



MEMORANDUM

TO: Columbia River Gorge Commission

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DATE: April 29, 2020

SUBJECT: **Work Session***: Gorge 2020 Economic Development Chapter 2 Revisions

Background: The draft edits in the attached Chapter 2 Economic Development are a compilation of input received from the public, the Economic Vitality Work Group (EVWG) and Commission on the Economic Development Chapter of the Management Plan at several Commission meetings in 2018 and 2019.

Black = original language

~~Strikethrough~~ = original language proposed for removal by EVWG, public and/or the Commission

Red text = revised text based on the 12/10/2019 discussion with the Commission and additional public input during the December 1, 2019- February 15, 2020 public comment period

The purpose of the Work Session is to review the draft amendments to the Gorge Management Plan and for the Commission to either endorse the language as prepared by the staff or modify it to reflect its preferences. The Commission will then present the draft language which it has endorsed for public comment during the final public comment review period, June 1 – 30, 2020.