

**CROOK COUNTY COURT MINUTES
OF MAY 23, 2023 SPECIAL PUBLIC MEETING
Open Portion**

Be It Remembered that the Crook County Court met in a Special Public Meeting on May 23, 2023, at 3:22 p.m. in the Administration Conference room located at 203 NE Court Street, Prineville, Oregon 97754.

Court Members Present: Judge Seth Crawford, Commissioner Jerry Brummer and Commissioner Brian Barney

Absentees:

Others Present in Person: Legal Counsel Eric Blaine; Administration Executive Assistant Sarah Puerner and Andy Parks.

SPECIAL PUBLIC MEETING

The meeting was **called to order at 3:22 p.m.**

The Crook County Court held a special public meeting convened under ORS 192.640 to discuss an appointment to fill for a vacancy on the Crook County Budget Committee. Volunteer Bobbi Brooks is being considered for this appointment.

MOTION to approve Order 2023-25 appointing Bobbi Brooks to the Budget Committee position #2 for a 1-year term expiring December 31, 2023. Motion seconded. No discussion. Motion carried 3-0.

ADDITIONS:

Correspondence with Marion County regarding Community Restoration Services. Legal Counsel Eric Blaine informed the Court about correspondence from Marion County regarding mental health issues and Community Restoration Services. The Oregon State Hospital is under current litigation for not treating patients fast enough and has a time limit on providing treatment to patients. If the timeline expires and the individual is not competent enough to stand criminal trial, they will be remanded to Community Restoration. The individual would return to his/her former place of residence where their County would figure out next steps moving forward.

There being no further business before the Court, the meeting was **adjourned at 3:40 p.m.**

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Puerner