



MARION COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Board Session Agenda Review Form

Meeting date: October 16, 2019

Department: Public Works Agenda Planning Date: Oct. 10, 2019 Time required: 5 min.

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Department Head Signature: Brian Nicholas

TITLE Consider appointing Lani Radtke as the designated County Engineer.

Issue, Description & Background The board appointed Brian Vincent as County Engineer by order dated April 10, 2019. Mr. Vincent held this title while serving as the Engineering Division Manager until his resignation on May 17, 2019. Since that date, Brian Nicholas, the Public Works Director, has acted as the County Engineer pending the appointment of a successor to assume the duties of County Engineer and manage the Engineering Division. Lani Radtke was hired as the Marion County Engineering Division Manager on August 12, 2019. Prior to her employment at Marion County Public Works, she was the Engineering Supervisor for the Portland Bureau of Transportation. Ms. Radtke is licensed as a professional engineer in Oregon, has over 19 years of engineering experience, and is fully qualified to perform the duties of County Engineer.

Financial Impacts: This order yields no financial impacts for FY2019-20 nor future fiscal years.

Impacts to Department & External Agencies There are no impacts beyond the reassignment of duties of the County Engineer to Lani Radtke.

Options for Consideration: 1. Appoint Lani Radtke as County Engineer. 2. Take no action at this time and Brian Nicholas will continue fulfill the duties of County Engineer.

Recommendation: It is the recommendation of Public Works staff that the board of commissioners appoint Lani Radtke as County Engineer at this time.

List of attachments: Order

Presenter: Brian Nicholas

Copies of completed paperwork sent to the following: (Include names and e-mail addresses.)

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BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
FOR MARION COUNTY, OREGON

In the matter of the appointment of) Marion County
a new County Engineer) Public Works

Order No. _____

This matter came before the Board of Commissioners at its regularly scheduled public meeting on the _____ day of _____ 2019, to appoint a new County Engineer; and

WHEREAS, the Director of the Department of Public Works is currently acting as the County Engineer; and

WHEREAS, the responsibilities of the Director make it difficult for the Director to fulfill the responsibilities assigned to the County Engineer; and

WHEREAS, Lani Radtke is the current Engineering Division Manager for the Department of Public Works; and

WHEREAS, the Director recommends appointment of Lani Radtke to the position of County Engineer; and

WHEREAS, it appears reasonable and appropriate, because of current and past responsibilities and qualifications, to designate Lani Radtke as County Engineer, effective immediately;

NOW, THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Lani Radtke is appointed Marion County Engineer, effective the date of this order.

DATED this _____ day of _____ 2019.

MARION COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Chair

Commissioner

Commissioner