RESOLUTION NO. 2024-07

(Adopting the County ADA Transition Plan)

WHEREAS, Skamania County is committed to removing barriers to accessibility and providing equal access to its public programs, services, facilities, and activities for all citizens including those with disabilities. To achieve this end, the County is developing an ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) Transition Plan in phases; and

WHEREAS, the initial phase of the plan includes curb ramps, sidewalks, driveways, and transit stops within the County's public right-of-way as well as select administrative policies and procedures; and

WHEREAS, the future phases of the plan will include other County facilities and infrastructure in the public right-of-way, County buildings and park facilities, and County programs, service and activities; and

WHEREAS, the County's ADA transition plan for the public right of-way meets the four requirements outlined in Title II of the ADA, Section 28 CFR Part 35.150 (d) - Transition Plan:

- Identifies physical obstacles in the public entity's facilities that limit the accessibility of its programs or activities to individual with disabilities; and
- Describes the methods that will be used to make the facilities accessible; and
- Specifies a schedule for taking the steps necessary to achieve compliance with this section and, if the time period of the transition plan is longer than one (1) year, identifies steps that will be taken during each year of the transition period; and
- Identifies the public officials responsible for the implementation of the plan; and

WHEREAS, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (49 CFR Part 27), Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (CFR 28 Part 35), 2010 ADA Standards, WSDOT Local Agency Guidelines Manual (Chapter 29), and Public Right-of-Way Accessibility Guidelines (PROWAG) informed the content and scope of the County's ADA Self Evaluation and Transition Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Skamania County Board of Commissioners that the 2024 ADA Transition Plan is hereby adopted for Skamania County effective May 14, 2024.

ADOPTED this 21 st day of May, 2024

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SKAMANIA COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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