

*1/20/81 read of  
if the...  
...  
...*

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR THE COUNTY OF KLAMATH

IN THE MATTER OF AN ORDINANCE )  
ESTABLISHING A PROCEDURE FOR )  
THE PLACEMENT OF ADVISORY )                   ORDINANCE NO. 43  
QUESTIONS ON THE BALLOT TO )  
DETERMINE VOTER ATTITUDES )  
ON MATTERS OF LOCAL CONCERN )  
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. )

WHEREAS, the Board of Klamath County Commissioners has determined that it would be in the best interest of the citizens of Klamath County that a procedure be established for advisory ballot questions to be placed on the ballot in order to determine voter attitudes on various county issues from time to time; and

WHEREAS, it is possible that such a question may be placed on the ballot as early as the March 31, 1981, election;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COUNTY OF KLAMATH, STATE OF OREGON, ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1.

Authorization for Advisory Ballot Questions: At any regular public meeting of the Klamath County Board of Commissioners, and upon a majority vote of those members then present, the Board may adopt a Resolution or Order to place an advisory question or questions on the ballot to determine voter attitudes on matters of local concern, at any general or special election otherwise held.

Section 2.

Costs: Upon adoption of said Resolution or Order, said advisory question or questions shall be placed on the ballot

of the election therein designated, with all costs thereof to be borne by Klamath County.

Section 3.

Applicable Law: The election laws of the State of Oregon then in effect shall be followed as nearly as possible when placing said advisory questions on the ballot.

Section 4.

Non-Binding Effect: The final determination of voter attitudes on the question or questions so presented shall not be binding upon the Board and no affirmative or negative action shall be required as a result thereof. However, the Board may use said results in any manner deemed by them to be in the best interest of Klamath County.

Section 5.

Effective Date: Immediate passage of this Ordinance being necessary to permit any items deemed necessary by the County Commissioners on the March 31, 1981, Special Election Ballot, and placing matters on the ballot being deemed necessary for the public peace, health, safety and welfare, an emergency is declared to exist and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Klamath County Board of Commissioners.

ENACTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Klamath County this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1981.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

151 Nell Kuonen  
NELL KUONEN - CHAIRMAN

151 Floyd L. Wynne  
FLOYD WYNNE - COMMISSIONER

Alvin A. Cheyne  
ALVIN CHEYNE - COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

6  
VIRGINIA RICHEY, SECRETARY