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Authorization To Enter Into An Agreement With Oregon Trail

Chapter Of American Red Cross To Permit Use Of PCC
Physical Facilities As Designated Mass Care Shelters For

Victims Of Disaster

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REPORT:

The Oregon Trail Chapter of the American Red Cross has expressed interest in entering into an agreement with Portland Community College allowing use of College physical facilities as Mass Care Shelters for the victims of disaster. The agreement would authorize the Red Cross to use PCC buildings, grounds, and equipment for mass care shelters in the event of a significant area-wide disaster.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That the Board of Directors authorize signature of a "Statement of Agreement" with the Oregon Trail Chapter of the American Red Cross to permit use of PCC physical facilities as Designated Mass Care Shelters for victims of disaster and the pre-positioning of a 35-40 foot Red Cross supply trailer at the Rock Creek Campus, subject to the following provisions:

No college funds will be required with the exception of an in-kind contribution of electricity and utilities.

PCC retains the right in its sole discretion to decline the use of its facilities as Mass Care Shelters.

Director Anderson moved to approve Resolutions 02-074 through 02-083 by consent agenda. It passed unanimously.