



April 5, 2024

Re: Comprehensive Review — **013 Kroger-Albertsons**

Pursuant to Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) 415.501(7) and Oregon Administrative Rules (OAR) 409-070-0062, the Oregon Health Authority (OHA) has convened a Community Review Board (“Kroger CRB”) to review the pending 013 Kroger-Albertsons proposed transaction (the “transaction”) and provide recommendations to OHA. Under ORS 415.501(15), the Kroger CRB may hold up to two Public Hearings to engage the public and inform its recommendation to OHA.

Please be advised that the Kroger CRB will be holding a Public Hearing on the transaction on Wednesday, April 24, 2024, 1:00 - 3:00 PM (Pacific time), via Zoom. The Zoom link will be circulated in advance of the Public Hearing.

The Kroger CRB and OHA request the attendance of representatives from Kroger, Albertsons, and C&S to appear virtually at the Public Hearing and provide sworn testimony. Please provide the names of all individuals appearing on behalf of Kroger, Albertsons, and C&S on or before **April 9, 2024**.

If you would like to discuss the scope and content of the Public Hearing, please contact the Health Care Market Oversight team at hcmo.info@oha.oregon.gov.

Sincerely,

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