

COOS COUNTY AIRPORT DISTRICT

In the matter of Applying for a Grant from
the Oregon Department of Transportation
Multimodal Transportation Fund for Connect
Oregon Funding for the Southwest Oregon
Regional Airport

Resolution 2021-10-01

WHEREAS, the Oregon Legislature established the Connect Oregon program in 2005 to invest in non-highway modes of transportation; and,

WHEREAS, Connect Oregon is a lottery-bond based \$46 million legislative initiative to invest in air, rail, and marine infrastructure to ensure Oregon's transportation system is strong, diverse and efficient, and to effect this intention the legislation provides for grants to local units of government such as the District for the projects that comply with the legislative intent; and

WHEREAS, all Oregonians will reap the benefits from enhancing Oregon's transportation system and by having a more efficient transportation system that improves Oregon's business environment; and

WHEREAS, qualified projects must improve the connections between the highway system and other modes of transportation, by promoting development of a multimodal system that supports State and local governments to attract new businesses;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Coos County Airport District intends to apply for a grant and the Board directs the Executive Director to make application to the Oregon Department of Transportation for a grant from the Multimodal Transportation Fund (MMTF) through the Connect Oregon Program to assist in the funding of the construction of a new cargo and seafood transfer facility.

APPROVED and ADOPTED by the Coos County Airport District Board of Commissioners this 21st day of October, 2021.



Helen Mineau, Chair



Michael Collins, Vice-Chair