

**OKANOGAN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'**

**RESOLUTION 71 - 2022**

*A resolution to temporarily transfer a grant-funded vehicle and trailer from the Okanogan County Jail to the Okanogan County Solid Waste Department for grant use*

**WHEREAS**, the Washington State Department of Ecology (WSDOE) awards an annual grant for highway litter control and that the Okanogan County Jail has been a past recipient of the annual award and has used a temporary employee and qualified inmate workers to perform grant specific tasks in performance of the grant; and

**WHEREAS**, the Okanogan County Jail did not pursue the WSDOE litter control grant for FY22 due to a lack of staffing and qualified inmate workers and therefore is no longer a grant recipient; and

**WHEREAS**, WSDOE gifted the Okanogan County Jail a 2006 Ford F350 passenger van, VIN: 1FBNE31L56HA46343, Asset #008557 and 2003 Micah cargo trailer, VIN: 1M9UT221031127000, Asset #008552, specifically for operations in the performance of WSDOE grant requirements; and

**WHEREAS**, the WSDOE grant funded all costs for the operation of the vehicle and trailer including fuel, maintenance, repairs, and supplies; and

**WHEREAS**, the Okanogan County Solid Waste Department applied for and was awarded funds for FY22 and plans to conduct litter control operations in performance of the grant; and

**WHEREAS**, the Okanogan County Jail intends to pursue the WSDOE litter control grant if/when staffing and inmate worker shortage is overcome; and

**WHEREAS**, the temporary transfer, retention and use of the WSDOE grant funded vehicle and trailer is advantageous to both the Okanogan County Jail and the Okanogan County Solid Waste Department; and

**WHEREAS**, the Okanogan County Solid Waste Department would be responsible for maintaining, repairing and keeping in good order, the van and trailer while in their use;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the 2006 Ford F350 passenger van, VIN: 1FBNE31L56HA46343, Asset #008557 and 2003 Micah cargo trailer, VIN: 1M9UT221031127000, Asset #008552, be temporarily transferred from the Okanogan County Jail to the Okanogan County Solid Waste Department for use in the performance of the Washington State Department of Ecology Highway Litter Control Grant.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that in coordination with the Okanogan County Solid Waste Department, the vehicle be transferred back to the Okanogan County Jail if and when the jail re-applies for and is awarded the local highway litter control grant funds.

**DATED** at Okanogan Washington this 23 day of May, 2022.



**ATTEST:**

*[Signature]*  
Lalena Johns, Clerk of the Board

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OKANOGAN, WASHINGTON**

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