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AUDITOR

RESOLUTION NO. 2010-03

A RESOLUTION BY THE ORCAS ISLAND PARK AND RECREATION DISTRICT TO AUTHORIZE THE SAN JUAN COUNTY AUDITOR TO PLACE BEFORE THE VOTERS A PROPOSITION FOR A REGULAR PROPERTY TAX LEVY.

WHEREAS, during the November 3, 2009 general election, eligible voters of San Juan County approved the formation of the Orcas Island Park and Recreation District (OIPRD); and

WHEREAS, on December 8, 2009, the County Council for San Juan County, consistent with those election results, approved the formation, commissioners for, and boundaries of OIPRD pursuant to county Resolution No. 55-2009; and

WHEREAS, during the 2009 general election, the voters were not requested to approve a tax levy or other source of funding for OIPRD, and OIPRD has no other source of funding; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners for OIPRD desire to fund the district so that the district may fulfill its duties to provide programs, services, and other matters and functions related to parks management and recreational services and activities, as set forth in RCW 36.69.130; and

WHEREAS, OIPRD desires for voters to approve a property tax levy to fund OIPRD, as authorized by RCW 36.69.145.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners for the Orcas Island Park and Recreation District:

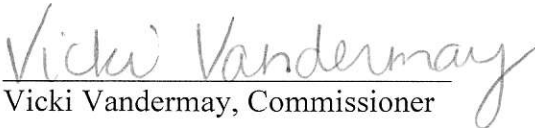
1. The Board of Commissioners authorizes and requests that the San Juan County Auditor place before the voters during the February 8, 2011 Special Election a proposition requesting approval of funding for the Orcas Island Park and Recreation District in the amount of 9 (nine) cents per \$1,000.00 (one thousand dollars) of assessed value of property in each year for six consecutive years following voter approval, pursuant to RCW 36.69.145;

2. The Commissioners approve the following language for the ballot title, subject to review and approval by the San Juan County Auditor and the Prosecuting Attorney:

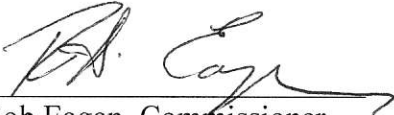
WILL THE ORCAS ISLAND PARK AND RECREATION DISTRICT BE AUTHORIZED TO IMPOSE REGULAR PROPERTY TAX LEVIES OF 0.9 CENTS PER THOUSAND DOLLARS OF ASSESSED VALUATION FOR EACH YEAR FOR SIX CONSECUTIVE YEARS?

ADOPTED this 17th day of December 2010.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS:



Vicki Vandermay, Commissioner

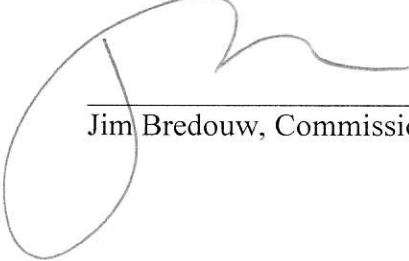


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COMMISSIONER FARISH BY E-MAIL


AS SECRETARY

at the time of the hearing, the Commission was not aware of the fact that the respondent had been previously disciplined by the Board of Education.

The Commission found that the respondent's conduct was in violation of the Code of Ethics, specifically the provisions relating to the acceptance of gifts and the use of public funds.

RECOMMENDATION

The Commission recommends that the respondent be reprimanded and that the Board of Education be notified of the findings.

Very truly yours,

Commissioner of Education

By: _____

[Signature]
Commissioner of Education

COMMERCIAL TRAVEL SERVICE

[Signature]

AS PRESIDENT

December 20, 2010

Milene Henley
San Juan County Auditor
350 Court St.
PO Box 638
Friday Harbor, WA 98250

Dear Ms. Henley,

Attached is the Resolution for a Regular Property Tax Levy to be placed on the February 2011 ballot to provide funding for the Orcas Island Park and Recreation District.

If appropriate we would like to suggest the Explanatory Statement include reference to purposes for the revenue. We understand the Prosecuting Attorney's office normally drafts Explanatory Statements and therefore provide the following as "suggested" language only.

Suggested Explanatory Statements:

- In accordance with the powers granted Park and Recreation Districts via RCW 36.69.130 the OIPRD Commissioners have specified the following purposes, among others, for the revenue.
- OIPRD funding will be partially used to administer and/or fund recreational programming similar to, but not limited to, the activities formerly provided through the organization known as "Orcas Rec".
- Revenue may also be used to secure joint or sole use, repair and/or maintenance of facilities judged to be necessary and appropriate for improving safety and/or enhancing or increasing recreational opportunities for Orcas Islanders.
- Levy measures for Park and Recreation Districts require a 60% majority in accordance with RCW 36.69.145

Thank you.

Board of Commissioners,
Orcas Island Park and Recreation District

Cc: Randy Gaylord, Prosecuting Attorney, San Juan County