

Notice of District Measure Election**SEL 803**rev 1/06: ORS 250.035,
250.041, 255.145, 255.345

East Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation District

Name of District

Notice is hereby given on *date of election* November 2, 2004

A measure election will be held in

name of county or counties.

Multnomah

.County, Oregon.

The following shall be the ballot title of the measure to be submitted to the district's voters on this date:

CAPTION *10 words*

East Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation District Permanent Rate Limit

QUESTION *20 words*

Shall the District be authorized to have a permanent rate limit of \$0.10 per \$1,000 assessed value beginning FY 2005-2006?

SUMMARY *175 words*

This permanent rate limit will enable the east Multnomah Soil and Waste Conservation District to provide education and technical assistance to urban and rural residents, farmers, businesses, municipalities, and others to meet rising legal and public expectations for healthy and sustainable land management. The District does not make or enforce regulations. The permanent rate limit will support current District programs including Naturescaping for Clean Rivers, conservation technical assistance, help for landowners navigating regulations, and cost-share funding for conservation projects. The District may purchase conservation easements in ecologically sensitive areas, provide youth education, make capital expenditures, and develop new programs to improve the quality of our streams and natural habitat for fish, wildlife, and people. This measure establishes a permanent rate limit of \$.10 per \$1,000 of assessed value. It will cost the owner of a property valued at \$200,000 a maximum of \$20.00 per year and yield an estimated \$2,862,200 to the District. The District may levy a lower rate. This permanent rate is an upper limit that by law can never be raised.

↓ **signature**

The following authorized district official hereby certifies the above ballot title is true and complete.

signature of authorized district official *not required to be notarized*

date signed

printed name of authorized district official

title