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**MORE** = Managing Oregon Resources Effectively

**IGA** = Intergovernmental Agreement

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What is the MORE-IGA?

Multi agency IGA that allows Oregon’s public agencies to exchange invoices, therefore services and resources.

Oregon Revised Statutes #190

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Who is part of the MORE-IGA?

Currently 87 public agencies (and counting)

- 24 of Oregon’s 36 counties (67%)
- 45 cities
- Others include: transit, service districts, schools / colleges, 911-center, etc
  (Commission appointed – i.e. Housing Authority)

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ORS 190 - public agencies

“unit of local government”

- Counties
- Cities
- Districts or other public corporations
- Commissions
- Authority or entity organized and existing under statute or city or county charter

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INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT for resources and services

This Agreement is made between the SIGNED PARTIES pursuant to the authority provided by ORS Chapter 190 and shall be referred to the MORE-IGA {Managing Oregon Resources Efficiently Intergovernmental Agreement} ("AGREEMENT").

WHEREAS:

1. Each PARTY owns certain equipment and materials, and provides services that may be useful to another PARTY for public works, municipal, transportation, engineering, survey, construction, operations, maintenance, service districts, emergency management and related activities; and

2. The PARTIES agree that sharing equipment, materials, and services promotes the cost-effective and efficient use of public resources; and

3. The PARTIES desire to enter into this AGREEMENT to establish procedures for sharing equipment, materials, resources, and services, and defining legal relationships and responsibilities. Therefore, in consideration of the mutual covenants herein, it is

AGREED:
The Breath of the MORE-IGA?

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Why the MORE-IGA?

- Generic – no lead agency
- No expiration date
- No financial caps
- Web-based – self serve
- Short / Very Brief – only 2 pages
- Many agencies’ attorneys “agree to agree”!
- Open-ended for a wide span of work or activities

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When to use the MORE-IGA?

- Standing IGA is in place
- Any time!
- Daily
- Emergencies (i.e. FEMA)

Empowerment!

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HOW to join the MORE-IGA:

Must be an Oregon Public Agency

Simple as 1 - 2 (no 3):

1. Print two agency signature sheets (one for your records)
2. Sign and mail one to Marion County which will web-posted for partner agencies

You’re Done!

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What Else about the MORE-IGA?

- We truly collaborate!
- We have a Web Bulletin Board
- Many have lunches and just chat
- We “target” broadcast members’ e-mail inquires...
- Great reduction of Agencies’ IGAs to maintain!

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A few “MORE” work examples:

- Long-line Traffic Paint Striping & signs fab
- Bridge Maintenance expertise & work
- Specialized Equipment Rentals & work
- Snow/ Ice / Storm / Emergency Response
- Sharing Stockpiles / Di-icers / “Ice bits”
- Vehicle selling / purchases / maintenance
- Research Projects (universities)
- Engineering / Survey consultations
- “Speed Humps” installations

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MORE-IGA’s Success!

many, many, many!

Over 20-years!

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