Senate Concurrent Resolution 34

Sponsored by Senator GIROD

SUMMARY

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Commends public and private entities and first responders for their prompt and effective response to Santiam Park Fire.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 Whereas the Santiam Park Fire sprang to life on March 19, 2019; and

3 Whereas the fire grew rapidly and jumped the North Santiam River, endangering property and

4 requiring the evacuation of residents in the Santiam Canyon; and

5 Whereas a prompt and coordinated response quickly brought the fire under control within 24 6 hours, and it was declared fully contained on March 21, 2019; and

7 Whereas the public and private entities and individuals that responded to the fire include the

8 State Forestry Department, State Fire Marshal, Department of Corrections, Department of Trans-9 portation, Marion Area Multi-Agency Emergency Telecommunications Dispatch Center, Linn County

10 Sheriff's Office, City of Lyons, North Santiam School District, Marion County Fire District #1,

11 Marion County Fire Defense Board Chief Bill Miles, Linn County Fire Defense Board Chief John

12 Bradner, Santiam Hospital's ambulance service, American Red Cross and fire departments from

13 Lyons, Stayton, Aumsville, Scio, Drakes Crossing, Silverton, Mt. Angel, Aurora, Sublimity, Albany,

14 Salem, Turner, Keizer, Jefferson, Woodburn, Hubbard and Lebanon; and

15 Whereas approximately 200 acres were destroyed by the fire, but no homes or other structures 16 were burned and there were no human injuries or deaths; now, therefore,

17 Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:

18 That we, the members of the Eightieth Legislative Assembly, express our gratitude to all the 19 public and private entities and first responders involved in fighting the Santiam Park Fire, and we 20 commend them for their excellent work in promptly containing the fire.

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