

## Resolution 23-13

### **Resolution of the Salem-Keizer Area Transportation Study (SKATS) Policy Committee Adopting the Air Quality Conformity Determination for the SKATS 2023-2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan**

**WHEREAS**, the Salem-Keizer Area Transportation Study Policy Committee has been designated by the State of Oregon as the official Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Salem-Keizer Urbanized Area; and

**WHEREAS**, the Policy Committee is authorized by an Intergovernmental Cooperative Agreement to adopt and adjust the Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP); and

**WHEREAS**, the SKATS area is currently designated non-attainment for the carbon monoxide standard;

**WHEREAS**, a new MTP must demonstrate air quality conformity before the MPT is approved by the MPO or accepted by the federal Department of Transportation, according to the requirements of OAR-340-252-0010 et. seq. (*Transportation Conformity Rule*)

### **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE POLICY COMMITTEE OF THE SALEM-KEIZER AREA TRANSPORTATION STUDY:**

**THAT** the Air Quality Conformity Determination for the SKATS 2023-2050 MTP has been prepared according to state and federal regulations and undertaken through interagency coordination with local, state, and federal agencies;

**THAT** the Air Quality Conformity Determination for the SKATS 2023-2050 MTP has gone through a 30-day public and agency review period, and no negative responses were received as a result of that public review process;

**THAT** the SKATS 2023-2050 MTP has been determined to conform to requirements related to regional air quality emissions contained in OAR 340-252 (Transportation Conformity), and the SKATS Policy Committee hereby adopts the document *Air Quality Conformity Determination for the SKATS 2023-2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan* dated May 15, 2023, in support of this resolution.

**ADOPTED** by the Policy Committee of the Salem-Keizer Area Transportation Study on the 23rd day of May 2023.



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Chair  
Salem-Keizer Area Transportation Study  
Policy Committee