

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: No fiscal impact

Action:	Be Adopted
Vote:	8 – 0 – 0
Yeas:	Barnhart, Berger, Freeman, Garrett, Holvey, Wingard, Olson, Hunt
Nays:	-
Exc.:	-
Prepared By:	Jim Stembridge, Administrator
Meeting Dates:	3/30

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Honors the residents of Plush, Greg Case of Ashland Fire & Rescue, and the Oregon Ambulance Association for their efforts in obtaining a vitally needed ambulance for Plush.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Story of events, efforts, and contributions resulting in Plush having an ambulance
- Number of lives saved since arrival of the ambulance

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: No amendment.

BACKGROUND: Until recently, ambulance service in Plush had to come from the nearest medical facility in Lakeview, a 40-mile drive. The delay contributed to the death of a resident who was involved in a vehicle accident two years ago. In August, 2010, through the combined efforts of community residents, Plush was able to obtain an ambulance donated by the City of Ashland and outfitted by the Oregon Ambulance Association.