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Central Oregon Ready Responsive Resilient

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To:Oregon State Senators and RepresentativesFrom:COIC, on behalf of CORE3 Partner Agencies

RE: CORE3 Coalition Letter

A broad coalition of local, regional, state and federal agencies have come together to collaborate to develop the Central Oregon Ready, Responsive, Resilient, "CORE3" project. CORE3 will be a dedicated emergency coordination center (ECC) as well as a multi-agency, multidisciplinary emergency services training center to meet mandatory and best-in-practice training needs of local, state, and federal public safety personnel.

CORE3 Mission

To deliver a high caliber public safety training and emergency coordination facility that enhances public safety, builds resilience, and mitigates risk.

CORE3 Vision

A model center in Central Oregon for public safety providers which delivers superior, collaborative emergency services training and coordination across disciplines, creating a safe and resilient Oregon.

The following agencies have signed the CORE IGA, are working jointly to develop the facility, and urge you to support HB3084 which will help make CORE3 a reality.

Bend Fire & Rescue Bend Police Department City of Bend City of Redmond Central OR Community College Central OR Intergovernmental Council Crook County Deschutes County 911 Deschutes County 911 Deschutes County Sheriff's Office Deschutes National Forest Jefferson County Jefferson County Fire and EMS Jefferson County Sheriff's Office Madras Police Department Ochoco National Forest Prineville BLM Redmond Fire & Rescue Redmond Police Department Sisters-Camp Sherman RFPD

See agency logos below.

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