Public Notice 10 Year Lease Agreement

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners is considering entering into a ten-year lease agreement with the Wind River Trust for properties at the Wind River Business Park. Full terms of this lease are available on the County's webpage or by contacting the Public Works Department at 509-427-3910. Per Skamania County Code 2.56, competing bids will be accepted in the Public Works Office at PO Box, 1009, 170 NW Vancouver Ave., Stevenson, WA 98348 until Thursday, June 23rd, 2022 at 1:30 p.m. In order for a competing bid to be considered, the Bid must be accompanied by a certified check for twice the proposed monthly lease payments.

Debbie Slack Clerk of the Board Skamania County Commissioners 240 NW Vancouver Ave., Stevenson, WA 98648

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LEASE AGREEMENT

This agreement is entered into this 1st day of July, 2022 by and between **Skamania County**, a municipal corporation organized under the laws of the State of Washington, herein referred to as "Lessor," and **Wind River Trust**, **P.O. Box 764**, **Carson**, **WA 98610**, herein referred to as "Lessee."

Recitals

- 1. Lessor has the authority to lease the real property, of buildings 1045, 2025 and a portion of Martha Creek Field within Wind River Business Park, in Stabler Washington, hereinafter referred to separately by name, and together as the "Premises."
- Lessee desires to lease Buildings 1045 (the former District Ranger's Residence), 2025 (the former Nursery Office) and approximately 2.7 acres in Marth Creek Field shown on Exhibit A.
- 3. For the foregoing reasons, the parties desire to enter into a lease agreement defining their respective rights, duties, and liabilities with respect to the Premises.

In consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, the parties agree as follows:

SECTION ONE Subject and Purpose

- 1. Wind River Trust is a non-profit organization established to collaborate with both the County and the USFS to help restore and maintain the Historic Wind River Nursery and associated buildings and maintain this historic site as a destination for people coming to enjoy the surrounding Gifford Pinchot National Forest.
- 2. In accordance with the purpose stated above, Lessor leases to Lessee Building 1045 to be renovated for future shortterm subleasing by Wind River Trust (WRT); building 2025 to be renovated and used as an office and apartment and approximately 2.7 acres of Martha Creek Field to be used

to grow native plants. Access to field will be approved by county and will maintain fence surrounding the 2.7 acres. Premises are hereby leased, subject to the recitals, terms and conditions herein, the breach of which shall result in a reversion to Skamania County of all right, title and interest in and to the Premises.

- 3. If the Lessee's use of the Premises is at any time prohibited by law or governmental regulation this lease shall immediately terminate. This shall include but not be limited to being able to obtain approval from the local Building Official and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives.
- 4. In connection with its use of the Premises, Lessee shall at all times:
 - a. Conform to all applicable laws and regulations of any public authority affecting the Premises and their use, and correct at Lessee's own expense any failure of compliance created through Lessee's fault or by reason of Lessee's use. Lessee shall not otherwise be required to make expenditures to comply with any laws and regulations, nor shall Lessee be required to make any structural changes to effect such compliance unless such changes are required because of Lessee's specific use.
 - b. Refrain from any activity that would make it impossible to insure the Premises against casualty or which would increase the insurance rate, unless Lessee pays the additional cost of the insurance.
 - c. Refrain from any use that would be reasonably offensive to users of neighboring tenants, or that would tend to create a nuisance, or damage the reputation of the Premises.
 - d. Refrain from loading the floors beyond the design loading, the point considered safe by a competent engineer or architect selected by Lessor. If Lessor deems such inspection necessary by virtue of lessee's use or intended use, Lessee shall bear the cost of the inspection.

- e. Lessee states that there are materials and/or chemicals used in the renovation of the buildings that must be used, handled and stored in accordance with local, state or federal regulations and certifies compliance with all pertinent regulations in the use of these materials or chemicals.
- f. Refrain from making any permanent or damaging marks on or attaching any sign, insignia, antenna, aerial, or other device to the exterior or interior walls, windows, or roof, etc., of the Premises without the prior written consent of Lessor.
- g. Not embark on any improvements, renovations or alterations the the premices without a plan presented to the Wind River Advisory Committee and approved by the Board of County Commissioners.
- h. Maintain liability insurance for all paid and volunteer workers, naming the county as additionally insured in the amount of \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 in aggregate.
- i. Track all volunteer hours and report those hours worked to the Skamania County Public Works department, quarterly when requested.
- j. Comply with any reasonable rules respecting the use of the Premises promulgated by Lessor from time to time and communicated to Lessee in writing.
- k. Refrain from smoking in the Premises as the Premise is a publicly-owned no smoking facility.
- 1. Restrict use of the premises to those activities normally performed in connection with the purposes for which the Premises are being leased.

SECTION TWO Terms and Conditions

- 1. The term of this lease agreement shall begin July 1, 2022 and be in effect for a period of ten (10) years.
- 2. The initial lease payment shall be Four Hundred (\$400) per month in addition to the Washington State Leasehold Excise Tax (currently 12.84%) will be due on the lst day of each calendar month, to Lessor. Payable to Skamania County Treasurer, P.O. Box 1009 Stevenson WA 98610. The lease may be offset in whole or in part by improvements to the premises made by the lessee in accordance with the provisions above. Lessee shall provide receipts, timesheets and any other reasonable documentation of expenses paid to improve the premises due on the lst day of each calendar month.
- 3. Lessee shall present a work plan for the following year at the January meeting of the Wind River Advisory Committee.
- 4. Lessee shall give an on-site tour of all improvements of the previous year to the Wind River Advisory Committee at the September meeting of the Committee.
- 5. If during the course of any annual period of this lease, it is determined by the Wind River Advisory Committee that insufficient progress is being made in the restoration and or renovation of the properties, the Advisory Committee shall recommend the termination of the Lease by the Board of County Commissioners.
- 6. It is understood that it is the intent of this agreement for the Lessee to renovate and restore building 1045 and upon its completed restoration, Lessee shall sublet the building. Prior to Lessee subletting building; Lessor and Lessee will negotiate a revenue sharing plan. The revenue sharing plan shall be finalized and in place prior to subletting of the property.
- 7. It is understood that it is the intent of this agreement for the Lessee to renovate and restore building 2025 and upon its completed restoration, Lessee shall use the building as an office and possible caretaker's residence. Unless this building is sub-leased, it will not be subject

to a revenue sharing plan.

- 8. The Lessee shall pay for all costs associated with the Premises as necessary for conducting a business for which the Premises are leased. Such costs shall include, but are not necessarily limited to, all necessary taxes, permits, approvals and inspections associated with any such work. Lessee shall comply with all local, state and federal codes and regulations for such work, and hold Lessor harmless.
- 4. Per RCW 36.34.180, no renewal of a lease once executed and delivered shall be had, except by re-leasing and reletting of the property according to the terms and conditions of the Revised Code of Washington.
- 6. Any negotiated cost sharing plan shall be reviewed by the Lessor and Lessee annually to ensure both parties' intents are being met. Such review shall include all costs incurred by the lessee in the renovation or subletting of the premises, all revenues received by the Lessee from the premises, and any other information pertinent to ensure transparency and accountability.

SECTION THREE Late Charges and Interest on Past Due Sums

- 1. If Lessee shall fail to pay all or any part of an installment of rent within five (5) days of the due date, Lessee shall, in order to cure Lessee's default hereunder, pay to Lessor liquidated damages equal to five percent (5%) of the amount not timely paid. Acceptance of late payment and liquidated damages as set out herein shall not be deemed a waiver by Lessor of Lessee's obligation to pay rent on time, nor shall it be considered a waiver of Lessor's right to pursue other remedies provided herein or by law.
- 2. Any sums past due from Lessee to Lessor hereunder, including liquidated damages, shall bear interest at the rate of one percent (1%) per month.

SECTION FOUR Security Deposit

Lessee will deposit with Lessor a cash deposit in the amount of eight hundred dollars \$800, which shall become the property of the Lessor and held by Lessor for the full term plus any extensions of this Lease, plus thirty (30) days, as security for the full and timely performance by Lessee of the terms and conditions herein, for the repair of any damages to the Premises caused by Lessee apart from normal wear and tear, and for the payment of any sums due Lessor for a breach of this Lease. The rights of Lessor against Lessee for a breach of this Lease shall in no way be limited or restricted by this security deposit, but Lessor shall have the absolute right to pursue any available remedy to protect its interest herein, as if this security deposit had not been made. The deposit shall be returned to lessee within thirty (30) days following the expiration of this Lease provided all terms of this lease shall have been fully performed by Lessee. In the event of a default by Lessee hereunder, Lessor, at its sole option, shall have the right, in addition to remedies upon default set forth herein: (1) to apply all or any portion of the deposit to sums owing under this lease and, at its option, to simultaneously pursue its remedies on default set forth here-in, (2) to cure such default, in which event Lessee shall be obligated to promptly deposit with Lessor the amount necessary to restore the deposit to its full amount, or (3) to terminate this lease and retain the security deposit as liquidated damages. Should the demised Premises be sold, Lessor may transfer or deliver the security deposit to the purchaser of the interest, and Lessor shall then be discharged from any further liability to Lessee with respect to the security deposit.

SECTION FIVE Inspection

Lessee has had an opportunity to inspect the Premises and is leasing the Premises "as is" and Lessor makes no representation or warranties except as to title as set forth herein. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Lessee acknowledges that it has made its own independent investigation respecting the Premises and

will be relying entirely thereon and on the advice of any consultant Lessee may retain. Lessee may not rely upon any representation of any party, whether or not such party purports to act on behalf of Lessor, unless the representation is expressly set forth herein or in a subsequent document executed by Lessor. All representations, warranties, understandings and agreements between Lessee and Lessor are merged herein.

SECTION SIX Taxes

Lessee shall timely pay to the Lessor all Leasehold Excise Tax due the State of Washington that may be imposed on, or arise in, connection with the use of the Premises, or any part thereof, during the lease term. The intention of the parties is the rent herein is net rental to Lessor, and Lessor shall receive the same free from all Leasehold Excise Tax and any other tax obligation.

SECTION SEVEN Utilities

Lessee shall bear responsibility for utility services . Lessee warrants to hold Lessor harmless for the costs of all such utility services and to maintain at all times sufficient heat, and ventilation to preserve the premises against damage from the elements. Applications and connections for utility services above shall be made in the name of the Lessee only, and Lessee shall be shall be solely liabile for such utility charges as they become due.

SECTION EIGHT Maintenance and Repairs

 Lessee shall, at all times during the term of the Lease and at its own cost and expense, provide all maintenance and repair, maintaining, in good order and condition, the Premises, and any and all improvements, additions and

alterations thereto, located on the Premises. work. Lessee maintenance and repair responsibilities shall extend to the landscaped areas, the parking areas adjacent to the Premises shown on Exhibit A, where Lessee shall also keep such areas in a clean and orderly manner. Specifically, Lessee shall keep the Premises free of debris. Lessee shall use all reasonable precaution to prevent waste, damage or injury to the Premises. If Lessee fails to repair any substandard condition after written notice by Lessor, Lessor may do so and assess the cost of repair to Lessee.

- 2. Upon expiration or termination of this Lease, Lessee shall surrender the Premises to Lessor in good order and condition, subject to depreciation, ordinary wear and tear, and damage by fire or other casualty. All repairs for which Lessee is responsible shall be completed by the date of surrender. Lessee shall remove all of its equipment, machinery, fixtures and other personal property that remain its property by the date of surrender.
- 3. Lessee shall be fully responsible for all janitorial services and any such related costs for the Premises, and shall maintain the premises in a clean condition.

SECTION NINE Insurance/Casualty to Premises

- 1. Lessee shall at all times obtain and maintain a policy of fire insurance on any and all buildings and improvements of which the Premises are a part, including all alterations and additions thereto, in an amount equal to the current full replacement cost of said buildings and improvements and shall name Lessor as an additional insured and loss payee on any such policies. The full actual cost of such insurance shall be paid by the Lessee.
- 2. Any and all personal property, vehicles, equipment or

fixtures of the Lessee and others shall be on the Premises at the sole risk of Lessee, and Lessee shall bear all costs associated with any damage to such property, and insurance for such property.

- 3. Lessor shall have no liability or responsibility whatsoever with respect to the conduct and operation of the Lessee's activities on the Premises. Lessor shall not be liable for any accident or injury to any person or property in or about the Premises that is caused by the conduct or operation of said activity or by virtue of equipment or property of Lessee on said premises. Lessee agrees to defend and hold Lessor harmless against any and all such claims.
 - a. Lessee shall indemnify and save Lessor harmless from and against any and all losses, costs (including attorney fees), damages, expenses, liabilities (including statutory liability), and claims for damages as a result of injury or death of any person or damage to any property that arise from or in any manner grow out of any act or neglect on or about the leased Premises by Lessee, Lessee's partners, agents, employees, volunteers, customers, invitees, contractors or subcontracts or any other persons or property present on or about the Premises arising from Lessee's occupation of the Premises.
 - b. Lessee shall maintain general liability insurance covering bodily injury liability and wrongful death, personal injury liability, and property damage liability for all operations and activities on the Premises. Such insurance shall be in the amount of at least \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 combined single limit of liability, or such greater sums as Lessor may reasonably require. The Lessor and the Port of Skamania County shall be named as additional insureds. Lessee shall provide proof of insurance by a certificate of insurance evidencing above coverage and the Lessor added as an additional insured prior to taking possession of the Premises and shall maintain that insurance coverage all times under this lease and any extension thereof.

- c. All insurance provided by Lessee as required by this section shall insure performance by Lessee of the indemnity provisions hereof, including all environmental obligations set forth herein.
- 4. Lessee shall provide and keep in force other insurance in amounts that may from time to time be reasonably required against other such insurable hazards as are commonly insured against for the type of business activity that Lessee will conduct.
- 5. In the event fire or other casualty causes damage to the Premises, Lessor shall restore any damaged portion of the Premises as soon as practicable to substantially restore its condition immediately before the casualty. Rent shall be abated during the period of restoration to the extent the buildings and Premises are not reasonably usable by Lessee, except that there will be no rent abatement if the casualty was caused by Lessee's negligence or failure to comply with the terms of this Lease. Insurance proceeds pertaining to the buildings and improvements shall be applied to the costs of such restoration and repair. the damage to the Premises exceeds fifty percent (50%) of its replacement cost, Lessor may elect to terminate this lease and retain the proceeds of any such loss and in that event Lessee shall receive no compensation for early lease termination or relocation costs.
- 6. Lessor and Lessee waive rights each may have against the other on account of any loss or damage occasioned to Lessor or Lessee, as the case may be, their respective property, the Premises or its contents or to other portions of the Premises arising from any liability loss, damage or injury caused by fire or other casualty for which property insurance is carried or required to be carried pursuant to this lease. Each of the parties hereto, on behalf of their respective insurance companies insuring the property of either Lessor or Lessee against any such loss, to the extent of any recovery under such insurance, waives any right of subrogation that it may have against the other. Each waiver shall be expressly included in, and shall comply with the requirements of the respective insurance policies. Should either or both of the respective

insurance companies assess a charge for such waiver, each party shall pay only for the charge assessed by its respective insurer.

SECTION TEN Unlawful or Dangerous Activity

Lessee shall neither use nor occupy the Premises, nor any part thereof, for any unlawful, disreputable or ultra-hazardous purpose, nor shall Lessee operate or conduct its business in a manner constituting a nuisance of any kind. Upon Lessee's discovery of any unlawful, disreputable or ultra-hazardous use, Lessee shall immediately take action to halt such activities. Lessee will not do or permit anything to be done on the Premises, or bring or keep anything therein, which shall in any way increase the rate of fire or other insurance on the building, or on the property kept therein, or endanger, obstruct or interfere with the rights of other tenants, or conflict with the fire laws or regulations or with any insurance policy upon the building or any part thereof, or with any statutes, rules, or regulations enacted or established by any governmental authority.

SECTION ELEVEN Indemnity

Lessee shall indemnify Lessor and the Port of Skamania County, their employees, officials, agents, representatives and elected officials, against all expenses, liabilities, actions and claims of every kind, including reasonable attorney fees, made by or on behalf of any person or entity arising out of either: (1) a failure by Lessee to perform any of the terms or conditions of this lease; (2) any injury or damage to persons or property happening on or about the Premises or caused, directly or indirectly, from Lessee's operations; (3) a failure of Lessee to comply with any law of any governmental authority; or (4) any mechanic's lien or security interest filed against the Premises or any buildings or improvements thereon as a result of Lessee's activities.

SECTION TWELVE Default or Breach

Each of the following events shall constitute a default or breach of this Lease by Lessee:

- If Lessee, or any successor or assignee of Lessee while in possession, shall file a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency or for reorganization under any bankruptcy act, or shall voluntarily take advantage of any such act by answer or otherwise, or shall make an assignment for the benefit of creditors.
- 2. If involuntary proceedings under any bankruptcy law or insolvency act shall be instituted against Lessee, or if a receiver or trustee shall be appointed for all or substantially all of the property of Lessee and such proceedings shall not be dismissed or the receivership or trusteeship vacated within ninety (90) days after the institution or appointment.
- 3. If Lessee shall fail to pay rent or any other sum due hereunder when the same shall become due.
- 4. If Lessee shall fail to perform or comply with any of the conditions of this Lease and if the nonperformance shall continue for a period of thirty (30) days after notice thereof by Lessor to Lessee or, if the performance cannot be reasonably had within the thirty (30) day period, Lessee shall not in good faith have commenced performance within the 30 day period and shall not diligently proceed to completion of performance. However, no such notice shall be required if a similar notice was given within the previous six (6) months.
- 5. If Lessee shall abandon the demised Premises. However, Lessor's acceptance of Lessee's abandonment shall not relieve Lessee of its obligation to pay rent for the remainder of the term.
- 6. If this Lease or the estate of Lessee hereunder shall be transferred to or shall pass to or devolve to any other

person or party, except in the manner herein permitted, including the imposition of or suffering any mechanics, materialman or other liens against the property.

SECTION THIRTEEN Effect of Default/Remedies

In the event of any default hereunder, Lessor shall have an immediate right to pursue the following remedies in addition to remedies provided by law:

- 1. Lessor may elect, but shall not be obligated, to make any payment required of Lessee herein or comply with any agreement, term, or condition required hereby to be performed by Lessee, and Lessor shall have the right to enter the Premises for the purpose of correcting or remedying any such default and to remain until the default has been corrected or remedied and may charge Lessee for any such expenditures, but any expenditure for the correction by Lessor shall not be deemed to waive or release the default of Lessee or the right of Lessor to take any action as may be otherwise permissible hereunder in the case of any default.
- 2. Lessor shall have the right to cancel and terminate this Lease, as well as all of the right, title and interest of Lessee hereunder, without demand or legal process, by giving to Lessee written notice of the cancellation and termination. Thereupon, this Lease and the right, title and interest of Lessee hereunder, shall terminate in the same manner and with the same force and effect, except as to Lessee's liability, as if the date fixed in the notice of cancellation and termination were the end of the term herein originally determined.
- 3. Upon termination of the Lease under the foregoing paragraph, Lessor may by written notice to Lessee demand that Lessee assemble all Lessee's personal property on the Premises at a place designated by Lessor that is reasonably convenient to Lessor and Lessee, and Lessee agrees that it will assemble such property. In the alternative, Lessor may re-enter the Premises and remove the property and

personnel of Lessee. Lessor may then store Lessee's property in a public warehouse or other place selected by Lessor, at the expense of the Lessee; provided, however, that Lessor may, after a reasonable attempt to notify Lessee, dispose of Lessee's stored property by sale or otherwise after a period of forty-five (45) days from the date of termination, and credit the proceeds of sale against any amounts owed by Lessee. Upon termination, Lessor may recover from Lessee all damages proximately resulting from the breach, including the cost of recovering the Premises and the worth of the balance of this lease over the reasonable rental value of the Premises for the remainder of the lease term, which sum shall be immediately due Lessor from Lessee.

- 4. After re-entry, Lessor may relet the Premises or any part thereof for any term without terminating the Lease, at the rent and on the terms as Lessor may choose.
- 5. Lessor may declare all sums due and to become due for the full term of this Lease immediately due and payable, plus interest thereon at the highest legal rate until paid in full.
- 6. Lessor may retain all prior payments by Lessee, including, without limitation, rent and Lessee's security deposit.
- 7. Lessor may sue for specific performance.

SECTION FOURTEEN Lessor's Access to Premises

Lessee shall permit Lessor or its agents to enter the Premises at all reasonable hours to examine, inspect or protect the Premises, prevent damage or injury to the Premises, or make such repairs to the Premises as are necessary and reasonable; or to exhibit the Premises to prospective tenants during the last ninety (90) days of the lease term, or any renewal term Lessor shall provide Lessee with advance notice of all such access needs, scheduling access in advance and during normal business hours, except in the event of an emergency.

SECTION FIFTEEN Lessee's Improvements

- 1. Subject to Lessor's prior written consent, Lessee may make improvements or alterations to the Premises, discretion and at its expense. Lessee shall provide Lessor with plans and drawings for all improvements to review for approval consideration upon request by Lessor. Lessee is responsible for all permits, approvals, laws and regulations related to any such improvements. Lessee will provide Lessor with "as built" drawings for any and all improvements and modifications to the Premises. All such improvements and modifications made by the Lessee shall in no way jeopardize the integrity of the Premises or its structure, systems and services. Lessee acknowledges the Premises is designed in its architectural design and aesthetics to represent and support the Lessor and its business development vision and mission. Any improvements or modifications require authorization and shall not degrade this design and intent.
- 2. Upon termination of this lease, all improvements and modifications shall become the property of the Lessor.
 - 3. Lessor and Lessee acknowledge and confirm that Lessee may install and place in and about the Premises furniture, equipment, supplies and fixtures that are and shall remain the property of Lessor.
- 4. The Lessee may, with the Lessor's prior written consent, post and install any signs on or in the Premises providing such signs do not conflict or violate any other clause of this Agreement, and meet any and all ordinances, laws, regulations, etc., that may apply.

SECTION SIXTEEN Presence and Use of Hazardous Substances

1. Lessor represents to the knowledge of the Lessor there has been no previous contamination on, or remediation of, the Premises or the property of which the Premises are a part.

- 2. Lessee shall not, without the Lessor's prior written consent, keep on or around the Premises, common areas or building, for use, disposal, treatment, generation, storage, or sale, any substances designated as, or containing components designated as hazardous, extra hazardous, dangerous, toxic or harmful (collectively referred to as "Hazardous Substances"), and/or that are subject to regulation by any federal, state or local law, regulation, statute or ordinance. With respect to any Hazardous Substance, Lessee shall:
 - a. Comply promptly, timely and completely with all governmental requirements for permitting, reporting, keeping and submitting manifests and obtaining and keeping current identification numbers;
 - b. Submit to the Lessor and correct copies of all permits, reports, manifests and identification numbers at the same time, as they are required to be and/or submitted to the appropriate governmental authorities;
 - c. Within five (5) days of the Lessor's request, submit written reports to Lessor regarding Lessee's use, storage, treatment, transportation, generation, disposal or sale of Hazardous Substances and provide evidence satisfactory to the Lessor of Lessee's compliance with the applicable governmental regulations;
 - d. Allow Lessor or its agents or representatives to come on the Premises at all reasonable times to check Lessee's compliance with all applicable governmental regulations regarding Hazardous Substances, to investigate any alleged release of Hazardous Substances and to undertake cleanup action in the event Lessee fails to do so;
 - e. Comply with minimum levels, standards or other performance standards or requirements that may be set forth or established for certain Hazardous Substances (if minimum standards or levels are applicable to Hazardous Substances) present on the Premises, these levels or standards shall be established by an on-site inspection by the appropriate governmental authorities;

- f. Comply with all governmental rules, regulations and requirements regarding the proper and lawful use, sale, transportation, generation, treatment, storage and disposal of hazardous or other polluting substances and
- g. Notify Lessor promptly of any investigation involving release of a Hazardous Substance.
- 4. In the event of a violation or suspected violation, any and all costs incurred by Lessor and associated with the Lessor's inspections of the Premises (including any third-party inspectors or experts) and the Lessor's monitoring of Lessee's compliance with this section, and including the Lessor's attorney fees and costs, shall be additional rent and shall be due and payable to Lessor immediately upon written demand by Lessor.
- 5. Lessee shall not release any Hazardous Substance into the surface, subsurface, water or air in or adjacent to the Premises.
- 6. Lessee agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations governing environmental protection, regulation of substances and land use, and to indemnify Lessor against all losses, damages and costs resulting from any failure of Lessee of any of its employees, agents or contractors to do so, including, but not limited to, violation of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 42 USC Sec. 9601 et seq.; the Clean Water Act, 33 USC Sec. 1251 et seq.; the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 USC Sec. 6901; the Toxic Substances Control Act, USC Sec. 2601; the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, 7 USC Sec. 136 et seq.; the Clean Air Act, 42 USC Sec. 7401 et seq.; the Oil Pollution Act of 1990, 33 USC Sec. 2701 et seq.; the Model Toxics Control Act, RCW 70.105D,010 et seg.; the Washington Water Pollution Control Act, RCW 90.48; the Washington Clean Air Act, RCW 70.94; the Washington Solid Waste Management Act, RCW 70.95; the Washington Hazardous Waste Management Act, RCW 70.105; and the Washington Nuclear Energy and Radiation Act, RCW 70.98.

SECTION SEVENTEEN Cleanup Costs, Default and Indemnification

- 1. Lessee shall be fully and completely liable to Lessor for any and all investigatory, cleanup and/or monitoring costs and any and all other charges, fees, penalties (civil and criminal) imposed by any governmental authority with respect to Lessee's use, disposal, transportation, storage, generation, release and/or sale of Hazardous Substances, in or about the Premises, the common areas or adjacent property.
- 2. Lessee shall defend and hold Lessor harmless from any and all actions that arise out of or relate to any threatened, alleged, or actual release of Hazardous Substances or any other violation under any applicable environmental law or regulation, caused by the Lessee including, but not limited to, any investigations, administrative proceedings, emergency actions, cost recovery actions, requests for injunctive relief, penalties, fines, lawsuits, appeals and supplemental proceedings. The obligation of Lessee to defend Lessee shall not preclude the right of Lessor to select its own counsel. Any costs and fees incurred in defense of Lessor shall be paid by Lessee as the same are incurred.
- 3. Lessee shall indemnify and hold Lessor harmless from any damages or other liabilities which arise out of or relate to any threatened, alleged, or actual release of Hazardous Substances or any other violation under any applicable environmental law or regulation, including, but not limited to, investigation of a release or other violation; actual releases or other violations; remediation, cleanup and/or response costs; damage to natural resources; fines or penalties; economic loss or damages; enforcement action costs; judgments; appeal bonds; continuing monitoring costs; attorney fees and costs; and consultant fees and costs. Lessee specifically agrees that any bond or other security provided shall extend to the indemnity agreed to in this subparagraph.

SECTION EIGHTEEN Compliance with All Laws

Lessee agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state and municipal laws, ordinances, and regulations. Any fees for any inspection of the Premises during or for the lease term by any federal, state or municipal officer and the fees for any required "Certificate of Occupancy" shall be paid by Lessee.

SECTION NINETEEN Easements, Agreements or Encumbrances

The parties shall be bound by all existing easements, agreements and encumbrances (if any) of record relating to the Premises which Lessor has disclosed to Lessee in writing or so otherwise reasonably evident to Lessee, and Lessor shall not be liable to Lessee for any damages resulting from any action taken by a holder of an interest pursuant to the rights of that holder thereunder.

SECTION TWENTY Quiet Enjoyment

Lessor warrants that Lessee shall be granted peaceable and quiet enjoyment of the Premises free from any eviction or interference by Lessor or those claiming through Lessor, so long as Lessee pays the rent and other charges provided herein, and otherwise fully and punctually performs the terms and conditions of this lease imposed on Lessee.

SECTION TWENTY-ONE Liability of Lessor

Lessee shall be in exclusive control and possession of the Premises, and Lessor shall not be liable for any injury or damages to any property or to any person on or about the demised Premises nor for any injury or damage to any property of Lessee.

SECTION TWENTY-TWO Consents, Waivers

Whenever either party's consent or approval is required under this lease, the party shall promptly exercise its judgment in a reasonable manner. Failure of a party to insist on a strict performance of any of the terms and conditions hereof shall be deemed a waiver of the rights or remedies that the party may have regarding that specific instance only, and shall not be deemed a waiver of any subsequent breach or default in any terms and conditions.

SECTION TWENTY-THREE Notice

- 1. All notices to be given with respect to this Lease shall be in writing. Each notice shall be sent by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid and return receipt requested, to the party to be notified at the address set forth herein or at such other address as either party may from time to time designate in writing.
- Every notice shall be deemed to have been given at the time it shall be deposited in the United States mails in the manner prescribed herein.

LESSOR: LESSEE:

SKAMANIA COUNTY Phil Dodd, President

509-427-3900 Wind River Trust Board of Directors
PO Box 1099 P.O. Box 764

Stevenson, WA 98648 Carson, WA 98610

SECTION TWENTY-FOUR Assignment, Mortgage or Sublease

- Neither Lessee nor its successors or assigns shall assign, mortgage, pledge or encumber this Lease for any reason nor shall this Lease be assigned or transferred by operation of law, without the prior consent in writing of Lessor in each instance.
- Lessee shall not have the right to sublet the Premises, in whole or in part, or permit the Premises to be used or

occupied by others, without Lessor's prior written approval. Such approval shall not be unreasonably withheld; provided, however, that no sublease shall release Lessee from its obligation to perform pursuant to this Lease, unless the Lessor shall, in its sole discretion, consent in writing to the release of Lessee and substitution of the Sublessee.

SECTION TWENTY-FIVE Total Agreement; Applicable to Successors

This Lease contains the entire agreement between the parties and cannot be changed or terminated except by a written instrument subsequently executed by the parties hereto. This Lease and the terms and conditions hereof apply to and are binding on the heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns of both parties.

SECTION TWENTY-SIX Applicable Law

This agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington.

SECTION TWENTY-SEVEN Venue/Attorney Fees

In the event that any litigation should arise concerning the construction or interpretation of any of the terms of this Lease, or for the collection of any sums due hereunder, the parties agree that the venue of such action or litigation shall be in the proper court of the State of Washington in and for the County of Skamania. The parties agree that the prevailing party in any action or litigation shall recover costs and reasonable attorney fees.

SECTION TWENTY-EIGHT Time of the Essence

Time is of the essence in all provisions of this Lease.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Lease as

Wind River Trust

of the day	y and year first al	bove written.	
LESSEE:	Wind River Trust	(WRT)	
	By Phil Dodd, W	RT Board President	
LESSOR:	SKAMANIA COUNTY, a	a Political Subdivision of the	State of
APPROVED t	this day of	2022.	
		BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONE SKAMANIA COUNTY, WASHINGTON	
		Chairman	
ATTEST:		Commissioner	PACIENT .
Clerk of the Bo	oard	Commissioner	
APPROVED A	AS TO FORM ONLY:		
Prosecuting At	ttorney		
	v		For Against Abstain Absent

EXHIBIT A: LOCATION OF LEASED PREMISES



Lease area delineated by white line surrounding Buildings #1045 and #2025.





2.7 acre lease in Martha Creek field delineated by white line in overview on left and closeup on right.