The Board of Commissioners office released the following road related information:

COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY REPORT January 1, 2003

UPDATED POLICIES FOR COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT IN PAVING OF PUBLIC GRAVEL ROADS

The County Road Department revised and updated its policy related to County participation in community funded paving of public gravel roads. The latest policy revisions include the following changes:

- Splitting the policy into two parts: 1) Match Funding, and 2) Procedures and Standards;
- Various clarifications of specific areas of the policy;
- The project cost estimating procedures (initial and final estimates);
- Modification of the available County matching funds to that of Citizen matching funds.

Due to budget constraints, the policy revision includes limiting County contribution for an approved project to 25% of the project estimate. The 75% balance would be borne by the local residents. The policy changes were reviewed and endorsed by the County Roads Advisory Committee. The Board authorized the Road Department to implement the new policy revisions during their staff meeting on 12/16/02.

The above revised policies are available at the Road Department office or online at http://www.co.tillamook.or.us/roads.

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(the above information was only a portion of the entire Weekly Report)