

Lead Agency: District 1
Program Offer Type: Existing Operating
Related Programs:
Program Characteristics:

Program Contact: Deborah Kafoury

Executive Summary

Commissioner Deborah Kafoury is one of five elected officials comprising the governing body of Multnomah County. This is Commissioner Kafoury's fifth year serving on the Board of County Commissioners, where she represents the residents of District One.

Commissioner Kafoury is committed to serving her constituents to the best of her ability; addressing policy issues that impact all people in the County, especially those who are unable to advocate for themselves; and, passing a balanced budget that uses the County's resources wisely and effectively to improve the life of County residents. Please visit www.multco.us/ds1 to learn more about Commissioner Kafoury's office and priorities.

Program Description

Commissioner Kafoury is the main point of contact for residents in District 1 who have questions and concerns about county services or policies. In addition to being responsive to the residents of her district, Commissioner Kafoury is an advocate for issues of concern to the entire county including preventing and ending homelessness, the health and well-being of Multnomah County's children and families, land use and transportation, and ensuring Multnomah County services are available for our most vulnerable residents.

In FY 13, Commissioner Kafoury led the effort to replace the Sellwood Bridge, including the successful translation of the existing span to the temporary detour bridge; secured contingency funding to rapidly-rehouse homeless families on the family shelter wait list; championed a gun violence prevention ordinance for Multnomah County residents and a gun turn in day; led an effort to refocus the community's plan to end homelessness; advanced county efforts to address bed bugs; and spearheaded the planning effort to replace the Downtown Courthouse. Commissioner Kafoury serves as the Board's representative on the Portland Children's Levy Allocation Committee, the Multnomah County Audit Committee, and as the Co-Chair of the Domestic Violence Fatality Review Committee.

In FY 13-14, Commissioner Kafoury will:

1. Keep the Sellwood Bridge replacement project on time and on budget and ensure that workforce goals of 20% DMWESB are met.
2. Establish a plan to renovate or rebuild the Downtown Courthouse.
3. Implement the community's plan to end homelessness, specifically creating a governance committee and aligning budgets with the City of Portland, Home Forward and private funders to better address homelessness in Multnomah County.
4. Actively engage with the SUN School system RFP process to ensure the best possible outcomes for the County's investment.
5. Work with the Legislative team to advance state and federal agendas, including passing legislation to prevent gun violence.

Performance Measures

Measure Type	Primary Measure	Previous Year Actual (FY11-12)	Current Year Purchased (FY12-13)	Current Year Estimate (FY12-13)	Next Year Offer (FY13-14)
Output	Establish feasible plan for the Downtown Courthouse.	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	40.0%
Outcome	Sellwood Bridge Replacement Project.	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	40.0%
Output	Create Governance Committee to oversee Homeless Plan.	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Output	Send out a monthly e-newsletter.	0	12	12	12

Performance Measure - Description

By the end of FY 13-14, the Courthouse plan will be 40% complete. A decision will be made between build new/replace; work will have started to advance that objective (site selection or forensic analysis required to renovate); a Business Case Analysis to determine the possibility of a Public/Private Partnership will be complete; start-up funding will be secured. Construction on the Sellwood Bridge will be 40% complete (slated to open summer 2015). A governance committee will be created to oversee implementation of A Home For Everyone: A United Community Plan to End Homelessness in Portland/Multnomah County. Our monthly e-newsletter will share information about policies and priorities with those who receive it or read it online.

Legal/Contractual Obligation

The Board of County Commissioners are mandated by the Multnomah County Home Rule Charter. Chapter III, 3.10 (3).

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2013	2013	2014	2014
Personnel	\$418,843	\$0	\$443,466	\$0
Contracts	\$7,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$19,704	\$0	\$27,399	\$0
Internal Services	\$70,272	\$0	\$69,591	\$0
Total GF/non-GF:	\$515,819	\$0	\$540,456	\$0
Program Total:	\$515,819		\$540,456	
Program FTE	3.80	0.00	3.80	0.00
Program Revenues				
Total Revenue:	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Explanation of Revenues

General Fund Program.

Significant Program Changes

Last year this program was: #10001, BCC District 1