

CURRY COUNTY COMPENSATION BOARD

Presented on May 16, 2019

The Curry County Compensation Board consisting of Kevin McHugh, Bruce Raleigh and Marcella Waetermans met on April 22, 2019 to review the compensation for Curry County Elected Officials. Bruce Raleigh was elected chair. The Board reviewed material provided by County staff consisting of Elected Official 2018-19 Salary Information as reported to the Association of Oregon Counties for Curry, Malheur, Union, Crook and Jefferson counties.

The Board did not take into account Curry County's current financial issues, as ORS 204.112 states that the Compensation Board is to recommend a fair salary for each Elected Official's position. The Compensation Board believes that Curry County officials are underpaid when compared to relevant peer groups within the aforementioned counties.

Here are our recommendations:

<u>Elected Official</u>	<u>Peer Average</u>	<u>Current Salary</u>	<u>Recommended Salary</u>	<u>Increase</u>
Sheriff	\$92,390	\$88,480	\$90,980	\$2,500
Assessor	\$76,120	\$64,746	\$65,746	\$1,000
Clerk	\$74,815	\$64,098	\$65,073	\$975
Treasurer	\$75,180	\$63,524	\$64,484	\$960
Commissioner	\$74,775	\$66,469	\$66,469	\$0

We, the Curry County Compensation Board, urge the Commissioners and the Budget Committee to receive this unanimous report in the spirit in which it is intended.

Respectfully,

Bruce Raleigh, Kevin McHugh and Marcella Waetermans

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