

EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

OF THE

STATE OF OREGON

Case No. UC-002-12

(AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATION)

ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONAL)	
ORGANIZATION OF LANE COUNTY)	
(formerly known as Administrative)	
Professional Organization of Lane County)	
Public Works),)	
)	ORDER AMENDING
Petitioner,)	CERTIFICATION OF
)	EXCLUSIVE BARGAINING
v.)	REPRESENTATIVE
)	
LANE COUNTY,)	
)	
Respondent.)	
)	

On February 1, 2012, the Administrative Professional Organization of Lane County Public Works¹ (Organization) filed a petition under OAR 115-025-0008 seeking to amend its certification to reflect a change of name to Administrative Professional Organization of Lane County. The Organization is currently the certified exclusive bargaining representative of a bargaining unit of personnel employed by Lane County (County). The recognition clause in the parties' collective bargaining agreement defines the bargaining unit to include all employees of the County indicated in Schedule A of the agreement, but excluding confidential or supervisory employees and persons so employed on June 30, 1987 who have not voluntarily joined the Organization.

¹The petition asks us to change the name of "Administrative Professional Organization of Lane County Public Works, Inc., a Nonprofit Corporation" to "Administrative Professional Organization of Lane County, Inc., a Nonprofit Corporation." This Board does not have the authority to change the title of a corporation. We consider this petition a request to change the name of the labor organization for purposes of collective bargaining.

The petition was accompanied by an "Affidavit of Amendment of Certification." The affidavit explains that the County has undertaken a reorganization. After the reorganization, some members of the Organization will be moved to departments other than the Public Works Department but will remain members of the Organization. This reorganization requires the Organization to change its name to assure all of the current bargaining unit members remain part of the Organization whether they are working within the County's Public Works Department or elsewhere in the County. The affidavit further requests the Organization's name be changed to "Administrative Professional Organization of Lane County." The amendment was approved at the Organization's January 31, 2012 executive meeting.

The Elections Coordinator served the petition on the County on February 2. No timely objections to the name change were filed.

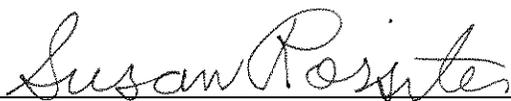
The petition presents no question of representation.

Based on the foregoing, the Board issues the following order:

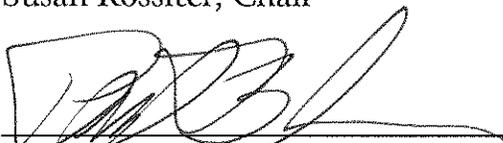
ORDER

The Administrative Professional Organization of Lane County Public Works certification is amended to reflect the change of name to Administrative Professional Organization of Lane County.

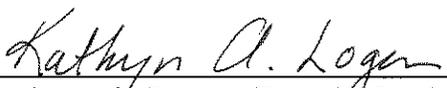
DATED this 6 day of March 2012.



Susan Rossiter, Chair



Paul B. Gamson, Board Member



Kathryn A. Logan, Board Member

This Order may be appealed pursuant to ORS 183.482.