

NOTICE OF ELECTION & RECEIPT OF BALLOT TITLE
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Notice is hereby given that a ballot title for a measure referred by the Tillamook County Board of Commissioners has been filed with the County Clerk of Tillamook County, Oregon on February 22, 2012. The May 15, 2012 Primary Election will be conducted by mail pursuant to ORS 254.465. An elector may file a petition for review of this ballot title in Tillamook County Circuit Court no later than 5:00 p.m. March 2, 2012 pursuant to ORS 255.155.

CAPTION: 29-126 RENEWAL OF FIVE YEAR COUNTY-WIDE LIBRARY OPERATING LOCAL OPTION TAX

QUESTION: Shall Tillamook County levy \$0.65 per \$1,000 of assessed value for County Library operations, beginning 07-01-2012 for five years? This measure renews current local option taxes.

SUMMARY: Since 1983 the library has been funded by operating levies. The levy amount will remain at \$0.65 per \$1,000 of assessed value and will be used to continue the operations of the County Library System. It is estimated the proposed rate will raise \$2,500,000 in 2012/13; \$2,600,000 in 2013/14; \$2,700,000 in 2014/15; \$2,800,000 in 2015/16; and \$2,925,000 in 2016/17. The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of estimate. The County Library System includes the main library in Tillamook, five branch libraries located in Bay City, Garibaldi, Rockaway Beach, Manzanita, and Pacific City and the Bookmobile which serves rural Tillamook County. This tax rate will provide over 95% of the total revenue supporting the County Library System. All county libraries will have to close if an operating levy fails.

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