## BEFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE METROPOLITAN SERVICE DISTRICT

FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECOMMENDING A
MERGER OF THE BOUNDARY COMMISSION
WITH THE METROPOLITAN SERVICE
DISTRICT PROVIDING THAT THE METRO
EXECUTIVE OFFICER HIRE AND DIRECT
STAFF, AND THAT THERE BE LIMITED
APPEALS OF COMMISSION DECISIONS
TO THE METRO COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 88-935

Introduced by the Council Planning & Development Committee

WHEREAS, The Task Force on Metropolitan Regional Government is considering the merger of the Portland Metropolitan Area Boundary Commission with the Metropolitan Service District; and

WHEREAS, The Task Force has requested the Council of the Metropolitan Service District to make a recommendation on appropriateness and methods of such merger; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED,

That the Council of the Metropolitan Service District recommends to the Task Force on Metropolitan Regional Government that legislation be introduced in the 1989 Legislative Session to merge the Boundary Commission with the Metropolitan Service District based on the assumptions described in Exhibit A.

	ADOPTED	by	the	Council	of	the Metropolitan	Service	District
this	day	of				, 1988.		

Mike Ragsdale, Presiding Officer

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## EXHIBIT A

## (Resolution No. 88-935)

- 1. The Boundary Commission contains 12 members appointed by the Metro Executive Officer from lists of nominees submitted by Metro Councilors.
- 2. The Metro Executive Officer in consultation with the Commission shall annually submit a budget for Boundary Commission activities in the proposed Metro budget and for review and adoption by the Metro Council. The Commission activities would be funded within the District's Planning Fund.
- 3. The Commission current revenue sources would continue: local government assessments authorized by statute with the level determined by the Metro Council in the annual budget process; and filing fees authorized by statute but set by the Metro Council through adoption of the budget or at any other appropriate time.
- 4. The Commission staff, as appropriate, would be transferred to Metro and staff services would be provided by Metro under District Personnel Rules. Subsequent hiring of staff would be by Metro Executive Officer or his/her designee.
- 5. Commission decisions continue to be appealable to the Court of Appeals with the exception of proposals for the incorporation of cities, such proposals being appealable to the Metro Council prior to judicial review.
- 6. Metro central administrative services would be used to support the Boundary Commission activities subject to District "overhead" charges as any other District function.

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