

Caption: Advisory vote regarding County's participation in Klamath Basin Restoration Agreement

Question Presented: Should Klamath County, one of the parties to the Klamath Basin Restoration Agreement (KBRA), discontinue its participation in the agreement?

Summary: For this advisory vote a "yes" vote advises the Board of Commissioners to end the County's participation in the KBRA. A "no" vote advises the Board to continue participation in the KBRA.

The Klamath County Board of Commissioners has ordered an advisory vote on the issue of should the Klamath County Government discontinue participation in the Klamath Basin Restoration Agreement. Some important issues in the agreement include the goal of stabilizing water allocation for agriculture, hydroelectric dam removal issues on the Klamath River, restoration of fish habitat water quality issues on the Klamath River, tribal land allocation issues, and the goal of affordable power rates for irrigation.

These are, however, just some of the major issues involved in the KBRA and the Klamath Hydroelectric Settlement Agreement (KHSA). Interested voters are encouraged to review the KBRA Agreement at the Klamath County Library or online on the Internet.

To reiterate, a "yes" vote on this issue means the voters want Klamath County to cease participation in the KBRA and a "no" vote encourages continued participation.

Klamath County Clerk

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