

# House Bill 2244

Sponsored by Representatives SMITH DB, OSBORNE (Presession filed.)

## SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Restores staggering of terms of county commissioners in certain circumstances.  
Declares emergency, effective on passage.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

1  
2 Relating to the terms of county commissioners; and declaring an emergency.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. In a county in which the terms of the three offices of county commissioner**  
5 **are not staggered because two positions elected to fill midterm vacancies were extended to**  
6 **four-year terms, the current term of the third office of county commissioner shall be ex-**  
7 **tended by two years so that the terms of the three offices are staggered.**

8 **SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2023 Act is repealed on January 2, 2030.**

9 **SECTION 3. This 2023 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**  
10 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2023 Act takes effect**  
11 **on its passage.**  
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**NOTE:** Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.