

LRAPA BUDGET COMMITTEE PUBLIC HEARING FOR LRAPA'S FY2023 BUDGET

Procedure & Script for the Budget Committee's Public Hearing to Approve the Budget

Meeting Date: April 13, 2023 Department: Director's Office *www.lrapa.org* Public Hearing Staff Contact: Steve Dietrich Contact Telephone: 541-736-1056 x216

Procedure

1. Open the Public Hearing

I would like to call this public hearing of the Lane Regional Air Protection Agency's Budget Committee to order. The time is now [current time]. My name is Steven Schmunk, and I am the Chairperson of the LRAPA Budget Committee.

We are gathered to discuss the proposed Fiscal Year 2024 budget for the Lane Regional Air Protection Agency. Our main objective is to provide an opportunity for the public to share their thoughts and opinions on the proposed budget, as well as to ensure transparency and accountability.

I ask to place into the hearing record the affidavit of publication from the Eugene Register Guard, proving that notice of this hearing was published according to Oregon Budget Law.

2. Public Participation

We invite members of the public to share their comments and concerns regarding the proposed LRAPA FY'24 budget. Please be aware that each speaker will be given a time limit of 3 minutes to ensure that everyone has an opportunity to speak. When you come forward, kindly state your name and address for the record.

As a reminder, this is a public hearing, and we are here to listen to your input. The Budget Committee members may ask clarifying questions but will not engage in a debate or discussion at this time. We will now open the floor to public comments. If you would like to speak, please raise your hand in-person or online, or indicate your interest, and we will recognize you.

[Proceed with public comments]

[After all public comments have been heard]

3. Close the Hearing

Thank you all for your valuable input. We appreciate your engagement in this important process. The LRAPA Budget Committee will carefully consider your feedback as we continue to review and deliberate on the proposed FY'24 budget.

This concludes the public hearing portion of the meeting. The Budget Committee will now proceed with the remainder of the session to discuss and potentially adjust the proposed budget based on the feedback received today.

Once again, thank you all for attending and participating in this public hearing. Your involvement is crucial to ensuring a transparent and effective budget process for the Lane Regional Air Protection Agency. The time is now [current time].