Section 1 above, must report their need to be absent directly to the OIC or designee on duty as early as possible, but no later than one (1) hour before the beginning of the employee's shift, unless the employee is unable to report due to incapacitation. For the purposes of this paragraph, the beginning of shift is defined as the start of preliminary security briefing, if the employee is scheduled to attend such a briefing.
- 4. Abuse of Sick Leave. In furtherance of the above commitment, the parties hereby agree to the following terms as governing the consequences of misuse or abuse of sick leave benefits:
  - A. Sick leave is intended to provide compensation to employees who are unable to work for one of the reasons permitted under this Article. Employees are permitted to utilize sick leave only for those reasons.
- B. It is the responsibility of all employees to become familiar with the reasons for which sick leave can be used, as set forth in this Article.
  - C. Giving false information to obtain sick leave benefits or acceptance of sick leave

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- benefits for reasons other than those listed in this Article will be considered misuse of sick
  leave and will be grounds for disciplinary action, up to and including discharge.
- D. In addition, all employees are expected to cooperate with efforts by the Sheriff's Office to ensure compliance with this Article. The obligation to cooperate includes, but is not limited to, the obligation to respond to requests for information regarding the reasons for absences and requests for medical verification, consistent with this Article. Failure to cooperate with efforts to ensure compliance with this Article will also be considered grounds for disciplinary action, up to and including discharge.

#### 5. Other Sick Leave Provisions

- A. Used sick leave shall be charged on the basis of forty (40) hours per week, or:

  (1) ten (10) hours per day for (4) day workweek employees or (2) eight (8) hours per day for five (5) day workweek employees.
- B. Sick leave charges in excess of accrued sick leave credits may be charged against earned and available annual leave or leave without pay at the employee's option.

  Leaves without pay shall be subject to the approval of management.
  - C. Sick leave shall be charged to the nearest full hour.
- D. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to require the County to permit employees who have exhausted their sick leave to substitute compensatory time for sick time.
- 6. Sick Leave in Application to Final Average Salary. In accordance with the terms of ORS 238.350 accumulated unused sick leave will be applied to final average salary.
- 7. Parental Sick Leave. During the term of a parental leave mandated by Oregon Law, the
   employee on such leave may use accumulated sick leave up to twelve (12) weeks following
   birth or adoption of a child. The leave may extend for the full twelve (12) weeks regardless of parental leave taken by the other parent.

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_	8. Sick Leave Records. The medical or psychological condition that is the employee	
2	reason for their use of sick leave shall be considered confidential information to the	xtent
3	required by the Americans with Disabilities Act or other applicable law.	
4	9. Effective January 1, 2018, the first forty (40) hours of sick leave an employee use	s in a
7	calendar year shall be considered "hours worked" for the purpose of computing overtime.	
5	Oregon Paid Family and Medical Leave Reopener. The parties acknowledge that eith	er the
6	MCCDA or the County may, at a later date separate from successor barga	ning,
7	exercise a benefits reopener of Article 10 Sick Leave and Article 12 Health and We	lfare.
	This reopener will be for the exclusive purpose of addressing impacts and effects	of the
8	Oregon Paid Family and Medical Leave Act, and may include, but is not limit	ed to
9	benefits and benefit plan design. This Reopener will be subject to the same rule	and
0	bargaining process that pertains to full contract successor negotiations.	
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ARTICLE 10, SICK LEAVE

#### **ARTICLE 11**

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#### **OTHER LEAVES**

1. <u>Leave of Absence</u>. Consistent with the needs of the County, leaves of absence without pay for a limited period, not to exceed one hundred eighty (180) days, shall be granted for any reasonable purpose and such leaves may be renewed or extended for any reasonable period.

Any employee who has been granted a leave of absence without pay and who for any reason fails to return to work within five (5) days after the expiration of said leave of absence shall be considered as having resigned their position with the County, and their position shall thereupon be declared vacated, except and unless the employee prior to the expiration of their leave of absence has made application for and has been granted an extension of said leave, or has furnished evidence that the employee was unable to apply for an extension of such leave by reasons of sickness, or physical disability, or physical impossibility of compliance.

- Jury Duty. Employees shall be granted leave with full pay in lieu of jury fees any time
   they are required to report for jury duty and be absent from work on that day. Any employee
   required to attend jury duty shall be considered as a day shift employee with a schedule of
   Saturday and Sunday off without loss of shift differential for the employee's regularly assigned
   shift.
- 14 3. <u>Voting Time.</u> Employees who reside in areas that allow voting at polling stations shall
   15 be granted two (2) hours to vote on any election day if due to shift scheduling they would not be able to vote.

### 4. <u>Association Business</u>

A. Members of the Association selected by the Association to participate in

Association activity shall be granted a leave of absence without pay at the request of the Association subject to availability of relief personnel.

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- B. The Association negotiating team may be comprised of not more than seven (7)
- members of which up to three (3) may attend negotiating sessions without loss of pay. The
- 3 Association shall notify the applicable Division Commander of the selected members not less
- than seven (7) days in advance of each negotiating session. The three (3) designated
  - members shall be scheduled on day shift for the date scheduled for a negotiating session
- 5 C. Upon notice to the facility commander or designee, Association Executive Board
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  m 6}$  members shall have the right to investigate and process grievances, or meet with C  $_{
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- administrators to discuss union business, during scheduled work time.
- D. Upon notice to the Chief Deputy, up to six (6) Association Executive Board
- members will be relieved from duty for an eight (8) hour block at straight time to attend
- meetings six (6) times a year. Should the total number of hours of such work exceet two
- hundred eighty-eight (288) hours in a calendar year, Executive Board members shall be
- 10 entitled to take leave without pay after making arrangements with the Chief Deputy. In years in
- which successor negotiations begin, an additional two hundred (200) hours shall be allowed.
- Hours spent in negotiation sessions pursuant to paragraph B above, and time spent by
  - Employee Benefits Advisory Team representatives attending EBAT meetings as provided in
- Article 12, shall not be charged under this paragraph. In addition, Association Executive Board
- 14 members will be relieved from duty to attend additional meetings throughout the year with
- designated MCSO management representatives to discuss specific issues or topics, as
- approved by the Chief Deputy.
- E. The time that Association Executive Board members spend performing
- 17 Association business that is not paid by the County will be considered "hours worked" for the
- purpose of computing overtime.
  - 5. <u>Educational Leave.</u> After completing one (1) year of service, an employee upon request

may be granted a leave of absence without pay for educational purposes at an accredited school when it is related to his employment. The period of such leave of absence shall not exceed one (1) year, but it may be renewed or extended upon the request of the employee when necessary. There will be no loss of seniority for up to one year of an educational leave.

One (1) year leaves of absence for educational purposes, including any requested extension, may not be granted more than once in any three (3) year period. Employees may also be granted leaves of absence with or without pay for educational purposes for reasonable lengths of time to attend conferences, seminars, briefing sessions or other functions of a similar nature that are intended to improve or upgrade the individual's skill or professional ability, provided it does not interfere with the operation of the County.

6. <u>Tuition Reimbursement</u>. The tuition reimbursement policy as set forth in the County's Board Order dated November 21, 1978, will be continued. In addition, the County may advance the cost of tuition and incidental expenses if, in the County's judgment, such advance is consistent with County financial and operational needs and priorities, and the employee signs an agreement that if the employee does not satisfactorily complete the course, or if their County employment terminates before completion of the course, the County will have the right to deduct the amount of the advance from their pay or use other means to collect the amount of the advance.

## 7. <u>Military Leave</u>

A. <u>Leave With Pay</u>. Employees who have served with the County for six (6) months or more immediately preceding an application for military leave, and who are members of the Armed Forces of the United States, are entitled to a leave of absence with pay from their duties for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) calendar days or eleven (11) work days in any calendar year. Employees will be granted a leave of absence without pay for any additional

- time needed for the purpose of discharging their obligation of annual active duty for training in
   the military reserve or National Guard.
- B. Leave With Repayment. Employees shall be allowed to attend required military service or training sessions which fall on their regular working day(s) in lieu of their scheduled shift provided that twenty (20) days' notice is given and they agree to and do work on a scheduled day(s) off in compensation. Such repayment shall be made within ninety (90) calendar days or the equivalent amount of pay shall be deducted from the employee's next paycheck. When an employee fails to comply with this section on two separate occasions during the term of this contract, further rights under this subsection b shall be suspended for twelve (12) months from the date of the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) infraction.
  - 8. Effect of Leaves on Time Exchange Repayments. An employee may work the first half of an approved time exchange prior to taking an authorized leave of absence and receive the benefit of the repayment portion of that exchange during their authorized leave if the trade was approved in advance by the employer in accordance and otherwise in conformance with any applicable time exchange policy in effect at the time the affected employees proposed the time exchange. Employees who plan to use time exchanges in this manner at the time of the initial request for the exchange shall inform the manager to whom the request is submitted of this plan, specify the proposed dates for both portions of the time exchange, and (insofar as practicable) the anticipated start date of the leave. When such a time exchange is approved, the approving manager shall promptly notify the MCSO Payroll Supervisor in writing of the tentative plan, with a copy sent to the employee.
- 17 9. <u>Bereavement Leave.</u> An employee shall be granted not more than three (3) days'
   18 bereavement leave with payment at the regular rate of pay for working time missed during such three (3) day period in the event of death in the immediate family of the employee. If

1	such funeral is beyond three-hundred and fifty (350) miles from the City of Portland, Or	egon
2	the employee may be granted up to three (3) additional days of paid leave for travel.	
3	leave with pay shall be for the purpose of making household adjustments or to attend fu	
3	services. Bereavement leave will run concurrently with any additional bereavement lea	
4	employee is entitled to receive under the Oregon Family Leave Act or Oregon Sick Leave	
5	10. <u>Immediate Family</u> . For purposes of the immediately preceding paragraph on	
6	employee's immediate family shall be defined as spouse, domestic partner, parents, chi	
0	grandchildren, brother, sister, grandparents, father-in-law, mother-in-law, sister-in-law	
7	brother-in-law. For purposes of this section, a domestic partner's children shall be treat	
8	children of the employee if, before their death, the employee legally adopted them or	they
9	regularly lived with the employee and domestic partner for at least six (6) months immed	iately
	prior to the death as part of a joint familial unit to which the employee regularly contri	puted
10	financial support and parental guidance. Further, the legally recognized parents, step-pa	ents,
11	grandparents and siblings of the domestic partner shall be treated as in-law equivalents	of the
12	employee. In the event of death involving relationships other than those set forth above,	under
40	exceptional circumstances, a leave of absence may be granted by the Sheriff or the Sh	eriff's
13	appointed designee(s) upon request.	
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1	ARTICLE	12		
2	HEALTH AND V			
3	Medical and Dental Insurance Premiums			
4	A. <u>Contribution Toward Insurance Premi</u>	<u>ums</u>		
4	(1) <u>Full-time employees</u>			
5	a. Full-time Employee – D	<u>efinition</u>		
6	Employees who are re	gularly schedule	ed to work at least thir	ty-two
7	(32) hours per week or regularly scheduled to wor	k at least thirty (	(30) hours per week on	a ten
1	(10) hour per day schedule.			
8	b. Medical/Vision Prescrip	tion Insurance		
9	Each eligible full-time active enrolled employee's monthl			onthly
10	contribution for the purchase of medical benefit	plan coverage	(which includes visio	n and
10	prescription coverage) will be as follows:			
11	Health Plans	County	Full-Time	
12	nealui Fialis	County Contribution	Employee Contribution	
	PPO 400 Plan	92.5%	7.5%	
13	Major Medical Plan	100%	0%	
14	Kaiser 10/20 HMO Medical Plar	95%	5%	
15	c. <u>Dental Insurance</u>			
16	Each eligible full-tim	ie active enro	olled employee's m	onthly
17	contribution for the purchase of dental benefit plan	coverage will be	e as follows:	
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18	Dental Plans	County Contribution	Full-Time Employee Contribution	

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#### d. <u>Part-Time Employee Coverage</u>

In the event the County elects to employ part-time employees in positions covered by this Agreement, the County will bargain with the Association regarding the terms of coverage, consistent with applicable law.

#### i. Part-Time Employee Definition

Part-time employees shall be defined as bargaining unit employees who are regularly scheduled to work twenty (20) to thirty-one and ninety-nine one-hundredths (31.99) hours per week (this excludes employees that work three (3) ten (10) hour shifts).

B. Health Care Plan Changes During the Term of Agreement. MCCDA and the County recognize the increasing costs of health care to be a major concern. In an effort to collaborate together over quality health plans, design changes and increasing costs, the County agrees to notify the Association any time there is a proposed change in plan design, change in plan designs offered to other bargaining units or any optional changes proposed by carriers that would impact plan design cost or plan designs. The County agrees to meet with the Association whenever the Association requests to meet regarding proposed changes in plan designs by other bargaining units or changes offered by carriers that would impact plan designs. Changes in plans or plan designs which are mandated by carriers and which cannot be resolved by the parties, shall be subject to notice and expedited bargaining obligations,

- 1 consistent with applicable law. Changes in plans or plan designs which are mandated due to
  2 Federal or State laws, rules, or regulations shall be presented to the Association, but will be
  3 implemented by the County as required by law.
- Premium Calculations. For Kaiser Plans, the premium charges shall be the C. amount charged by Kaiser to the County. For the self-funded PPO medical and dental plans, the premium charges shall be calculated, using sound actuarial principles, and include projected claim costs based on plan experience as required by state regulations, Incurred But Not Reported (IBNR) expenses, Oregon Medical Insurance Pool or other State or Federal assessments, pharmaceutical claim expenses, stop-loss premiums, third-party benefit plan administration costs, and an appropriate trend factor selected to limit County contributions and employee cost shares while providing adequate funding for plan operations. The Association may challenge the accuracy of the premium calculations through the grievance and arbitration 10 procedure and the arbitrator shall have the authority to award a refund of excess contributions for the 11 calendar year in which the miscalculation was determined to have occurred. Such a challenge shall not be limited by the time lines set forth in Article 20, but only one challenge may be filed for any calendar 12 year and any award of excess contributions shall be limited to that year.
- D. <u>Employee Contribution.</u> Employee contributions will be made through payroll deductions. Enrollment in a County-sponsored medical plan and associated employee contribution is mandatory for employees who do not "Opt Out" of medical plan coverage.
- E. <u>Major Medical Plan Rebates.</u> Full-time employees who elect coverage under the Major Medical Plan will be paid fifty dollars (\$50) (gross) per month.
- F. Opt-Out of Medical Plan. Employees may elect to Opt Out of the County's medical benefit plan by making that election during the Benefit Enrollment process. Employees making such an election must provide annually, an affidavit or other qualifying proof of other

group medical benefit plan coverage covering all tax dependents in order to continue to make
the Opt Out election. Employees will not be eligible to change their election until the County's
official annual open enrollment period, unless the employee experiences an IRS recognized
family status change event that would allow a mid-year health plan election change.

#### 1. Full-Time Employees Who Opt-Out

Full-time Employees who Opt Out of medical plan coverage will receive a reimbursement paid by the County of two-hundred fifty dollars (\$250) (gross) per month. Employees may also elect to decline dental plan coverage through the County. However, there is no reimbursement associated with declining dental coverage and no proof of other dental coverage is required. Employees will not be eligible to change this election until the County's official annual open enrollment period, unless the employee experiences an IRS recognized family status change event that would allow a mid-year health plan election change.

# G. <u>Successor Plans and Carriers</u>

1. In the event that any of the current insurance plans become unavailable, the County agrees to provide to affected employees a substitute plan for the same service delivery type, if available, at substantially the same or better benefit levels. If a plan or carrier is discontinued and no substitute plan is available of the same service delivery type, the employee will be offered the option to enroll in an alternative service delivery plan.

If the County chooses to change from a plan or carrier which is still available. The County agrees that the overall existing level of benefits for each plan will not be reduced.

# 2. <u>Employee Benefit Advisory Team (EBAT)</u>

The Association and the County have shared interest in addressing increasing health insurance costs. In an effort to collaborate together over quality health plans, design changes and cost management, the parties agree to participate on an Employee

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	Benefits Advisory Team (EBAT) with such other County employee bargaining units as ag	ee to
2	participate, to review and consider health plans, design changes and cost sharing feat	ures.
3	The EBAT will be advisory only, and will report member recommendations to the County	Chair.
4	EBAT does not preclude the parties from entering into any Memoranda of Agreement (	ЛОA)
4	authorizing mutually agreed-upon plan changes. The Association will be entitled to	one
5	representative bargaining unit member on the EBAT.	
6	H. <u>Default Enrollment</u>	
7	1. New full-time employees who fail to submit timely application to Opt 0	ot or
1	enroll into the medical-dental benefit plans described in Section A will be enrolled by defa	ult in
8	the County's Major Medical plan and Delta Dental plan, with employee only coverage. El	igible
9	dependents of such employees may be enrolled in the default plans if the employee su	omits
10	application requesting dependent enrollment within fifteen (15) days of receiving notice of	their
10	default enrollment.	
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13	I. <u>Eligible Dependents</u>	
14	(1) <u>Spouses and domestic partners</u>	
15	a. <u>Definitions</u>	
40	1. A "spouse" is a person to who the employee is m	arried
16	under Oregon law.	
17	2. A "domestic partner" is a person with whom the employe	ee:
18	(a) Jointly shares the same permanent residence	for at
10	least six (6) months immediately preceding the date of signing an Affidavit of Marria	ge of
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Multnomah County partnership registry, the six (6)-month waiting period is waived; and  (b) Has a close personal relationship  (c) In addition, the employee and the other person must share the following characteristics:
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share the following characteristics:
i. Are not legally married to anyone;
ii. Ae each eighteen (18) years of age or older;
iii. Are not related to each other by blood in
degree of kinship closer than would bar marriage in the State of Oregon;
iv. Were mentally competent to contract when the
domestic partnership began;
v. Are each other's sole domestic partner;
vi. Are jointly responsible for each other
common welfare including "basic living expenses" as defined in the Affidavit of Marriage of
Domestic Partnership.
b. Enrollment of Spouse/Domestic Partner
Employees may enroll a spouse or domestic partner in Count
medical and dental plans upon completion of the County's Affidavit of Marriage or Domest
Partnership and applicable enrollment process. Enrollment times and other procedures for
administration of the medical and dental insurance plans shall be applied to employees wit
domestic partners in the same manner as to married employees to the extent allowed by the
aw. Spouse or domestic partner must be enrolled in the same plan as the employee.
(2) <u>Children</u>
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2	any biological or adoptive child of the employee or
2	employee's spouse/domestic partner who is under the age of twenty-six (26); or
3	2. a court appointed ward of the employee or employee's
4	spouse/domestic partner to the age of majority [most commonly age eighteen (18)] or the
_	age stipulated in the court documents but not to exceed age twenty-six (26); or
5	3. anyone under the age of twenty-six (26) for whom the
6	employee is required by court order to provide coverage; or
7	4. the newborn child (grandchild of employee) of an enrolled,
'	unmarried, eligible child of the employee or employee's spouse/domestic partner who is under
8	age twenty-six (26) at the time of grandchild's birth and when the parent child is also enrolled
9	as a dependent under employee's County-sponsored coverage. Grandchild's eligibility for
10	coverage ends upon the parent child's twenty-sixth (26th) birthday, marriage date, parent child
10	and/or grandchild no longer reside with the employee whichever occurs first, unless the County
11	employee has legal custody of the grandchild.
12	An eligible dependent enrolled under an employee
40	County sponsored health plan, who becomes permanently disabled prior to their twenty-sixth
13	(26th) birth date, may be eligible for continued health plan coverage after reaching the usual
14	maximum dependent age of twenty-six (26). Employees with a dependent child in this situation
15	should contact the County Employee Benefits Office three months prior to the child's
	twenty-sixth (26 <sup>th</sup> ) birth date to initiate the eligibility review process.
16	b. <u>Enrollment of Dependent Children</u>
17	Employees may enroll eligible children in County medica and
18	dental plans upon completion of an applicable benefit enrollment process. Children must be
	enrolled in the same plans as the employee.
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	С	Taxability of Dependent Health Plan Coverage

Health plan coverage provided to domestic partners, children of domestic partners, and/or other dependents who do not meet IRS Child, Qualified Child, or IRS Qualified Relative requirements is subject to imputed income tax on the value of the coverage in accordance with IRS regulations.

# (3) <u>Termination of Dependent Health Plan Coverage</u>

Written notice from employee upon termination of marriage or domestic partnership or any other change in dependent eligibility is required. Employees are responsible for timely reporting of any change in the eligibility status of enrolled dependent family members to the County Employee Benefits Office within sixty (60) days of the dependent status change.

- a. To protect COBRA rights, employees must notify the Employee Benefits Office of the dependent's status change within sixty (60) days of the qualifying event. Federal law shall govern COBRA eligibility for disqualified dependents.
- b. Employees whose marriage or domestic partnership ends must complete, sign, and file with the Employee Benefits Office a copy of the statement of Termination of Marriage/Domestic Partnership and complete the Benefit Change process to report the event.
- 14 c. Employees must remove from coverage a child who has become ineligible by completing a Benefit Change.
- d. Employees who fail to remove an ineligible spouse, domestic partner, or child within sixty (60) days of the qualifying event and have not elected to purchase COBRA coverage for the terminated dependent will be required, retroactive to the coverage end date, to reimburse the County-sponsored health plan for claims incurred and paid while the former spouse, partner, or child remained enrolled for coverage but was no longer an 19

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e. Termination of dependent health plan coverage ends on the last day of the calendar month in which the terminating event occurs. Examples:

Terminating Event	Coverage End Date	
Divorce	End of month divorce became final	
Dissolution of State of Oregon registered domestic partnership	End of month dissolution of partnership became final	
Dissolution of domestic partnership initiated by Affidavit or Multnomah County registry	End of month partner moved out of shared residence	
Child reaches maximum dependent ages	End of month that maximum age bir date occurs	th

# J. When Benefits Coverage Begins and Ends

# (1) <u>Coverage for new employees</u>

# a. <u>Medical and Dental Benefits</u>

The employee and eligible dependents will be covered by medical and dental benefits the first (1st) day of the month on or following hire, provided the employee has the employee has completed the benefit enrollment process and has provided any other required documents to the Employee Benefits Office on or before that date. Employees who complete the enrollment process after the first (1st) day of the month following hire but within thirty-one (31) days of hire, will be covered the first (1st) day of the month on or following the date enrollment requirements are completed. Employees who do not complete the enrollment process within thirty-one (31) days of hire will be enrolled based on the default enrollment procedure. Coverage under the default plan(s) will begin on the first (1st) day of the month following thirty-one (31) days of employment.

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7	and dental benefits	s plans	on a se	elf-pay basis	s as man	date	d by law.				
8		b.	<u>Other</u>	terminating	g employ	<u>ees</u>					
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13	Example: Employe		31st of last wo				f the follo us is July			 A's C	cunty-
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15	is July 16. Emplo	oyee E	3's Cou	unty-sponso	ored hea	alth	plan cov	erage	will end	d Augu	st 31
16	Employee B will ha	ive add	litional	cost shares	deducte	d fro	m final pa	ayched	cks to cov	er the	cost
16			2.	Unsubsidi	zed bene	<u>efits</u>					
17				Terminatin	ng emplo	yees	may cor	ntinue	to purch	ase co\	verage
18	-	under County medical and dental benefits plans on a self-pay basis as mandated by law.									
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### a. <u>Leaves of less than 30 days</u>

Employees' health and insurance benefits coverage will not be affected by unpaid leaves of absence of less than thirty (30) days' duration. Unpaid cost shares will be recovered from the employee when the employee returns to paid status.

#### b. FMLA/OFLA Leaves

The County will contribute toward medical plan and denta plan insurance coverage during unpaid approved FMLA/OFLA leave as required by law. Unpaid cost shares will be recovered from employee when employee returns to paid status.

If the employee remains on unpaid leave for more than thirty (30) days after FMLA/OFLA leave is exhausted, the leave will be treated as an unpaid leave of absence per "Subsection c.1" below, except that the last day of FMLA/OFLA leave will be deemed the employee's last day in pay status.

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# c. Non-FMLA/OFLA unpaid leaves

1. Lapsing of County-subsidized coverage occurs after passage of thirty (30)-day leave period. Thirty-first (31st) day of leave with unpaid status triggers loss of health plan coverage. If 31st day of unpaid non-FMLA/OFLA leave occurs:

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Coverage End	31st Day of Unpaid		
_	Non-FMLA <mark>/OFLA</mark> Leave		
30/31st of the mor	1st - 15th of month		
30/31st of the following mor	16th - 31st of month		

Example: Employee A goes on non-FMLA/OFLA unpaid leave effective July 15. Leave period exceeds thirty (30) days. Thirty-first (31st) day of leave is August 14. Employee A's County County sponsored health plan coverage will end August 31. Employee B goes on non-FMLA/OFLA unpaid leave July 18. Leave period exceeds thirty (30) days. Thirty-first (31st)

1	day of leave is August 17 Employee B's County sponsored health plan coverage will end
2	September 30.
3	Continuation of Coverage through COBRA
	Employees enrolled in County medical and/or dental plans
4	may continue to purchase coverage under County medical and dental benefits plans on a
5	self-pay basis as mandated by law.
6	3. Benefits Coverage upon return from a leave If the period of
7	unpaid leave was sufficient to cause a termination of health plan coverage, enrollment option
'	will vary based as follows:
8	(a) Employees returning to work from a leave of absence
9	without pay during the same plan year will be reinstated to the same medical plan and denta
10	plan (or successor plans) they had when they left County employment. If they return from
10	leave the first day of the month, coverage will be in effect upon their return from leave
11	otherwise, coverage will be in effect the first day of the month following their return from leave.
12	(b) Employees returning from unpaid non-FMLA/OFLA
13	leave in a new plan year may enroll in different medical and/or dental plans within thirty- one
10	(31) days of their return. Such employees must notify the County Employee Benefits Office
14	and complete the enrollment upon their return to work. If submitted enrollment is received by
15	the first (1st) day of the month, the change will be effective that day; otherwise, coverage wi
16	be in effect the first (1st) day of the month following the employee's completed enrollment
	K. Flexible Spending Accounts
17	(1) Medical Expenses
18	To the extent permitted by law, Medical Expense Reimbursement Plan
40	(MERP) accounts, which allow employees to pay for deductibles and un-reimbursed medical,
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dental, and vision expenses with pretax wages, will be available according to the terms of the
 Multnomah County Medical Expense Reimbursement Plan.

#### (2) <u>Dependent care expenses</u>

To the extent permitted by law, Dependent Care Assistance Plan (DCAP) accounts, which allow employees to pay for child or elder care with pre-tax wages, will be available according to the terms of the Multnomah County Dependent Care Assistance Plan.

# (3) <u>Transportation expenses</u>

To the extent permitted by law, Transportation Assistance Plan (TRP) accounts, which allow employees to pay for Transit and parking with pre-tax wages, will be available according to the terms of the Multnomah County Transportation Expense Plan, as maybe modified from time to time.

- L. <u>Emergency Treatment</u>. Employees will be provided with emergency treatment for on the job injuries at no cost to the employees. Employees further will promptly sign an appropriate Workers' Compensation claim form when presented by the employer.
- M. Long-Term Care. Any bargaining unit employee covered by this agreement may participate in a long-term care insurance program developed by the Association and the County consistent with carrier contracts the monthly premiums to be paid individually through payroll deduction.
- N. Retiree Medical Insurance. Retirees from this bargaining unit shall be eligible to participate in the County's medical plan subject to the following provisions:
- (1) For purposes of this section, "retiree" refers to a person who mee's the criteria of section 5 below, who separated from service from the County on or after July 1, 1992 and, at the time of separation occupied a position covered by the MCCDA bargaining unit. For

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- purposes of this section, "member" or "members" refers to an active employee(s) who permanently occupies a position(s) covered by the MCCDA bargaining unit.
- participate in the County medical and dental plans available to members, but not in other County plans not available to members. Coverage of eligible dependents uniformly terminates when coverage of the retiree terminates, except as otherwise required by applicable state or federal law.
- 7 medical insurance plans, during annual enrollment, retirees shall be entitled to choose 8 between the same plans under the same conditions as apply to members and including the 9 Kaiser Maintenance Plan. Retired employees participating in the members' medical insurance plan shall be subject to the application of any change or elimination of benefits, carrier, administrator or administrative procedure to the same extent and at the same time as are 11 members.
- 12 (4) The retiree shall be responsible for promptly notifying the Employee

  Benefits Office in writing of any changes in the retiree's current address and of any changes in

  retiree or dependent eligibility for coverage.
- 14 (5) Retiree Benefits Eligibility Association employees who are eligible to
  15 initiate a PERS pension upon separation from the County, meet the retiree eligibility
  16 requirements and enroll in a County-sponsored retiree health plan at employment separation
  16 are eligible for a premium subsidy from the County as follows:
- a. If a retiree has thirty (30) years of continuous County service, regardless of age, the County shall pay one-half (1/2) of the monthly medical insurance premium on behalf of a the retiree and their eligible dependents, until the retiree's sixty-fifth

1	(65th) birthday, death, or eligibility for Medicare, whichever is earlier.
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	b. The County shall pay one-half (1/2) of the monthly medical
3	insurance premium on behalf of a retiree and their eligible dependents, from the retiree's
4	fifty-eighth (58th) birthday or date of retirement, whichever is later, until the retiree's sixty-fifth
	(65th) birthday, death, or eligibility for Medicare, whichever is earlier, if the retiree had
5	1. five (5) years of continuous County service immediately
6	preceding retirement at or after age fifty-eight (58) years, or
7	2. ten (10) years of continuous County service immediately
1	preceding retirement prior to age fifty-eight (58) years, or
8	3. ten (10) years of continuous County service immediately
9	preceding disability retirement regardless of age.
	(6) Actual application for Medicare shall not be required for a finding that a
10	retiree is "eligible for Medicare" under subsections a and b of section 5, above.
11	(7) Part-time service in a regular budgeted position shall be prorated for
12	purposes of the service requirement set forth in section 5, above. (For example, twenty (20)
	hours the applicable service requirements).
13	(8) In addition to the other requirements of this section, continued medical
14	plan participation or benefit of County contributions is conditioned on the retiree's continuous
15	participation in the County's medical and/or dental insurance plan from the time of retirement,
10	and upon the retiree's timely payment of the applicable retiree portion [i.e., fifty percent (50%)
16	or 100 hundred percent (100%), as applicable] of the monthly premium. Failure to continuously
17	participate or make timely and sufficient payment of the applicable retiree portion of the
18	monthly premium shall terminate the retiree's rights under this section. However, a retiree who
	retires on or after ratification of this Agreement will be allowed to leave coverage and opt back
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on to a County plan as a one-time opportunity. To receive this benefit, the retiree must demonstrate continuous coverage under another employer-sponsored group medical plan and must enroll within sixty (60) calendar days of loss of coverage under the other group medical plan. The effective date of coverage will be the first day of the month on or after receipt of all enrollment forms. The County shall inform the retiree of the identity and mailing address of the collection agent at the time the retiree signs up for continued post-employment medical insurance coverage, and shall inform the retiree of changes of collection agent not less than forty-five (45) days in advance of the effective date of the change.

(9) In the event the state or federal government mandates County participation in and payment, in whole or in part, for any medical and/or dental insurance or benefits plan which provides retirees with medical benefits or insurance coverage which would constitute a substantially similar substitute for the benefits or coverage and for substantially the same period as provided in this section, the County may cancel, in whole or in part, the rights and benefits which would otherwise be provided under this section to the categories of retirees or persons covered by the state or federal mandate, by written notice to MCCDA and retirees affected by the cancellation.

their dependents are made subject to state or federal taxation, any additional County tax liability shall be directly offset against such payments required under this section. (For example, if the effect on the County of the additional tax is to increase the County's outlays by an amount equivalent to ten percent (10%) of aggregate monthly retiree premium, the County's contribution shall be reduced to forty percent (40%) of the premium so that the net County costs will remain unchanged.) In such event, upon request by the County, MCCDA agrees to meet and discuss alternatives which may have greater tax advantages for members and the

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### 2. Other Benefits

A. Optional Short-term Disability Insurance. Any full-time employee covered by
This Agreement may participate in the Optional Short Term Disability insurance program. The
monthly premium must be paid individually through payroll deduction. Short-term disability
Elimination period is thirty (30) days with benefits ending at the ninetieth (90th) day for timely
Enrollees within thirty-one (31) days of hire. Qualification is subject to the eligibility requirements of the disability carrier contract.

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#### B. Long-Term Disability Insurance

- (1) All bargaining unit members that work twenty (20) hours or more per week will continue to be covered by a County-paid group long-term disability insurance policy, the provisions of which shall be the same as those in the County's group policy plan as specified to the Association. The County may not terminate a disabled employee (except for cause unrelated to the disability) during the period of disability.
- (2) In the event an employee is on an approved FMLA/OFLA leave, the
   County will continue to pay the premium to provide medical insurance coverage. Once
   FMLA/OFLA provide medical insurance coverage. Once FMLA/OFLA entitlement has been exhausted, COBRA coverage will be offered and is self-paid.
- C. <u>Life Insurance</u>. The County agrees to provide each employee covered by this
  Agreement with term life insurance in the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), and
  accidental death and dismemberment insurance in the amount of fifty thousand dollars
  (\$50,000). Any increases to the County provided coverage are subject to the terms of the

insurance contract.

Employees, at their option, may purchase supplemental term life insurance coverage for themselves, their spouse or their domestic partner consistent with the carrier contract(s) by payroll deduction. Premiums will vary according to age of the insured. Insured employees will have access to a certificate evidencing such insurance. Employees will designate their beneficiaries for life insurance coverage.

Retirees of the Public Employees Retirement System will be provided with five thousand dollars (\$5,000) of term life insurance coverage by the County, provided they retired on or after July 1, 2001.

- D. VEBA (Voluntary Employee Beneficiary Association). The County will convert an amount equal to one percent (1%) of each Association member's hourly rate (including base wages, overtime wages, incentive pay and longevity pay), and will contribute that amount into each employee's HRA-VEBA account each pay period. The one percent (1%) will vary in erms of the actual dollar amount based on the number of hours worked and any increases in compensation. The one percent (1%) conversion will be deemed an employer-paid benefit and will not be subject to PERS contributions or benefits. The HRA contribution process will remain in place for the term of this collective bargaining agreement, with extension of the contributions subject to annual review by mutual agreement of the Association and County. Notwithstanding this paragraph, if a circumstance beyond the control of the parties substantively impairs the ability of the County to make the salary conversion and HRA-VEBA contributions as described above (e.g., a change in law or administrative rule), this paragraph may be voided by the County, at which time the one percent (1%) shall be added back to the salaries of each employee.
  - E. <u>Right To Communicable Disease Information</u>. If an employee is exposed while

on duty to the blood or bodily fluids of an inmate, the County shall immediately request the inmate to voluntarily release their medical records to the employee's physician. The County shall, upon receipt of the release, provide appropriate medical information to the employee's physician. If an inmate refuses to sign the release, the County shall notify the officer and MCCDA concerning the matter.

F. Fitness for Duty Examinations. The County may require an employee to submit to and cooperate fully in a physical, psychiatric, or psychological examination. Except when otherwise required by law, health practitioners conducting such an examination shall be selected by the County with all costs for such examination being borne by the County. Such examination is for the purpose of providing the employer with information needed to conduct its business, and is not one in which the employee and examining health care practitioner(s) will have or develop a patient-client relationship. The affected employee shall authorize the examining health practitioner(s) to forward a copy of the report to the Sheriff's Office Human Resources Director, as well as to a health care professional designated for this purpose by the employee, for review and release to the employee. The Human Resources Director may also provide the report to the County's medical or legal or labor relations representatives, including their assistants, in connection with actual or potential litigation. The Human Resources Director 13 may also share information in such reports in connection with fitness for duty determinations or leave or benefit eligibility under contract or law. The report may also be disclosed in the forum(s) in which any such litigation is pending and to persons incident thereto, subject to such protective orders and other limitations as the forum may impose. Except as otherwise required by law (e.g., court order) or for litigation, no other persons may have access to the report without the employee's written permission, including supervisors. Disclosure of employee medical, psychiatric or psychological information to supervisors or

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other persons will be generally permitted only when the supervisor or person has a genuine need to know. Disclosure in such instances shall be strictly limited to the amount and type of information reasonably necessary for the supervisor or other person to address the legit mate business purpose involved (e.g., work restrictions or limitations, accommodations necessary for the employee to perform their duties, information needed to respond to medical emergencies, etc.) A physical, psychiatric or psychological examination shall not be mandatory for each Employee more than once in each fiscal year, except when consistent with business necessity as defined under the Americans with Disabilities Act.

# G. <u>Health and Security of Persons and Facilities; Administrative Search Authorized</u>

- abuse, promote the health and safety of corrections employees, MCSO corrections clientele, and the public, further penal and rehabilitative policy objectives, and ensure confidence of the public and other justice service agencies in the integrity of the MCSO, the Sheriff may promulgate and enforce reasonable work rules related to the possession and use of drugs and alcohol, and design and implement a combined or singular urinalysis-based drug and breathalyzer/blood-based alcohol testing program in which Corrections Deputies and Corrections Sergeants may be required to participate, subject to the limitations described in this section.
- (2) The program described in this section may provide for testing premised on a reasonable suspicion that the employee is under the influence of regulated drugs or alcohol in violation of employer rules at the time the urine sample is taken. (A "reasonable suspicion" means a belief based on one (1) or more specific articulable facts from which one could reasonably infer that the employee may be under the influence of alcohol or drugs.) Further, to the extent permitted by law, the program described in this section may provide for

- urinalysis-based testing without suspicion or warrant. However, such suspicion less or warrant-less tests may only be performed to monitor compliance of the employee with MCSO abstinence requirements for a period of eighteen (18) months after the employee has been identified as having used or possessed regulated substances in a manner proscribed by MCSO rules.
  - (3) The giving of urine samples as part of the testing program implemented under this section shall be performed by the employee in private in a suitable location designated by the employer.
  - (4) The parties agree that the results of a urinalysis-based test undertaken pursuant to this section without reasons or procedures that would meet constitutional requirements for a search or seizure for purposes of criminal investigation or prosecution may not be used in criminal investigations or prosecutions. However, if the results would evidence possible criminal conduct and simultaneous violation of employer rules, such evidence may be used to establish violation of employer rules even though it cannot be used to investigate or establish criminal conduct with the objective of criminal prosecution for criminal conduct.
  - (5) Prior to implementing a revised testing program pursuant to this section, the Sheriff or their designee shall give the MCCDA specific notice of the contents of such program and of any substantial changes in the program made pursuant to MCCDA comments thereon and before initial implementation. Thereafter, the Sheriff shall give the MCCDA notice of any substantial revisions of the plan. The MCCDA shall have thirty (30) days to submit comments to the Sheriff or his designee on the program first proposed, and thereafter ten (10) days to submit comments on any amendments to the program first proposed or program revisions following implementation. The MCCDA may initially raise any challenge to the reasonableness of proposed rules or the constitutionality of any proposed rule or program

- procedure only at this time. The Sheriff may implement the program or program revision
   without bargaining after conclusion of the applicable comment period.
  - (6) The employer shall give each present employee and each new hire a copy of the program procedures, related work rules, and any subsequent revisions and notice that the procedures, rules or revisions may be applied to any Corrections Officer or Corrections Sergeant.
- 6 (7) Employees who voluntarily seek and obtain professional help for substance abuse problems, and who thereafter refrain from the violation of employer rules governing the possession or use of drugs shall not be subject to disciplinary action for the previously undisclosed prohibited possession or use of the regulated substance. However, this does not immunize the employee for discipline related to breaches of required conduct that were incidental to such use, or for conduct for which the employer or any criminal justice agency had independent knowledge prior to the employee's disclosure.
  - (8) Disputes concerning the constitutionality of any rule or procedure designed or implemented pursuant to this section shall not be subject to grievance or binding arbitration. It is the parties' intent that such disputes will be resolved through the court system.
  - (9) Work time used for purposes of assessment, evaluation counseling, and treatment of drug or alcohol dependency shall be charged against accrued and available sick leave until exhausted, then against accrued and available vacation leave until exhausted then against unused personal holidays until exhausted, and then against leave without pay if authorized by the employer.
- 17 (10) The laboratory that performs such analysis shall be SAMSHA-certified or certified by the State Department of Health for such testing. Testing procedures for all employees shall be governed by the same standards as apply to employees whose jobs

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require a Commercial Driver's License under federal law. These standards include, but are not limited to, those governing sample acquisition, chain of custody, laboratory selection, testing methods and procedures, and verification of test results.

If the County requests an MCCDA member to submit to a breathalyzer test, the member shall be informed at that time that they have the right to verify the results of such test with a blood-based test. If the member requests a blood-based verification test, the Association shall reimburse the County for the additional cost of such test, unless the results of the blood-based test results differ from the breathalyzer test by more than ten percent (10%), in which case the County shall bear the cost of both tests. A urine or blood sample taken pursuant to the program implemented under this section shall be split in approximately equal parts at the time it is given. This sample shall be stored in a secure refrigerated location for a period ending not sooner than five (5) days after the employee is notified of any urinalysis of the first sample indicating a presence of a regulated substance at a level exceeding the standard set forth in this program (i.e., "tests positive" test result). During this period the employee may request that the second part of the sample be retested and such retest shall be conducted. The County will contract with a medical doctor trained in toxicology to act as a Medical Review Officer (MRO). They will review preliminary positive tests with employees and any relevant health care providers before the results are reported to the County. Based or their professional judgment, they may change the preliminary positive test result to negative or inconclusive. (NOTE: The County will not be able to distinguish a test result that is negative or inconclusive by MRO intervention from any other negative or inconclusive test result.) In addition, the following safeguards will apply:

a. Test results will be issued by the testing laboratory only to the investigatory or supervisory personnel designated by the County. The results will be sent by

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1	certified mail or hand-delivered to the employee within three (3) work days of receipt	of the
2	results by the County.	
3	b. If the employee disagrees with the results of the alcohol or	drug
	test, the employee may request in writing within five (5) days of receipt of the test results	, tha
4	the sample be retested at the employee's expense by a State or SAMSHA-certified te	esting
5	laboratory selected by the employee. Failure to make timely written request for a retest	shal
6	be deemed acceptance of the test results. If an employee requests a retest, any discip	linary
7	action shall be stayed pending the results of retesting.	
'	c. Test results are medical records, and will be handled in accord	lance
8	with applicable federal and state law and County Administrative Procedures conce	rning
9	confidentiality and disclosure of such records.	
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1	H. <u>Defense and Indemnification</u> . The County shall defend	and
2	indemnify employees covered by this Agreement against all claims	and
3	judgments incurred in or rising out of the performance of their official duties.	
_	FMLA/OFLA Eligibility. Only actual hours worked will be counted	wher
4	reviewing the number of hours worked to determine if an employee mee	s the
5	minimum hours worked eligibility requirements to be covered under FMLA a	nd/o
6	OFLA. Paid time off (such as vacation leave, sick leave, and compensatory	time
	taken) does not count toward FMLA and OFLA eligibility requirements.	
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#### **ARTICLE 13**

#### **WORKERS' COMPENSATION**

- 1. The County shall provide to all members of the bargaining unit full coverage as required pursuant to the provisions of the Oregon Workers' Compensation Act.
- 2. The period of time that an employee is off the job and unable to work by reason of a disability compensable under the Workers' Compensation Law shall not interrupt their continued period of employment with reference to accrual of seniority or retirement vesting rights unless the employee's "attending physician" (as that term is defined under ORS 656.005(12), the State Workers' Compensation Department or Board (or its successor) certifies to the County in writing that the employee will be permanently disabled to such an extent that he or she the employee will be unable to return to the County and fully perform the duties of the position he or she the employee occupied at the time of injury. In such event the employee's status shall be governed exclusively by applicable State statutes related to re-employment and non-discrimination.
- The County shall supplement the amount of statutory benefits received by the employee for temporary disability due to occupational injury, illness or disease in an amount which, coupled with Workers' Compensation payments, will insure the disabled employee the equivalent of one hundred percent (100%) of their semi-monthly net take-home pay, up to twenty-four (24) months, subject to the following conditions:
- A. Supplemental benefits shall only be payable for those days compensated by Workers' Compensation time loss.
- 17 B. To the extent not compensated by Workers' Compensation benefits, the first day
  18 of occupational disability shall be compensated as time worked.
  - C. To the extent not compensated by Workers' Compensation benefits, the day

- following the first day of occupational disability and the next succeeding day shall be compensated as time worked if such days would have been workdays.
- 4. If the County or its agent denies the claim or if the employee accepts a compromise settlement of a disputed claim, the employee's absence from work shall, to the extent not compensated as time loss by the County, be paid from and charged against their sick leave.
- <sup>5</sup> However, if a denied claim is subsequently accepted or reversed, sick leave will be restored,
- and the associated sick pay will be recovered through payroll deduction for the amount of compensated time loss.
- 5. Nothing in this Article may be construed to permit borrowing of sick leave not accrued by and available to the employee.
- 9 6. The County shall continue to provide medical and dental benefits as provided by Article from the first day of occupational disability subject to the limitations of Article 12, Health and Welfare, if any, for a period of twenty-four (24) months or such longer period as required by law.
- 7. The County and the employee shall continue to make retirement contributions, including employee "pick-up", based upon the appropriate percentage of supplemental benefits paid, throughout the period that the employee receives such benefits.
- 14 8. The employee shall receive their supplemental benefits for a given pay period on the regular payday for that period.
- 9. If an employee sustains an injury during their probationary period, the employee's probation may be extended by written agreement of the Association and the County.
- 17 10. PERS Continuation Program. An employee with ten (10) or more years' seniority can
   18 elect to participate in the PERS Continuation Program. This Program is in lieu of Supplemental
   Benefits and is subject to all applicable laws and regulations. Participation in this program shall

- 1 not constitute any guarantee of retirement benefits owed to the employee by either the County or the Public Employees Retirement System.
- Eligible employees who wish to participate in the PERS Α. Written Election. 3 Continuation Program shall sign an election form and present it to the Multnomah County Finance Division, Payroll Office.
- B. Benefits. The employee will receive one-hundred percent (100%) of their regular straight time salary (including premiums being paid just prior to initiation of any workers' comp-related time loss payments) retroactive to and including the first day of the pay period in which the election is made. The County will also make full PERS contributions, including employee "pick-up," for the same time period. However, the County is not required to pay these benefits for days the employee receives regular salary under Section 13 (3) of this Article. In addition, these benefits shall only be payable for those days compensated by 10 Workers' Compensation time loss on an approved claim. If an award of retroactive benefits is made on an approved claim, the employee may elect to participate in the PERS Continuation Program at the time the decision to award benefits is made. The effective date of the election will be retroactive to the earliest date for which the employee receives retroactive Workers' 13 Compensation benefits. If an employee elects to participate in the Program but their claim is not approved, the election will be void and the employee will be entitled to exercise the election on another occasion. However, because the election stays in effect for three (3) continuous years from the first (1st) date for which the employee actually receives PERS Continuation 16 Benefits under this program, a Workers' Compensation claim denial after the employee has received PERS Continuation benefits under this program does not void the election or create a new election opportunity.

#### C. **Duties of Participating Employees**

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1 The employee must reimburse the County for an amount equal to the (1) Workers' Compensation benefits received. The employee electing to participate in this program

is not entitled to keep both wages and the Workers' Compensation benefits.

The employee must pay the County an amount equal to the Workers' (2) 4 Compensation benefit received within seven (7) days of receiving his Workers' Compensation 5 benefit check. The employee is responsible to make sure that the County actually receives the payment within the seven (7) day period. Thus, the employee must either hand-deliver a check to Multnomah County Finance Division on or before the seventh (7th) day, or make sure that the payment is actually received by the Finance Division by mail no later than the seventh (7th) day. Receipt means actual receipt of the check. An employee who fails to make timely delivery will owe collection fees and may owe penalties as described below, unless they are waived by the County. 10

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#### D. Other Provisions:

- <u>Delinquency</u>. An employee who fails to pay the County as required above (1) 13 is considered delinquent. Employees who are delinquent may be required to pay penalties and fees. These penalties and fees can accumulate up to twice the amount of the delinquent Workers' Compensation equivalent payment.
  - County Duty to Notify Employee. When an employee is delinquent, the (2) County shall notify the employee of the delinquency in writing. Notice shall be sent by certified mail. The notice shall include the date on which the payment became delinquent, and the principal amount owed and penalties accruing, and how the employee can cure the delinquency. The notice shall also inform the employee of the right to appeal the amount of any

1 collection fee or penalty.

- (3) Collection Fees for Late Payments. In addition to the missed payment, the delinquent employee is required to pay the County a fifty dollar (\$50) collection fee. The County is also entitled to collect a delinquency penalty for each day of late payment after the employee receives notice of delinquency. This daily fee shall equal one percent (1%) of the Workers' Compensation benefit received by the employee for that pay period. For example, an employee who repays an eight-hundred dollar (\$800) delinquency within one (1) week after receipt of the notice of delinquency will be assessed fees and penalty of one-hundred six dollars (\$106) [fifty dollars (\$50) collection fee plus fifty-six dollars (\$56) in delinquency penalties]. If an employee repays the delinquency prior to receipt of the notice of delinquency, the employee will be assessed only the fifty dollars (\$50) collection fee.
- (4) The amounts owed by the employee can accumulate to an amount no more than twice the amount of the delinquent time loss equivalent payment. Employees who are physically or mentally disabled to such an extent that they cannot perform repayment obligations will not be assessed penalties during the period of such incapacity. In addition, an employee who has never in fact cashed the Workers' Compensation benefit check and who returns the check to the County shall not be assessed a daily delinquency penalty. These exceptions shall be enforceable through the grievance procedure.
- of a delinquency penalty or collection fee. The request shall be in writing to the Director of the County's Finance Division. The request shall state the reasons for the late payment. The request must be made within ten (10) days after the delinquent payment is made, or ten (10) days after receipt of notice of delinquency, whichever is earlier. The Director shall have the discretion to waive or reduce the fee or penalty imposed.

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Ċ	An employee wishing to request a waiver must first pay the unde	rlying
2	debt and the collection fee. If the employee's request is denied, the employee must the	n pay
3	the fees owed within seven (7) days of the receipt of the Director's decision. The Dire	ctor's
4	decision on the request shall be sent in writing to the employee by certified mail. The Dire	ctor's
	decision shall be final.	
5	E. <u>Length of Coverage</u> . An employee may choose to be covered under the F	PERS
6	Continuation Program only once for the employee's entire career as a Corrections Office	r with
7	Multnomah County. Once selected, the election shall continue for three (3) continuous	years
	from the effective date of the election. The eligible employee is entitled to receive be	nefits
8	under the program for the entirety or for any portion of the election period for any compen	sable
9	claims.	
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1	ARTICLE 14	
2	SENIORITY AND LAYOFF	
3	1. <u>Definition of Seniority</u>	
4	Seniority shall be determined as follows:	
	A. Total length of unbroken service within job classification; if a tie occurs, then	
5	B. Total length of unbroken service within the bargaining unit; if a tie occurs, the	n
6	C. Total length of unbroken service with the Corrections Branch; if a tie occurs,	then
7	D. Total length of unbroken service with the County; if a tie occurs, then	
1	E. Score on the Civil Service examination; if a tie occurs, then	
8	F. Filing date of the application.	
9	2. Computation of Seniority	
10	A. Seniority at contract signing Seniority from the signing date of this Agree	ment
	shall be in accordance with the seniority list posted on the County's website, as set for	rth in
11	Article 21, Section 13, and in the event of bumping or voluntary demotion to a vacancy	n lieu
12	of layoff, in accordance with Section B. (6) below. Nothing contained in this Agreement	shall
13	affect already determined dates of probationary service.	
	B. Seniority for time served subsequent to contract signing Seniority for time s	erved
14	subsequent to the signing date of this agreement shall be in accordance with the follows	wing
15	rules:	
16	(1) Time on authorized leave taken with pay will be counted.	
	(2) Except to the extent required by law governing military leaves,	if an
17	employee takes a leave of absence without pay which exceeds thirty (30) consecutive day	s, no
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19	up to one year under article 11.5, and approved leaves under the Oregon Family Leave	e Act
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2	and the Federal Medical Leave Act.  (3) Time spent in a trainee capacity (e.g., CETA, or Intern Programs) will no
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5	(4) At the time of initial hire in a permanent capacity, temporary time serve
6	which counts toward the probationary period as provided in Article 2.A. shall also count toward
7	seniority.
'	(5) Time spent in a classification in previous government service will be
8	included if the employee transferred in accordance with ORS 236.610 through 236.650.
9	(6) An employee who transfers to a lower classification in the promotional lin-
10	within the bargaining unit will be understood, for purposes of these guidelines, as having
	accrued seniority in their present classification plus the seniority accrued in the higher
11	classifications held by them prior to their transfer.
12	(7) Time spent on layoff will not be included.
13	(8) Service is "broken" for purposes of this Article by discharge, voluntary qu
	from employment with Multnomah County, promotion or transfer out of the bargaining un
14	except as specifically provided in Subsections 3.B.(2)d.4. and 3.B.(2)d.5., below, or expiration
15	of the layoff list.
16	3. Application and Seniority
	A. <u>Retirement</u> . It is understood that seniority dates as established in this Agreemer
17	do not apply to retirement benefit calculations.
18	B. Layoff and Bumping
19	(1) <u>The Basic Layoff Rule</u> . Reductions in force are to be identified b

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2	classification. Employees holding positions shall be subject to transfer, demotion, or layoff
2	options in inverse order of seniority.
3	(2) <u>Bumping</u>
4	a. <u>Definitions</u>
Ċ	1. <u>Bumping</u> . The replacement of an employee with less
5	seniority by an employee with more seniority.
6	2. <u>Promotional Line</u> . A "promotional line" refers to a series in
7	which the higher classification requires service in the lower classification as a prerequisite. The
'	following promotional line is recognized for the purposes of the layoff provisions of this
8	Agreement: Corrections Officer, Corrections Supervisor (Sergeant).
9	3. <u>Classification previously held</u> . A "classification previously
40	held" refers to a classification in which the employee served as a regular employee.
10	b. <u>Bumping employees in the same classifications</u> . If no vacancy
11	exists, the employee may bump an employee with less seniority.
12	c. <u>Bumping employees in a lower classification</u> . An employee who is
	subject to layoff may transfer to a lower classification in the same promotional line, or to a
13	classification previously held, if (1) a vacancy exists, or (2) if no vacancy exists, the employee
14	has more seniority than the employee in the lower classification. For purposes of this
15	subsection seniority includes unbroken service accumulated in both the higher and ower
	classifications in accordance with 3.B.(2)a.ii. above.
16	d. <u>Special employee categories</u>
17	1. <u>Employees without permanent status</u> . With <b>i</b> n a
10	classification, temporary and other employees who do not have permanent status will be laid
18 19	off before employees with permanent status, will not be placed on layoff lists, and do not have

1	bumping rights. The order of layoff of temporary employees shall be governed solely be	v the
2	Sheriff's judgment.	y tric
3	2. <u>Permanent employees on temporary appointment</u> . A p	erson
4	who had acquired permanent, non-probationary status in a classification and	who
4	subsequently is given a temporary appointment shall be entitled to reappointment in his for	rmer
5	classification under the guidelines of this procedure.	
6	3. <u>Probationary employees</u> . Time spent on layoff will not	count
7	toward the probationary period.	
	4. <u>Trial service period</u> . The trial service period shall not ex	ceed

4. <u>Trial service period</u>. The trial service period shall not exceed one (1) year. An employee who has not completed a trial service period following promotion and is laid off or terminated for non-disciplinary reasons shall be afforded bumping rights to the classification previously held prior to promotion according to seniority. Time served in the higher classification shall be deemed service in the classification previously held. For purposes only of this subsection, the first year of service in an exempt Corrections Branch classification shall be deemed a trial service period and time served shall be treated as in any other classification.

5. <u>Exempt Corrections Branch Employee</u>. An employee may be bumped by an exempt Corrections Branch employee who was previously a member of the bargaining unit and who either fails probation at the exempt management position or is demoted by reason of budgetary reorganization or pursuant to Multnomah County Code 9.120(C). In such event only time served in bargaining unit status shall be counted.

#### (3) Notification and Placement on the Layoff List

a. <u>Notice</u>. All employees who may be subject to layoff shall be given notice in writing at least fifteen (15) days prior to the day of expected layoff. Such notice shall

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	stipulate the reason for layoff, advise that the layoff is for reasons not reflecting discredit on the
2	employee, and inform the employee of any transfer or demotion option which the employee
3	may possess under this Agreement. The Association shall also receive such notification.
4	b. Offer of Transfer or Demotion. An employee who is subject to
4	layoff and who is offered a transfer and/or demotional option will indicate a preference within
5	five (5) days of receipt of notice. Failure to do so will be deemed as agreement to accept layoff
6	status.
7	c. <u>Placement on List.</u> The name of an employee who is laid off shal
'	be placed on a layoff list by seniority for the classification which the employee last held and
8	any other lower classification in the promotional line. An employee who accepts a lateral
9	transfer or elects to retire shall not be considered as having layoff status and shall not be
10	placed on a layoff list. However, an employee who accepts a demotion shall be placed on a
10	layoff list for the classification from which the employee was demoted.
11	d. <u>Time in Layoff Status</u> . Employees are entitled to have their names
12	remain on a layoff list for twenty-four (24) months from the date of layoff or demotion in leu of
	layoff. Employees will be removed from the layoff list only under the following circumstances:
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14	Upon written request of the employee; or
15	2. Upon election to take retirement status; or
	3. Upon acceptance of permanent reappointment from the
16	layoff list; or
17	4. Upon declining an offer of permanent reappointment; or
18	5. Upon failure to receive a response to a certified letter sent to
	the employee's last known address within fourteen (14) days of its having been mailed.
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ARTICLE 14, SENIORITY AND LAYOFF

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- (4) Recall of Laid-Off Employees. When a vacancy occurs in a classification
- for which a layoff list exists, the employees on the list shall be recalled in order of their
- 3 seniority. Failure of the County to recall a laid-off employee will be permitted only when the
- manager submits clear justification in writing to the employee and the Association that
- re-employment would not be in the best interest of the County by reasons that the employee is
- ono longer qualified for the position. The above justification shall be reviewed and processed in
- accordance with the rules governing dismissal for cause. All laid-off employees in a
- classification must be recalled before the County may fill a vacancy in the classification
- through the normal examination process.
- 8 C. Shifts and Days Off. Whenever there is more than one (1) shift within the same
- job classification, employees shall, on an annual sign-up basis, indicate their preferer ce of
- facility, shift and days off according to their respective seniority. The Corrections Commander
- or their designee will make shift/days off/facility assignments based on seniority preference to
- 11 the extent that they determine they are consistent and do not conflict with the needs of the
- Office of the Sheriff. Such determinations by the Corrections Commander shall be reasonable.
  - However, probationary deputies may be reassigned or rotated among shifts and facilities for
  - any reason. If vacation bidding by shift is terminated pursuant to the MOU between the parties,
- 14 this section shall thereafter be read as though the word "facility" did not appear herein.
- 4. Work assignment. The County reserves the right to make work assignments; however,
- no assignment shall be for solely arbitrary or capricious reasons. The County shall use
- a competitive selection process for special assignments. Upon request, the Association
- will be provided with the final ranked list of qualified applicants for these off-line
- positions. Prior to the notice of interest being published, the non-represented manager
  - responsible for managing the unit will give the MCCDA President or designee an

opportunity to review and discuss the selection process. If the employer elects to use an application process for filling a particular "special assignment" at a given time, it shall use a process that provides general notice of the opportunity to the bargaining unit. Upon written request to the Chief Deputy, non-selected applicants will be provided feedback for improvement. 

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	ARTICLE 15	
2	HOURS OF WORK	
3	1. Work Day	
4	A. The regular hours of each workday shall be consecutive hours plus a fifteen	า (15)
4	minute roll call security briefing when scheduled.	
5	B. Mandatory overtime at the end of (or prior to) the regular shift will be no le	nger
6	than four (4) additional hours except in a bona fide emergency. In order to reduce	e the
7	occurrences of mandatory overtime, the County may maintain and utilize non-perma	nent,
′	unallocated deputy positions, and the County may assign shifts to individuals worki	ng in
8	unallocated deputy positions after the County has completed the following Overtime Hirin	g and
9	Voluntary Overtime process to fill any and all post vacancies on the shift first with barga	aining

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1st Preference, PC 2nd Preference, All Call 8-hours, All Call 8-hours all facilities, 7th day, and

8-hour VMOT. Individuals working in unallocated deputy positions may be bumped by

bargaining unit members up to seven and a half (7.5) hours before a shift.

Individuals working in unallocated deputy positions must be a former MCDA

bargaining unit member and meet MCSO's qualifications for the duties assigned.

Either party may request to reopen negotiations regarding the use of individuals working in unallocated positions not sooner than twelve (12) months and not later than fifteen (15) months from the date of ratification of this Agreement, and if reopened, the parties will

engage in mid-term bargaining.

C. Employees shall be entitled to be paid for all time they are required to be dn the job, or at the corrections facilities, including but not limited to the 15-minute roll call security briefing, and all other portions of their work shift. Nothing in this section shall be construed to

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	prevent the employer from scheduling the fifteen (15) minute briefing period as part of the	eigh
2	(8) hour work shift, but if the employer schedules it outside said shift, the employer	shal
3	compensate employees for the time outside the shift.	

- D. <u>Alternative Work Schedules</u>. Greater flexibility in scheduling which benefits employees on Special Assignments and the County, may be implemented, provided that such schedules are in writing, and are agreed upon by the Association and the Labor Relations Manager. A copy of any such agreed-upon schedules shall be provided to all directly affected employees. Work schedules created under this section shall be subject to the terms of this Agreement.
- E. <u>Special Assignment Flex Time</u>. Employees may request to work fewer hours than scheduled on one (1) day in a FLSA work week and make up for those hours by working an equivalent number of additional hours on another day or days in the same FLSA work week. Such scheduling is subject to the approval of management, and regardless of any other provision of this Agreement, will not result in overtime pay.
- F. Compensatory Time Off. In lieu of overtime under Article 16, Section 5, employees may elect to receive equivalent compensatory time off with pay to a maximum of ninety-six (96) hours in a calendar year. Any employee who has already received ninety-six (96) hours compensatory time in that calendar year may not elect to receive equivalent compensatory time off for additional overtime in that calendar year.

Employees may schedule any approved compensatory time off subject to the following procedures and conditions:

(1) Employees will be permitted to sign up for compensatory time off only after completion of designated vacation leave/personal holiday calendar slots as set forth in the 2001 Memorandum of Understanding entitled "Memorandum of Understanding: Vacation

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	Scheduling for MCCDA Members." Compensatory time accruals are not counted i	n the
2	vacation leave/personal holiday calendar for designation of slots. Compensatory time may	only
3	be taken if a space is available in the vacation leave/personal holiday schedule. Compens	atory
4	time shall not be substituted for vacation scheduled during the annual seniority bi	dding
7	process. Ninety (90) days prior to the end of each calendar year the County may give w	ritten
5	notice to MCCDA that the County may cash out time balances in excess of forty (40) hou	rs for
6	the last pay period in December of each year. During January of each year, employees	may
7	request cash-out of compensatory time balances in excess of forty (40) hour, to be pa	d the
'	last pay period of February of that year.	

- (2) Employees may sign up for a maximum of ninety-six (96) hours for the calendar year.
- (3) Employees must sign up for compensatory time off in increments of eight
  (8) hours for employees who work five (5) eight (8) hour shifts and ten (10) hours for
  employees who work four (4) ten (10) hour shifts.
  - (4) If an employee does not have sufficient compensatory time in their compensatory time account on a date the employee has designated for compensatory time off, the portion of the shift not covered by compensatory time will be charged to the employee's vacation or personal holiday accruals, at the employee's discretion.
- 15 If the employee does not have sufficient compensatory time, vacation time or personal holidays available for that day, the employee will be considered AWOL and will be subject to discipline, up to and including discharge, consistent with applicable law.
- 17 (5) In the event an employee wishes to cancel a designated compensatory
  18 time off day, he/she must provide written notice of intent to cancel to the on-duty OIC at least
  18 twenty (20) days prior to the scheduled compensatory time off. If an employee fails to provide

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- such notice and shows up for work, he/she may be sent home with no payment for show up

  pay. Employees who fail to cancel compensatory time are also subject to appropriate

  disciplinary action.
- (6) The procedures for cashing out, accruing and scheduling compensatory time off will be repeated each year, subject to the terms and conditions outlined above.
- Mork Week. The workweek shall consist of seven (7) days, during which each employee will be scheduled to work five (5) consecutive days of eight (8) hours per day with two (2) consecutive days off or four (4) days of ten (10) hours per day with three (3) days off. Except for the fifteen (15) minute briefing period, any work in excess of forty (40) hours within a workweek shall be subject to the payment of overtime, per Article 16. Alternative work schedules may be implemented upon mutual agreement of the parties.
- 3. <u>Time Off Between Shifts</u>. No employee shall be required to work more than one (1) shift with seven (7) hours and forty-five (45) minutes or less off, between shifts, during each scheduled work week and except as provided in Section 4 shall have not less than forty-seven (47) hours and forty-five (45) minutes off between scheduled work weeks, unless voluntarily waived.

# 4. Work Schedules

- A. <u>Posting and Vacation Relief</u>. Except as provided in Sections 5 and 6 of this

  Article, and during a bona fide emergency, work schedules including any overtime showing each employee's shift, work days and hours shall be posted on all employee bulletin boards at all times and shall not be changed unless posted for ten (10) days.
- B. <u>Change of Days Off.</u> Change of shifts and/or days off as the result of the annual sign-up or voluntary shift or day off changes may necessitate on a temporary basis irregular scheduling of days off to include split weekends as well as shorter than normal periods

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- between shifts or weekends. Such changes are allowable without application of other
   provisions of this Agreement provided:
- 3 (1) <u>Limitation of disruption of days off.</u> Days off following fourteen (14) days of assignment to the new shift shall be in accordance with the new weekend days assigned.
  - (2) <u>Break days</u>. The employee shall not be scheduled to work more than five (5) days in a row without an unpaid break day. Hours worked in excess of these five (5) days shall be paid at the overtime rate of pay. Days worked immediately prior to the shift change shall be included in the five (5) day requirement of this subsection.

#### (3) <u>Time between shifts</u>

- a. <u>Involuntary changes</u>. In cases of involuntary shift changes, the employee's new shift shall not begin less than twenty-three and three-quarter (23.75) nours following the end of the last shift; provided, however, this limitation shall not apply upon eturn to original shift in instances of temporary shift changes. An employee may voluntarily waive this provision.
- 12 b. Voluntary changes. In cases of voluntary changes, the employee's new shift shall not begin less than eight (8) hours following the end of the last shift, except when the employee has voluntarily agreed to work a shift immediately following their regularly scheduled shift in lieu of working their following regularly scheduled shift within the same work week. In such case, no break will be required between shifts. Voluntary shift changes shall be assigned based on seniority to employees who respond within fifteen (15) minutes of a general radio broadcast at the facility where the opportunity arises.
- 17 c. Annual sign-up. Shift changes at the time of the annual sign-up

  18 shall be deemed voluntary unless the employee is not granted their expressed shift preference from remaining options at the time the employee signs up.

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- (4) <u>Shift weekends</u>. No change of shift under the terms of this section shall
- result in more than one (1) split weekend. It is further specifically understood that in the
- 3 instance of a temporary change in shift during the year no more than two split weekends would
- result, i.e. one (1) going into the temporary shift and one (1) upon return to the permanent shift.
- (5) <u>Semimonthly</u>. No employee shall be paid less than eighty (80) hours in a
- 5 semimonthly pay period as the result of the application of the provisions of this section;
- 6 provided further, however, that hours worked in excess of eighty (80) hours in a pay period as
- the result of the application of this Article shall not be eligible for overtime except as provided
- in Subsection (2) Break days. Employees who are paid less than eighty (80) hours in a
- 8 semimonthly pay period will be compensated additional make up time so that employee's pay
- q equals eighty (80) hours. Make up time is not considered authorized work for purposes of
- Article 16, Section 5.
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  C. <u>Bidding Under Alternative Work Schedules</u>. The parties acknowledge that during
- 11 the term of the predecessor agreement, the Association has agreed to allow alternative work
- schedules for certain special assignments. Bidding within such alternative work schedules
- shall be by bargaining unit seniority except where the County has an operational need to
- assign particular personnel to a particular schedule. The County must give written notice to the
- 14 Association of proposed exceptions to seniority at least two weeks prior to the start of the
- bidding process.
  - 5. <u>Voluntary Shift Changes.</u>
- A. Except as provided in Section 4 above, all shift changes shall be made on a
- 17 voluntary basis and for a single shift only.
- B. Any employee voluntarily changing a shift will be paid a premium in accordance
- with Article 16, Section 9.

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  6. <u>Voluntary Waiver of Ten (10) Days Notice</u>. An employee may at any time voluntarily
  waive the ten (10) day notice of shift and schedule change by signing a waiver authorization
  form.
- 7. <u>Continuous Operations</u>. Employees engaged in continuous operations are defined as being any employee or group of employees engaged in an operation for which there is regularly scheduled work for twenty-four (24) hours a day, seven (7) days a week The workweek for employees engaged in continuous operations shall consist of five (5) consecutive eight (8) hour days, four (4) ten (10) hour days or alternative schedule.
- 8. <u>Security Briefings</u>. Corrections Officers may be required to attend security briefing for 15 fifteen (15) minutes before the commencement of each shift.
- 9. Court Subpoenas or Writs. Employees in receipt of a subpoena, summons, or writ shall immediately notify his or her the employee's facility commander of the scheduled time of appearance or deposition. A copy of the subpoena, summons, or writ shall be delivered to the facility commander as soon as practicable. Upon completion of court appearance or deposition, if during a regularly scheduled shift, the employee shall contact the facility commander for reassignment. The parties agree that the terms set forth in Addendum G shall apply.
- 14 10. Meal Periods. Subject to interruption based on operational needs, all employees shall be granted a thirty (30) minute meal period during each work shift, which shall be with pay. The County shall permit any employee who is requested to and does work two (2) hours beyond his regular quitting time, time off for his meal. Whenever practicable, meal periods shall be scheduled in the middle of the shift.
- 11. <u>Meal Costs Not Included in Overtime Calculations</u>. In accordance with 29 CFR 548.304, 28the parties agree that the cost of meals shall not be included in regular pay for the

1	purpose of computing overtime.	
2	12. <u>Overtime Waiver</u> . The parties waive application of ORS 653.268.	
3	<ul> <li>13. Implementation of 7.k. Provision of the FLSA. The parties recognize and agree the</li> </ul>	at the
J	Office of the Sheriff has implemented a 7.k. exception in connection with the effective de	
4	application of the Fair Labor Standards Act to State and Local Government, April 15,	
5	The terms of the exception are:	
6	Work Period - 28 days	
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#### **ARTICLE 16**

#### **WAGES AND CLASSIFICATIONS**

# 1. Wages and Classification Schedule

- A. Employees shall be compensated in accordance with the Wage Schedule attached to this Agreement and marked Addendum "A". The attached Wage Schedule shall be considered a part of this Agreement. Employees will advance one step in their respective classifications on each anniversary of their employment.
- B. When any position covered by this Agreement but not listed on the Wage Schedule is established, the County may designate a job classification and pay rate for the position, which rate shall bear a just and proper relationship to existing rates within the bargaining unit. If the Association does not agree that the classification and/or rate are proper, the parties mutually agree to meet and confer on the specific objections raised by the Association.
- 11 C. Whenever an employee performs work in a higher classification four (4) hours or more, the employee shall be paid for the entire period of such work at the rate assigned to the higher classification in the appropriate step according to promotional policy.
  - D. Employees who work regularly on a part-week basis in a higher classified job will be paid the higher rate for all hours worked in such assignment.
  - E. Management will not attempt to avoid paying the higher rate by rotating the assignment or by other circumvention.
- F. Longevity Pay. Employees who have completed six (6) years of County service shall receive, as part of their regular rate of pay, a longevity incentive payment of two and one-half percent (2.5%) of the applicable base hourly wage set forth in Addendum "A".

Employees who have completed fourteen (14) years of County service shall

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	receive, as part of their regular rate of pay, an additional one percent (1%) of their appli	cable
2	base hourly wage for a total longevity premium of three and one-half percent (3.5%)	after
3	fourteen (14) years.	

Employees who have completed twenty (20) years of County service shall receive, as part of their regular rate of pay, an additional one and one-half percent (1.5%) of their applicable base hourly wage for a total longevity premium of five percent (5.0%) after twenty (20) years.

Any categories of premium pay or achievement incentive shall be compounded on top of longevity pay.

County service is defined as County service in classified and/or unclassified positions, but does not include service as a temporary employee, on call employee or service that was less than half time. County service definition contained herein, does not impact any employees who have already qualified for longevity pay. The obligations set forth in this paragraph shall be governed by the terms of the December 22, 2004 Memorandum of Understanding between the parties.

- Pay Periods. Except as provided herein, the salaries and wages of employees shall be paid semi-monthly in accordance with current practice. In the event the payday is on a holiday, the preceding day shall be the payday.
- 3. Reporting Time. Any employee who is scheduled to report for work and who presents himself for work as scheduled but where work is not available for him, shall be excused from duty and paid at this regular rate for a day's work.
- 17 4. <u>Call-In Time</u>. Any employee who is called to work outside his regular shift shall be paid

  18 for a minimum of four (4) hours at the rate of one and one-half (1-1/2) times the regular rate.

  This provision does not apply to compensation for court appearances, nor does it apply to

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- 1 training time or range time scheduled within forty-five (45) minutes of the beginning or end of an employee's shift.
- Overtime. One and one-half (1-1/2) times the employee's regular hourly rate df pay 5. shall be paid for all overtime worked outside of the employee's regular schedule, except no overtime will be paid for the second fifteen (15) minute briefing period for employees who work back-to- back shifts. Also, overtime pay shall not be paid twice for the same hours. "Authorized work" performed under this section shall exclude paid leave charged to sick use that is in excess of forty (40) hours in a calendar year, but shall include all other paid leave and the unpaid time Association Executive Board members spend performing union activities. An employee is not eligible to receive overtime pay for shifts worked in a seven (7) day workweek until forty (40) hours of authorized work has been completed. However, if an employee is directed to work mandatory overtime, the employee will receive overtime pay. Overtime pay 10 shall be granted under any of the following conditions:
- All authorized work performed in excess of eight (8) hours in any work day for a Α. five (5)-day, forty (40)-hour-a-week employee or in excess of ten (10) hours in any work day for a four (4)-day, forty (40)-hour-a-week employee during the 24-hour period which begins the 13 first hour of an employee's regularly scheduled work day; however, this provision shall not apply to voluntary shift changes under Article 15, section 5 and Article 16, section 9.
  - B. All authorized work performed in excess of forty (40) hours in any workweek
- C. Overtime worked shall be considered all work performed fifteen (15) mihutes 16 after the end of a normal shift, and all time over fifteen (15) minutes shall be considered 17 one-half (1/2) hour for pay purposes.
- D. All authorized work performed on the first day following the normal work week 18 shall be paid at the rate of one and one-half (1-1/2) times the employee's regular rate. A

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1 "normal workweek" requires forty (40) hours of authorize work as defined above.

E. All authorized work performed on the second day or third day (if scheduled to work 4/10 schedule) following the normal work week shall be paid for at the rate of two (2) times the employee's regular rate, provided that the employee has worked such overtime as was offered him/her the employee in the first day following the normal work week. In no case shall double time apply to a day declared a state of emergency by the Governor or the Multnomah County Chair; however, the double time will be reinstated after thirty (30) days if the state of emergency lasts for more than thirty (310) continuous days.

The December 15, 2006 Memorandum of Understanding between the parties shall continue to govern the interpretation of this section. Any disputes over the interpretation of this section shall be resolved by reference to that MOU.

- 6. <u>Court Time</u>. Whenever an employee is required to appear in court outside their regularly scheduled shift, the employee shall be compensated for such time at the rate of one and one-half (1-1/2) times the regular rate for all time spent in such court appearance, with a minimum of four (4) hours compensation at the overtime rate. This minimum guarantee shall not be applicable to court time which includes an extension directly prior to or immediately after the employee's regularly assigned shift.
- 7. <u>Distribution</u>. All overtime work shall be distributed as equitably as practical among employees within the same job classification in each agency. The requirement of Article 15, Section 1, concerning the workday, shall be controlling. No employee will be required to work more than an eight (8)-hour day if on a five (5) eight (8) schedule or ten (10) hours if on a four (4) ten (10) schedule, where volunteers, including seventh (7th) day volunteers, are available to perform the work, except in a bona fide emergency.
- 8. <u>Mileage Pay</u>. Whenever an employee is temporarily required to report to work at any

- location more distant from their home than their permanent place of reporting, they shall be paid at the rate approved by the IRS for non-taxable reimbursement of such expenses for the additional miles traveled. This provision will not apply when there is a permanent change in reporting location as determined by management, nor will it apply whenever an employee is required to appear in court and a county car is available. Current practices regarding pay during travel to and from temporary reporting locations shall be continued. Payment for mileage will be made when an individual has accumulated a minimum of twenty dollars (\$20) or at the end of the fiscal year, whichever first occurs.
- 9. Shift Differential. In addition to the established wage rates, the County shall pay an hourly premium of three percent (3%) to employees for all hours worked on shifts beginning between the hours of 12:00 Noon and 8:00 p.m., and an hourly premium of four percent (4%) to employees for hours worked on shifts beginning between the hours of 8:00 p.m. and 4:00 a.m., and an hourly premium of five percent (5%) for all employees who are assigned to work a relief shift. Employees assigned a shift change pursuant to Article 15, Section 5, shall be paid an hourly premium of twenty percent (20%) for all hours worked on the assigned shift change.
- 10. <u>Trainer Pay</u>. Employees who are required to perform the extra duties of a Trainer shall be paid a differential of eight percent (8%), in addition to his base pay, for all time spent performing the duties of a Trainer.
- 15 11. <u>Emergencies</u>. Officers will respond to all emergencies when called.
- 12. <u>CNT/CERT Team Pay</u>. A differential of six percent (6%) over the base rate shall be paid to employees who are assigned to the Corrections Emergency Response Team for all time in the assignment.
- 18 13. Court Cars. The existing practice of providing court cars shall be continued; provided, however, it is understood that such cars are available on a "first come, first served" basis.

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14. <u>Pension</u>. Employees shall not be required to report to work on their last day before
2 retirement, provided they are in an approved paid status. An employee may not be scheduled
3 for vacation greater than two (2) full pay periods immediately prior to the termination date.

A. <u>PERS/OPSRP Membership</u>. Employees shall be eligible for participation in the Oregon Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (coverage for Police Officers and Firefighters) and Oregon Public Service Retirement Plan (OPSRP) (coverage for Police Officers and Fire Fighters), pursuant to ORS 237, 238 and 238A and subject to the terms and conditions of the Agreement, dated January 22, 1982, integrating the Multnomah County Employees' Retirement System and PERS, such Agreement having been entered into between the Oregon Public Employees' Retirement Board and Multnomah County pursuant to the former provisions of ORS 237.051 (now ORS 238.680).

# B. PERS "Pick-Up" and "Pick-Up" Under IRC Section 414 (h) (2)

The County shall "pick-up" the employee contribution to PERS, six percent (6%), as permitted by ORS 238.205. The parties acknowledge that the pick up payment is inapplicable to employees who are not PERS members due to insufficient service. If for any reason the "pick up" shall become no longer legally available, the County shall on the last payroll period of this Agreement increase the wages of any affected employees by six percent (6%) and return to the limited "pick up" in effect on June 30, 1998, including but not limited to the terms of compensation then in effect for non-PERS members. Pursuant to ORS 238.205(5) and (6), the parties agree and acknowledge that employee compensation was reduced in order to generate the funds needed to make these employee contributions to the employee accounts; the employer will file any required notices with the Public Employees Retirement Board.

To the extent allowable by law, the required employee contribution of six percent

1 (6%) of wages to OPSRP is deemed to be "picked up" by the County for the limited purposes of Section 414(h)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code and any related federal or state tax policies.

#### C. OPSRP "Pick-Up."

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The County shall "pick-up" the employee contribution to OPSRP, six percent (6%), as permitted by ORS 238A.335(1). The parties acknowledge that the pickup payment is inapplicable to employees who are not OPSRP members due to insufficient service. If for any reason the ORS 238A.335(1) "employer pick-up" shall become no longer legally available, the County shall on the last payroll period of this Agreement increase employee wages by six percent (6%) and return to the limited "pick-up" provision provided for prior to June 30, 1998, including but not limited to terms of compensation for non-OPSRP members. Pursuant to ORS 238A.335(2)(a) and (3), the parties agree and acknowledge that employee compensation was reduced in order to generate the funds needed to make these employee contributions to the employee accounts; the employer will file any required notices with the Public Employees Retirement Board.

To the extent allowable by law, the required employee contribution of six percent (6%) of wages to OPSRP is deemed to be "picked up" by the County for the limited purposes of Section 414(h)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code and any related federal or state tax policies.

# D. <u>OPSRP Employer Local Option Contribution</u>

Beginning on July 21, 2011 and effective thereafter, no new hire covered by the provisions of this collective bargaining agreement shall be entitled to or receive any Local Option contributions.

15. <u>Re-opener</u>. If the County's good-faith estimate of general fund operating resources in the executive budget for the fiscal year falls fifteen percent (15%) or more below the actual general fund operating resources of the immediately preceding fiscal year, any general wage

1	increase provided by this agreement for the fiscal year for which such reduced reverue	is
2	projected shall not be implemented and negotiations over the terms of a substitute general	al'
3	wage provision for the affected fiscal year will commence immediately upon notification o the	nе
4	Association of a proposed wage reduction or within fourteen (14) days of written notification	to
4	the Association of the shortfall.	
5	16. Calculation of Regular Pay, Premium Pay, Overtime Rate and Grand Total Gross	
6	A. <u>Regular Pay.</u> Regular Pay is Base Pay identified in Addendum A-1 plu	us
7	Achievement Pay and Longevity Pay calculated in the following mathematically expresse	∋d
'	sequence:	
8	First: Employee's base wage + Employee's Achievement	
9	Incentive = "n"	
0	Second: "n" + Employee longevity pay (e.g. longevity % x "n') = "n1"	
	("n1" is the "regular pay" referred to in this collective bargaining	
11	agreement.)	
2	B. <u>Premium Pay</u>	
3	Percentage based premium(s) x "n1" = Premium Pay	
	Example: CERT x "n1" = CERT Pay	
4	Translator x "n1" = Translator Pay	
5	Swing Shift Differential x "n1" = Shift Differential Pay	
6	Shift premium is applied on top of other premiums, if such other premiums are no	ot
	applied to all hours worked, e.g. ("n1" + occasional premiums) x shift differential = Sh	ift
7	Differential Pay.	
8	C. <u>Average Overtime Rate</u>	
9	First: Regular Rate "n1" x all hours worked during the	
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1		FLSA week = Straight Gross.	
2	Second:	Premiums x Appropriate hours as apply to each premium.	
3		Example: CERT x Hours = a1	
4		Translator Pay x Hours = a2	
7		Shift Differential x Hours = a3	
5		a1 + a2 + a3 = Premium Gross	
6	Third:	Straight Gross + Premium Gross = Total Gross	
7	Fourth:	Total Gross divided by all hours worked during the FLSA	
1		week = Average Straight Time Rate.	
8	Fifth:	Average Straight Time Rate x Overtime Rate (1.5) =	
9		Average FLSA Overtime Rate.	
10	D. Grand	Total Gross	
10	First:	Straight hours worked during the FLSA week x regular	
11		rate "n1" = Regular Gross.	
12	Second:	Average FLSA Overtime Rate x All hours worked after forty (40)	
40	= Ove	rtime Gross	
13	Third:	Regular Gross + Premium Gross + Overtime Gross =	
14	Grand	Total Gross	
15	17. <u>Canine Pay</u> .	Employees regularly assigned a dog as part of a canine assignment	and
40	who are assigned	responsibility for care, feeding and maintenance of the dog during	what
16	would otherwise be	off duty hours shall be paid five (5) hours of overtime at the rate of one	and
17	one half (1.5) times	s the employee's regular rate of pay for each full week the employee	is so
18	assigned. Payment	for such assignments lasting less than a full week shall be prorated so	long
	as it encompasses s	such 'off-duty' time.	
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- 1 18. <u>Translator Pay</u>. The Sheriff shall maintain a list of designated translators. The Sheriff shall have the sole and exclusive right to select the languages and set the proficiency standards for a translator. Employees who are on the list shall receive a three percent (3%) premium on the base wage. All who qualify under the Sheriff's minimum standards shall
- 19. <u>UNET Qualification Pay.</u> Employees who have satisfied all the requirements for UNET and are range-qualified, as determined by the Sheriff, will be paid an additional one and a half percent (1 1/2%) premium on their base wages, effective on the first (1st) day of the pay period following the arbitrator's decision. Employees who satisfy all such requirements after ratification will be paid an additional one and a half percent (1 1/2%) premium on their base wage rate, effective on the first (1st) day of the pay period following issuance of the arbitrator's decision.
- 20. <u>Dive Team Premium</u>. Employees assigned to the Dive Team shall be paid a six percent (6%) premium over base wage for the duration of the assignment.
- 21. Education Premium Pay. Employees who have submitted proof of completion of accredited college course work, shall receive education premium pay in the following amounts:
   For completion of 90 hours college course work, an employee shall receive 1% premium
- 14 For completion of Bachelor's degree, an employee shall receive 3% premium. This premium pay is not cumulative and employees are eligible for one level only
- 22. Retention Bonus. In addition to the wages outlined in Addendum "A," effective the first pay period in the month following ratification of this agreement by both parties, a one-time bonus to address job market conditions and retention, in the amount of 2% of base wages, with a minimum of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500) will be given to all active employees in the bargaining unit as the date of ratification. One-time bonus payments will be

receive the premium.

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^	subject to all mandatory taxes and deductions.	
2	Additionally, on July 1, 2023, all active employees in the bargaining unit as the d	ate of
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4	This one time payment is to address current job market conditions and employee retention	1.
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1 **ARTICLE 17** 2 CORRECTIONS SERVICE AND TRAINING ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM 3 In order to maintain and improve officers' health and corrections skills, as well as to increase their participation in community life, the parties adopt the following voluntary achievement program for bargaining unit members: 1. **Achievement Levels** Incentive Pay 7 Above Requirements Level Wage Outline Step 8 To qualify 9 Possession of a current Intermediate ı 5.00 % DPSST Certification. 10 Ш 10.00 % To qualify: 11 Possession of a current Advanced **DPSST** Certification 12 **Explanation of Requirements DPSST Corrections Certification** A. 13 The officer must obtain and maintain Board on Police Standards and Training (DFSST) 14 Intermediate Corrections Certificate for Level I and Advanced Corrections Certificate for Level 15 II. When the employee has completed the requirements for Entry Into the Program. 3. 16 initial entry into the program for initial movement from Level I to Level II, they shall be entitled 17 to appropriate compensation under this program beginning with the first full pay period after 18 successful completion of the relevant requirements. 19

ARTICLE 17, CORRECTIONS SERVICE AND TRAINING ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM

1 Program Modifications. In the event the DPSST certification requirements (in effect on 4. the effective date of this Agreement) are reduced, or if the DPSST Corrections Certification Program is terminated, the County shall develop and implement substitute requirements at least equal to those in effect on the effective date of this Agreement. From the date that DPSST requirements are reduced or terminated until the date the County implements substitute requirements, entry into a particular program level shall be prohibited if, in the County's judgment, the employee who is seeking such entry would currently qualify only because of the reduction or absence of DPSST requirements. Substitute requirements shall be effective only after the Association has been given an opportunity to meet with the County to review and discuss the requirements. 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18

#### **ARTICLE 18**

#### **DISCIPLINARY ACTION**

- 1. <u>Discipline</u>. Employees may, in good faith for just cause, be subject to disciplinary action by oral or written reprimand, demotion, forfeiture of vacation leave, forfeiture of personal holiday(s), forfeiture of compensatory time, forfeiture of not more than one pay step reduction for a specific duration of time, suspension without pay, dismissal, or any combination of the above as outlined in the currently effective corrective action guidelines Special Order 02-02 and the Agreement reached between the County and Association regarding Driving under the Influence of Intoxicants on January 5, 2016; provided, however, that such action shall take effect only after the County gives written notice of the action and just cause to the employee. During the period of probation, the employee may be disciplined or dismissed without just cause.
- 2. <u>Corrective Action Guidelines</u>. If the County wishes to modify the corrective action
   guidelines, it shall first provide the Association with separate written notice of the proposed
   modifications, and shall not implement any modification s until bargaining to completion as required by ORS 243.698.
- 3. <u>Just Cause</u>. Just cause shall include misconduct, inefficiency, incompetence,
   insubordination, or failing to fulfill responsibilities as an employee.
- 4. Right to Appeal. Any permanent, non-probationary employee who is issued a written reprimand, demotion, forfeiture of vacation leave, forfeiture of personal holiday(s), forfeiture of compensatory time, forfeiture of not more than one pay step reduction for a specific duration of time, suspended without pay, dismissal or any combination of the above as outlined in the corrective action guidelines, for just cause shall have the right, subject to the provisions of the Association Constitution, to appeal the action through the Grievance Procedure. The

- Association shall submit such grievance at Step III of the grievance procedure not later than ten (10) working days after the effective date of the disciplinary action.
- 3 5. Reprimands. If the County has reason to orally reprimand an employee, every reasonable effort will be made to accomplish the reprimand in a manner that will not embarrass the employee before other employees or the public.
- 6. <u>Internal Investigatory Procedures</u>. Internal investigatory procedures shall be conducted in a manner consistent with the provisions of Article 19 on Officers Rights of this Agreement.
  - 7. Reinstatement. Any employee found to be unjustly suspended, demoted, or discharged, shall be reinstated pursuant to the award of the arbitrator.

# 8. Personnel Records and Information

- A. An employee or their representative, with written consent of the employee may inspect that employee's personnel file. Upon written request, an employee or their authorized representative shall be given a copy of any materials in the employee's personnel file. The County shall comply with ORS 652.750 concerning the inspection of records.
- B. An employee shall be furnished a copy of any statement written for inclusion in the employee's personnel file concerning the employee's conduct or work performance when the material is first placed in the file or within a reasonable period of time.
- 14 C. Except as provided below, an employee may request and have removed from
  15 Their personnel file any letter of written reprimand more than three (3) years old, provided that
  16 the employee's personnel file does not contain a record of a more recent disciplinary action. In
  16 the latter case, the employee will be entitled to removal of the older reprimand only when the
  17 employee becomes entitled to removal of all disciplinary actions from the personnel file.
- D. Any letter imposing a suspension or disciplinary demotion which is four (4) years old or more shall be removed from the employee's personnel file and destroyed, provided that

- the employee's personnel file does not contain a record of a more recent disciplinary action. In
  the latter case, the employee will be entitled to removal of the older suspension only when the
  employee becomes entitled to removal of all disciplinary actions from the personnel file.
- E. The employee may respond in writing to any item placed in the employee's personnel file. Such response shall become a part of the file. Upon request of the employee, the Sheriff has discretion to remove disciplinary material from an employee's personnel file before expiration of the time periods set forth in C. and D. above.
  - F. The only letters of discipline which shall be admissible in an arbitration hearing are those contained in the employee's personnel files of the Sheriff's Office.

# 9. I.A.U. Records and Files

No investigation shall be considered complete nor shall the IAU file be forwarded to the Inspector for making of recommendations as to culpability unless the employee and union have been given a complete copy of the IAU file and an opportunity to review it and add any additional evidence the employee or union believes should be considered. The 1 union or employee shall notify the Internal Affairs Investigator's Office within the next two (2) work days after receipt of the union's receipt of the complete file of the employee's intent or that of the union to supply such additional evidence. If such notice is not received, the file will be forwarded to the Inspector after expiration of the two (2) workday period. If such notice is received, the employee and union shall have the next three (3) workdays [following the two (2) workday period] to supply such information to the investigator. After the three (3) workday period has expired, the file will be forwarded to the Inspector. For purposes of this section, "work days" is defined in the same manner as in Article 20, section 1, step I of this agreement.

# **ARTICLE 19**

#### **OFFICERS RIGHTS**

All Employees in bargaining unit whom are the subjects of a complaint or investigation shall be entitled to protection of the following rights:

1. The employee shall not waive nor be deprived of any constitutional or civil rights guaranteed by the Federal and State Constitutions and Laws afforded any citizen of the United States.

2. If, in the course of their County employment, an employee uses or participates directly in the use of physical force and an individual against whom the force was exerted dies or sustains a serious physical injury, the Sheriff's office shall not require the employee to provide a written or oral statement concerning such incident until the employee has had a reasonable opportunity [e.g. twenty-four (24) hours] to confer with private legal counsel and the Association. This shall not preclude an employee from voluntarily making such a statement or participating in a walk-through of the incident prior to such consultations, nor shall it preclude the Sheriff's Office from requiring the employee to provide information reasonably necessary to terminate an imminent threat to the safety of other persons or to jail security. For purposes of this section, a "serious physical injury" means physical injury which creates a substantial risk of death or which causes serious and protracted disfigurement, protracted impairment of health or protracted loss or impairment of the function of any bodily organ. Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit the employee's rights under section 1 of this Article.

3. The employee shall be informed by the Sheriff, or his designee(s), of the nature of the investigation and whether the employee is a witness or suspect before any interview commences. The name of the complainant, the citation of any known applicable work rules, procedures, or orders which the employee is alleged to have violated, and other information

- necessary to reasonably apprise the employee of the allegations of such complaint shall be
- provided in writing to the employee, and their representative within a reasonable period of time
- 3 before the meeting. However, this provision shall not apply in bona fide emergencies. For
- purposes of this subsection, an "emergency" is a circumstance in which any delay in obtaining
  - information from the employee is likely to cause further injury to persons or property.
- <sup>5</sup> 4. When the Sheriff's Office receives a complaint against a Division member, the Sheriff's
- 6 Office shall provide the accused member with reasonable notice in writing of any information
  - necessary to reasonably apprise the employee of the allegations.
- 5. Any interview shall take place at the institution where the employee is assigned dr any
- 8 other mutually agreeable location. The interview shall be at a reasonable time for the
- q employee, during the employee's duty time unless exigencies of the investigation dictate
  - otherwise.

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- 6. The employee shall be afforded the right to Association representation prior to or during
- 11 the interview in accordance with State law.
- 7. The interview shall not be overly long and the employee shall be entitled to such
- reasonable intermissions as he/she shall request for personal necessities, meals, telephone
- calls, and rest periods.
- 14 8. Interviews shall be done under circumstances devoid of intimidation or coercion and
- shall not otherwise violate the officer's constitutional rights. The officer shall not be subjected to
- any abusive language. No promises or rewards shall be made as an inducement to answer
- questions.
- 17 9. The employee shall not be required to take or be subjected to any lie detector device as
- a condition of continued employment.
  - 10. If the County assigns an employee to a floor control post for a period greater than thirty

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	(30) Days, either party may request that the County meet and confer with the MCCDA.	After
2	the initial Meeting, either party may request subsequent meetings at intervals of not more	than
3	sixty (60) days.	
4	If the County violates the terms of this Article in the investigation of an employee's cor	iduct,
4	and subsequently imposes a written reprimand, suspension without pay, a demoti	n, or
5	dismissal, then the arbitrator in the hearing of any resulting grievance shall tak	e this
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7	severity of the violation and the total circumstances of its occurrence.	
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#### **ARTICLE 20**

# 2 <u>SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES</u>

1. <u>Grievance Procedure</u>. Any grievance or dispute which may arise between the parties, involving the application, meaning or interpretation of this Agreement, shall be settled in the following manner except that probationary employees shall have no right to appeal discipline or discharge under this grievance procedure:

Step I: After first attempting to resolve the grievance informally through the exempt chain of command any employee or the Association may present in writing such grievance to the Corrections Chief Deputy, with a copy to Human Resources, within fifteen (15) working days of the alleged contractual violation; if, at the time of the alleged violation, the employee or his or her representative is unaware of its occurrence, a grievance may be presented in writing within fifteen (15) working days of the time the employee first has knowledge or should have had knowledge of its occurrence. A grievance may not be initiated concerning an event after sixty (60) days have elapsed; however, in no way is this provision to be interpreted as affecting the pursuance of grievances which are of a continuing nature (i.e., the breach continues and is not a single isolated incident). The grievance notice shall include a statement of the grievance and relevant facts, applicable provisions of the contract, and remedies sought. The applicable Chief Deputy or their designee shall then attempt to adjust the matter and respond, in writing, to the employee or the employee's representative within fifteen (15) working days.

For the purposes of this grievance procedure, "working days" shall be defined as Monday through Friday, excluding recognized holidays under the County Management Compensation plan.

Step II: If the grievance has not been answered or resolved, it may be presented in writing by the employee or their representative to the Sheriff or his designee(s) within fifteen

1 (15) working days after the response is due at Step I. The Sheriff, or his designee(s), shall respond to the employee or their representative, in writing within fifteen (15) working days. If the response is to the employee, a copy will be provided to the Association.

Step III: Arbitration. If the grievance has not been answered or resolved at Step II, the Sheriff or the Association may, within ten (10) working days after the expiration of time limit specified in Step II, request arbitration by written notice to the other party. After the grievance has been submitted to arbitration, the Association and the Labor Relations Division acting for the Sheriff, shall jointly request the State Mediation and Conciliation Service for a list of the names of seven (7) arbitrators drawn from a pool consisting of Oregon and Washington arbitrators. The parties shall select an arbitrator from the list by mutual agreement. If the parties are unable to agree on a method, the arbitrator will be chosen by the method of alternate striking of names; the order of striking to be determined by lot. One (1) day shall be allowed for the striking of each name. The final name left on the list shall be the arbitrator. Nothing in this section shall prohibit the parties from agreeing upon a permanent arbitrator or permanent list. The arbitrator shall be requested to begin taking evidence and testimony within a reasonable period after submission of the request for arbitration, taking into account the schedules of the parties, representatives, and witnesses, as well as that of the arbitratdr; the arbitrator shall be requested to issue their decision within thirty (30) days after the conclusion of testimony and argument. The parties hereby vest the arbitrator with authority to compel the attendance of witnesses on behalf of either party by issuance of subpoenas, the cost of which shall be borne by the party requesting the subpoena. The arbitrator's decision shall be final and binding, but they shall have no power to alter, modify, amend, add to, or detract from the terms of the Contract. The Arbitrator's decision shall be within the scope and terms of the Contract and in writing. Any decision of the arbitrator may provide for retroactivity not

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- exceeding sixty (60) days prior to the date the grievance was first filed with the supervisor, and it shall state the effective date of the award. Fees and expenses for the arbitrator shall be borne by the losing party. Each party shall be responsible for compensating its own representatives and witnesses. If either party desires a verbatim recording of the proceedings, it may cause such a record to be made electronically or by reporter, on the condition that it pays for the record and makes copies available without charge to the other party and the arbitrator. Any time limits specified in the grievance procedure may be waived by mutual consent of the parties. A grievance may be terminated at any time upon receipt of a signed statement from the aggrieved party that the matter has been resolved.
- 2. Stewards and the Investigation of Grievances. Employees selected or elected by

  9 Association as employee representatives shall be known as "Stewards". The names the

  10 stewards shall be certified in writing to the County by the Association. Upon notification to the

  11 supervisor and the tentative cause of a grievance, a steward(s) may investigate a grievance(s)

  12 and represent employees in grievances and "Weingarten" meetings during working hours

  13 without loss of pay. All efforts will be made to avoid disruptions and interruptions of work.

  14 Employees meeting with their steward or Association representative to investigate a grievance

  15 will also be permitted to do so without loss of pay during working hours.
- 3. <u>ULP's</u>. If the County or Association intends to file an unfair labor practice charge against the other party, it shall give that party advance written notice of such intent and a reasonable opportunity to meet to discuss the basis of such charge and possible resolution prior to filing the charge, unless the delay needed for such a discussion would cause prejudice to the claim; in the latter event, the notice and meeting is not excused, but may occur after the filing of the charge.
  - 4. <u>Constructive Notice Requirements</u>. If the Association provides any notice or letter

1	required by this Article to the wrong supervisor or administrator in the MCSO or in the C	ount
2	Labor Relations Department, the notice shall nevertheless be considered to have been to	
3	submitted if a copy has been sent to the Corrections Chief Deputy and the MCSO H	
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ARTICLE 20, SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

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# **ARTICLE 21**

# **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

#### 1. No Discrimination

- Equal Application of Contract. The provisions of this Agreement shall be applied equally to all employees in the bargaining unit without discrimination as to age, marital status, 5 race, color, sex, creed, national origin, or political affiliation. It is further agreed that here will be no discrimination against the handicapped unless bona fide job-related reasons exist. Association shall share equally with the County the responsibility for applying the provisions of the Agreement.
- B. Affirmative Action. In recognition of the joint commitment of the County and Association to affirmative action principles, the County will make available on a fiscal year basis to the Employee Relations Committee a report of progress made toward affirmative 10 action goals. This report will form the basis of discussions concerning joint efforts which can be taken by the parties to achieve stated goals.
- C. Right to Association Membership. The County and Association agree not to 12 interfere with the rights of employees to become members or refrain from becoming members 13 of the Association, and there shall be no discrimination, interference, restraint or coercibn by the County or the Association or any County or Association representative against any employee because of or in Association membership or non-membership or because of or in 15 any employee activity in an official capacity on behalf of the Association, provided such activity 16 does not interfere with the effectiveness and efficiency of County operations in serving and 17 carrying out its responsibility to the public.
- Bulletin Boards. The County agrees to furnish and maintain suitable bulletin boards in 2. 18 convenient places in each work area to be used by the Association. The Association shall limit

- its postings of notices and bulletins to such bulletin boards. All postings will be signed and
   dated by an appropriate Association officer.
- 3. <u>Visits by Association Representatives</u>. The County agrees that accredited Association representatives shall have reasonable access to the premises of the County at any time during working hours to conduct Association business. Every reasonable effort will be made by the Association representative to ensure that such visits cause no disruptions of work.
- 4. <u>Changes in Work Rules or Conditions</u>. When any change in existing rules or conditions not otherwise covered by this Agreement is instituted by management, it shall not be done for arbitrary or capricious reasons. Any unresolved complaint as to the reasonableness of a change in rules or conditions shall be resolved through the grievance procedure.
- 9 5. Rules. The County agrees to furnish each employee with a copy of all applicable work rules. Except in emergency situations, any new rules instituted shall be posted in all affected work areas at least seven (7) days before becoming effective, and furnished to each employee within thirty (30) days after they become effective. New employees shall be provided a copy of all existing rules at the time of hire.
- 13 protective clothing, or any type of protective device, such uniform, protective clothing or 14 protective device shall be furnished to the employee by the County, specifically to exclude 15 standard footwear, trouser belt with buckle, and handcuffs. The cost of maintaining the uniform or protective clothing or device, excluding cleaning but including initial tailoring, shall be paid 16 by the County. Clothing and other devices other than uniforms, protective clothing and devices 17 now provided by the County shall continue to be provided and shall uniformly be provided by 18 job classification by the County.

In the case of an employee who is required not to wear a uniform, the County will

replace any employee clothing damaged in the line of duty. Glasses or contact lenses lost or damaged during an altercation in the line of duty shall be repaired or replaced at no cost to the employee.

7. <u>Time Exchanges</u>. The practice of time exchanges between officers will be allowed subject to approval of the affected shift commanders. Effective January 1, 2009, officers shall be limited to a maximum of one-hundred and four (104) time exchanges per calendar year. Time exchanges for the purpose of military service shall not be charged against the allotted number of time exchanges. Any denial of a request shall not be for arbitrary or capricious reasons.

Time exchanges may not be scheduled to occur more than sixty (60) days from the approval of the request. If an officer has three (3) failed time exchanges in any calendar year, the privilege of time exchanges shall be immediately suspended, and such suspension shall be for a period of time to extend six (6) calendar months from the date of the last previously-approved time exchange; provided that, previously-approved time exchanges shall not be canceled. For purposes of this paragraph, a "failed time exchange" shall mean an approved time exchange in which the officer failed to show up for work two (2) or more hours after the scheduled beginning time of the shift. A failed time exchange due to any absence may be treated as a failed time exchange.

8. <u>Employee Relations Committee Meetings</u>. To promote harmonious relations and to provide internal communications, the Association and the Sheriff will establish an Employee Relations Committee consisting of three (3) representatives from each party. The Committee will establish regularly scheduled meetings to discuss any matters pertinent to maintaining good employer-employee relationships, specifically to include safety issues. Each party shall advise the other as far in advance as possible of the subject matters to be discussed.

# 9. Contract Work

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A. Unless mutually agreed, the County will not contract out or subcontract any work now performed by employees covered by this Agreement when such would result in lay off of any bargaining unit employee(s) and the County is unable to find suitable or comparable alternate employment for the employee(s). However, this provision shall not apply to contracting out or subcontracting work when such was anticipated and considered as a part of the budgeting process and when the Association President has been notified of the specific plan and its probable impact at least thirty (30) days prior to adoption of the annual executive budget or formal Board consideration of budget modifications. In all cases of layoff resulting from contracting out or subcontracting work, the County agrees to make a good faith effort to find suitable and comparable employment.

The County agrees to meet with the Association to discuss the effect of proposed contracting out or subcontracting prior to the presentation of the proposal to the County Executive or Board for formal action.

- B. The County agrees to employ MCCDA Corrections Officers to supervise in mates under the supervisory authority of the Sheriff as defined in MCC 15.001(B) while housed in local correctional facilities as defined by ORS 169.005(3). For purposes of this subsection, the classification of "Corrections Officer" shall mean individuals certified by the State of Oregon Department of Public Safety Standards and Training under ORS 181.610(5) and ORS 181.652. This section does not apply to facilities and programs under the supervisory authority of DCJ as defined in MCC 17.002.
- 17 C. The County further agrees to meet with the Association at its request to explore
  18 the alternative of work force reduction by attrition. The County also agrees that to the extent
  practicable, transfers shall be made to open vacancies and re-employment of employees

- affected by such action shall occur for as long as they are so qualified in accordance with established layoff guidelines. The Association agrees to assist the County in minimizing the
- 3 impact on such affected employee(s).
- 10. Outside Employment. Permission to work at outside employment must be approved in writing by the Sheriff. The Sheriff's application of the rule governing outside employment shall not be arbitrary or capricious.
- 11. Supremacy of Contract. To the extent allowable by Oregon Revised Statutes whenever a conflict arises between this Agreement and Multnomah Code 9.120(C) or its successor, this Agreement shall prevail.
- 12. Joint Committee on Payroll and Time Keeping System. The Union agrees to applint a representative to serve on a standing county-wide Payroll/Time keeping System abormanagement committee which shall meet with the Finance Division's Payroll Supervisor and 10 other relevant managers to discuss in advance any major change in the payroll or timekelping 11 system which would be applicable to members of the union's bargaining unit. A "major change" includes but is not limited to such changes as those needed to implement new or structurally 12 modified benefits or wage categories managed through the payroll system, programming 13 changes, and changes in check stubs or deposit advice. The purposes of such committed shall 14 be to assist in identifying in advance potential technical problems that might interfere with the efficient and effective introduction of the planned change, any adverse impacts such change 15 might have on employees and available means for ameliorating such impacts, and other 16 changes that might improve the payroll and time keeping systems.
- 17 13. The seniority list for bargaining unit employees will be available on the County's website under the labor contract listings at: <a href="https://multco.us/employee-labor-relations/labor-contracts">https://multco.us/employee-labor-relations/labor-contracts</a>. The seniority list will be updated monthly.

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#### **ARTICLE 22**

### **SAVINGS CLAUSE AND FUNDING**

- 1. <u>Savings Clause</u>. Should any Article, Section, or portion thereof, of this Agreement be held unlawful and unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, or any state or federal administrative agency having jurisdiction over the subject matter, such decision shall apply only to the specific Article, Section, or portion thereof directly specified in the decision. Upon the issuance of any such decision, the parties agree immediately to attempt to negotiate a substitute, if possible, for the invalidated Article, Section, or portion thereof. All other portions of this Agreement, and the Agreement as a whole, shall continue without interruption for the term thereof.
- 2. <u>Funding</u>. The parties recognize that revenue needed to fund the wages and benefits provided by the Agreement must be approved annually by established budget procedures. All such wages and benefits are, therefore, contingent upon sources of revenue and annual budget certification by the Tax Supervising and Conservation Commission. The County has no intention of cutting the wages and benefits specified in this Agreement because of budgetary limitations, but cannot and does not guarantee any level of employment in the bargaining unit covered by this Agreement. The Board of County Commissioners agrees to include in its annual budget amounts sufficient to fund the wages and benefits provided by this Agreement, but makes no guarantee as to the certification of such budget pursuant to established budget procedures under Oregon law.

In the event of a delay in such certification, the County will make every reasonable effort to correct whatever budget deficiencies exist, if any, in order to obtain certification. Retroactive monetary adjustment shall be made if any scheduled economic improvement is delayed due to a delay in certification, unless otherwise precluded by State or Federal law or administrative

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# **ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

**ARTICLE 23** 

The parties acknowledge that during the negotiations which resulted in the Agreement 3 each had the unlimited right and opportunity to make demands and proposals with respect to any subject or matter not removed by law from the area of collective bargaining, and that the understandings and agreements arrived at by the parties after the exercise of that right and opportunity are set forth in this Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the sole and entire existing Agreement between the parties. Except as specifically modified by or treated in this Agreement, all policies, matters, questions and terms affecting unit employees in their employment relationship with the County shall be governed by the rules and regulations or Multnomah County Code 9.120(C). The County and the Association for the life of this Agreement each voluntarily and unqualifiedly waives the right, and agrees that the other shall 10 not be obliged, to bargaining collectively with respect to any subject matter referred to or 11 covered by this Agreement, even though such subject or matter may not have been within the knowledge or contemplation of either party or both parties at the time that they negotiated and 12 signed this Agreement. Nothing herein shall prevent the parties from voluntarily entering into 13 written Memoranda of Agreement, Understanding, Interpretation, or Exception concerning 14 matters of contract administration.

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_	<u>TERMINATION</u>	
3	Except as set forth in Addendum A, this Agreement shall be effective as o	f the
4	execution date of this Agreement and shall remain in full force and effect through the 30t	h day
7	of June 2025. Negotiations for a successor agreement shall commence no later than Feb	ruary
5	1, 2025. The Agreement shall remain in full force and effect during the period of negotia	itions
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ARTICLE 24, TERMINATION

MULTNOMAH COUNTY CORRECTIONS DEPUTY ASSOCIATION	BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON
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1	ADDENDUM A	
2	<u>WAGES</u>	
3	Wages Effective Retroactive to July 1, 2022: Effective July 1, 2022, the straight-time	base
4	hourly wage rates for the Correction Deputies and Sergeants covered by this Agreement	shall
	be increased by percent (%) market adjustment plus five (5%) cost of living adjustment.	
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6	Wages Effective July 1, 2023: Effective July 1, 2023, the straight-time base hourly wage for the Corrections Deputies and Sorgeonts severed by this Agreement shall be increased.	
7	for the Corrections Deputies and Sergeants covered by this Agreement shall be increas	ed by
8	five percent (5%) cost of living adjustment.	
9	Wages Effective July 1, 2024: Effective July 1, 2024, the straight-time base hourly	base
10	wages rates for the Corrections Deputies and Sergeants covered by this Agreement sh	all be
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ADDENDUM A, WAGES

#### **ADDENDUM A-1**

### **SALARY TABLE**

## 5% Market Adjustment plus 5% COLA Pay Increase FY 2022-2023

Title	Step 1	Step 2	Step 3	Step 4	Step 5	Step 6
Corrections Officer	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT
Corrections Sergeant	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT

#### 5% COLA Increase FY 2023-2024

<u>Title</u>	Step 1	Step 2	Step 3	Step 4	<u>Step 5</u>	Step 6
Corrections Officer	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT
Corrections Sergeant	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT	INSERT

#### ADDENDUM B

#### **DUTY STATUS FOR HEARINGS/COURT SUBPOENAS**

1. The following table sets forth the pay status of an individual, depending on whether he or she the employee is the subject of litigation or a witness and whether it is the person's work day or day off (based on 5/31/88 Skipper-Gatzke Memorandum):

SUBJECT: WITNESS:

DAY OFF: No Pay Overtime

NOT DAY OFF: No Loss Overtime of Shift Adjustment

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10	7. Management reserves the right to either adjust the member's shift or pay overtime.	
Ĭ	fourteen (14) days in advance.	
9	6. Every attempt will be made to notify management of upcoming trials/hearings at	least
8	beginning to end.	
7	Attorney or Labor Relations Specialist, indicating the date and time of testimony	
6	testified.  5. In all cases, the appearance verification form must be completed by the Cou	ıntv'e
5	their testimony and are to return to their assigned post fifteen (15) minutes after they	have
_	briefing and assignment. The member(s) shall be relieved of duty fifteen (15) minutes pr	
4	4. The member(s) involved, who are on duty shall report to the OIC at 0715 hou	rs for
3	3. The member(s) involved will be relieved of duty for their testimony/deposition only.	
2	on union business/no pay, and be compensated by the Association.	
1	2. An Association member acting as an employee of the Association may take the d	ay off

#### ADDENDUM C

#### **TRANSIT SUBSIDIES**

#### 1. Bus Pass

#### A. Statement of Purpose

For the purposes of encouraging employees to use mass transit as part of the County's ride reduction program under the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ)'s Employee Commute Options (ECO) mandate, as well as part of the County's commitment to limiting traffic congestion and promoting clean air, effective the first month after ratification of this agreement, each employee shall be eligible to receive a bus pass subsidized by the County for the employee's personal use.

#### B. Scope of Subsidy

The County will provide a 100% subsidy for employee bus passes. However, the County may require that the employee pay a percentage of the cost of such pass, if the County's subsidy exceeds the IRS standard for a de minimis employee benefit.

## C. <u>Procedural Requirements</u>

It will be the employee's responsibility to obtain the necessary photo ID from Tri-Met. Instructions for obtaining the Photo ID will be available through Employee Benefits and will be included in new hire packets. This program is offered only by Tri-Met, however, C-Tran will honor the Tri-Met all zone pass. This program may be discontinued or changed from time to time to ensure efficient and effective implementation of the program.

#### ADDENDUM D

#### **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

#### **VACATION SCHEDULING FOR MCCDA MEMBERS**

- The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is to set forth the agreement between Multnomah County Sheriff's Office (MSCO) and the Multnomah County Corrections Deputy Association (MCCDA) regarding rights and procedures for vacation scheduling under the Collective Bargaining Agreement. The remedy for alleged violations of this MOU shall be through the settlement of disputes procedures of the County-MCCDA Collective Bargaining Agreement.
- The number of scheduled vacation times for MCCDA members shall be determined as follows:
  - a. For purposes of this MOU, "line employees" are all bargaining unit members except those in special assignments. For the calendar year beginning January 1st, 2002, the County shall permit employees to sign up for their combined projected annual accrual of vacation and allotment of personal holidays during the ensuing calendar year. Off-line staff will sign up separately from on-line staff, and Corrections Sergeants will sign up separately from Corrections Officers. Among on-line staff employees within each affected classification, the county shall make available a gross total of vacation slots based on the following formula: The total number of vacation slots available to all line staff in each classification over the course of the calendar year will be not less than (n1 + n2) where n1 and n2 represent the following:

n1 = the number of vacation days that line staff employees in the affected classification, as determined following the

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annual shift and facility sign-up, will accrue during the next calendar year beginning January 1st.

n2 = the number of personal holidays that all on-line employees in the affected classification will accrue during the next calendar year. Typically, this will simply be 11 times the number of line staff employees.

The total derived by this formula shall be divided by 365, and then rounded upward to the next whole integer, or increased by one- half day (whichever is larger) to determine the "daily average total" number of vacation slots made available to the line staff for vacation sign up. Any redistribution of vacation slots which deviates from such daily average total must be based on operational reasons and shall not reduce the yearly total slots available for either classification. Moreover, the County may unilaterally make extra slots available to any shift or classification without further bargaining.

- b. For the purpose of this memo each classification will be divided into six "sign-up units" based on shift and river side (east or west of the Willamette River). The County may allocate fractional daily vacation slots by varying within each sign-up unit the number of vacation slots available on different days. However, no classification shall receive less than one (1) full vacation slot per day allotted to each sign-up unit.
- c. If an employee is reassigned on a regular basis to a different

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d.	The County will confer with the executive board of the Association
	concerning the planned number and distribution of vacation times
	before conducting the annual vacation sign up. The County may
	adjust the number of vacation times each calendar quarter based
	upon changes in the number of staff and accruals described in a.
	and b. above. Before making such adjustments, the County will
	confer with the MCCDA Board