

AGENDA ITEM FOR ADMINISTRATIVE MEETING

( ) Discussion only

( X ) Action

FROM (DEPT/ DIVISION): Douglas R. Olsen  
County Counsel

SUBJECT: Walla Walla Watershed Council Appointments

Background: Appointments to the Walla Walla Watershed Council are before the Board for approval. The terms for four members (Cathy Clifton, Jack Ferrise, Joel Huesby and Kevin Scribner) have expired and they are willing to be reappointed. Mark Medina is recommended for appointment for the vacant Wildlife position.

Requested Action: Adopt Order No. BCC2025-047

ATTACHMENTS: Proposed Order

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Checkoffs:

- ( ) Dept. Head (copy)  
( ) Budget (copy)  
( ) Fiscal  
( X ) Legal (copy)  
( ) (Other - List:)

To be notified of Meeting:

Needed at Meeting:

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Scheduled for meeting on: December 17, 2025

Action taken:

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Follow-up:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF UMATILLA COUNTY

STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of Appointments       )  
to Walla Walla Watershed               )     Order No. BCC2025-047  
Council                                       )

WHEREAS the Board of Commissioners, pursuant to ORS 541.388, on May 18, 1994 first appointed residents to the Walla Walla Basin Watershed Council, a local volunteer watershed council for the Walla Walla Basin;

WHEREAS the terms for four council members have expired, and they are willing and are eligible to serve another term;

WHEREAS Mark Medina has been nominated to fill the vacant position for Wildlife representative.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Commissioners orders that the following are each appointed to the Walla Walla Basin Watershed Council for a term beginning January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2028:

Catherine "Caty" Clifton;  
John "Jack" Ferrise;  
Joel Huesby;  
Mark Medina;  
Kevin Scribner.

DATED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2025.

UMATILLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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Celinda A. Timmons, Chair

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Daniel N. Dorran, Commissioner

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John M. Shafer, Commissioner

**ATTEST:**  
**OFFICE OF COUNTY RECORDS**

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**Records Officer**