

**Board of Directors
September 14th, 2026**

Old Business Motions

- Establish an Alcohol and Drug Recovery Space Task Force to research, develop, and present a comprehensive proposal for creating a dedicated recovery space during the week of the Oregon Country Fair. (AJ Jackson, Sandra Bauer, Kevin Levy, Jon Steinhart and Zahra Indigo Ronlov)

The purpose of this task force shall be to evaluate and recommend how the Fair can best provide a welcoming, inclusive, and supportive environment for individuals in recovery from alcohol and other drugs, as well as those seeking recovery support while attending or participating in the event.

The task force will be responsible for:

- Assessing the needs of the recovery community within the Oregon Country Fair.
- Researching best practices from comparable festivals, events, and organizations that provide recovery support spaces.
- Identifying potential locations, operational considerations, staffing or volunteer needs, scheduling, accessibility, and resource requirements.
- Developing recommendations for partnerships, programming, and meeting formats that foster a safe, welcoming, and recovery-oriented environment.
- Evaluating budgetary implications and any necessary policy or operational considerations.
- Presenting a written proposal, including recommendations and an implementation plan, to the Board of Directors for review and consideration within one year of the creation of the task force.

The Board affirms its commitment to fostering a culture of inclusion, wellness, and belonging by exploring opportunities to support members of the recovery community through intentional and accessible programming at the Oregon Country Fair.

New Business Motions

- Oregon Country Fair approves a sponsorship of the Pineros y Campesinos Unidos del Noroeste(PCUN) 2026 event at the \$5,000 sponsorship level, with funding to come from the Board approved sponsorship and community engagement budget (AJ Jackson, Paxton Hoag, Trevor Ross, Sandra Bauer and Kevin Levy)

Rationale:

PCUN is Oregon's longstanding farmworker advocacy organization, dedicated to advancing the rights, dignity, and wellbeing of farmworkers and immigrant communities

throughout the state. Sponsoring PCUN's 2026 event aligns with the Oregon Country Fair's mission and values by supporting organizations that promote equity, inclusion, social justice, and community resilience.

A \$5,000 sponsorship demonstrates the Fair's continued commitment to building meaningful partnerships with organizations whose work strengthens Oregon communities and advances human rights. This sponsorship also provides an opportunity to increase collaboration, visibility, and mutual support between the Oregon Country Fair and PCUN while recognizing the essential contributions of farmworkers to our region.