## BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

## **RESOLUTION NO.** <u>2020-006</u>

Filling a Vacancy in the Legislative Assembly, Oregon House of Representatives, District 36.

### The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Finds:

- a. Effective December 30, 2019 there is a vacancy in Oregon State Senate, District 36, due to the resignation of Representative Jennifer Williamson.
- b. Pursuant to state law, the Democratic Party Precinct Committeepersons of House District 36 met to choose nominees to fill the vacancy.
- c. The nominees chosen were: Chris Beck, Rob Fullmer, Akasha Lawrence-Spence, Lisa Reynolds, and Laurie Wimmer.
- d. In accordance with procedures established by the Secretary of State, the Multnomah County Board of Commissioners considered the nominations at a regular board meeting at 5:00 pm on January 16, 2020.
- e. At the conclusion of the public meeting the Commissioners voted to appoint <u>Akasha Lawrence-Spence</u> to fill the vacancy, said nominee having received the highest number of votes as indicated on the vote tabulation attached as Exhibit A.

#### The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Resolves:

- 1. <u>Akasha Lawrence-Spence</u> is selected as the appointee to fill the vacancy in the Oregon House of Representatives, District 36.
- 2. This Resolution shall promptly be forwarded to the Secretary of State as required by ORS 171.060(3).

## ADOPTED this 16th day of January, 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON Deborah Kafoury, Chair FOR MULTNOM Sharon Meieran, District 1 Susheela Jayapal, District 2 Jessica Vega Pederson, District Lori Stegmann, District 4 **RÉVIEWED:** 2pg JENNY M. MADKOUR, COUNTY ATTORNE FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON Mollor

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Jenny M. Madkour, County Attorney

#### BEFORE THE MULTNOMAH BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

In the matter of Filling the Vacancy in the Legislative Assembly, State Representative District 36

WHEREAS, pursuant to state law, the Democratic Party Precinct Committeepersons State

Representative District 36 made nominations to fill the vacancy; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with procedures established by the Secretary of State, the Multnomah County Board of Commissioners considered the nominations at a public meeting on January 16, 2020; and

WHEREAS, at the conclusion of the public meeting the appointing authority voted to appoint

Akasha Lawrence-Spence (nominee) to fill the vacancy, said nominee having received the highest

number of votes as indicated on the vote tabulation attached as Exhibit A,

NOW, THEREFORE, <u>Akasha Lawrence-Spence</u> is selected as the appointee to fill the vacancy in the Legislative Assembly, State Representative District 36;

This Statement shall promptly be forwarded to the Secretary of State as required by

ORS 171. 060(3).

ADOPTED this 16th day of January, 2020.

By:

Deborah Kafoury Multnomah County Commissioner, Chair

Susheela Jayapal
Multnomah County Commissioner

Lori Stegmann

Multnomah County Commissioner

Sharon Meieran Multnomah County Commissioners

Jessica Vega Pederson Multnomah County Commissioner

# EXHIBIT A

# VOTE TABULATION

In the matter of filling the vacancy in the Legislative Assembly, State Representative District 36, the following votes were cast at the public meeting held on January 16, 2020:

Nominee

Deborah Kafoury Multnomah County Commissioner, Chair

Sharon Meieran Multnomah County Commissioners

Susheela Jayapal Multnomah County Commissioners

Jessica Vega Pederson Multnomah County Commissioners

Lori Stegmann Multnomah County Commissioners Akasha Lawrence-Spence

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