

OKANOGAN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'

RESOLUTION 131 - 2021

Resolution allowing for use of paid administrative leave in Treasurer's Office

WHEREAS, on September 30th, October 1st and 4th, 2021, the Treasurer closed her office due to a COVID-19 outbreak within the office that left an inability to meet adequate staffing levels; and

WHEREAS, the Treasurer worked closely with Public Health Officials who ultimately determined through contact tracing, that it was more likely than not, spread to employees from public traffic in the office; and

WHEREAS, because Public Health deemed the exposures work related, Treasurer McCormack met with the Board of County Commissioners and requested the following:

- 1) Employees who were out of the office and positive due to COVID-19 shall file an allowable claim with the Department of Labor and Industries for the period surrounding this event.
- 2) Employee who were made to quarantine due to exposure, but did not test positive for COVID-19 shall be allowed the use of paid administrative leave for the quarantine period surrounding this event.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Okanogan County Commissioners that the requests from the Treasurer shall be granted as stated above.

DATED at Okanogan, Washington this 11th day of October, 2021.



ATTEST:



Laleña Johns, Clerk of the Board

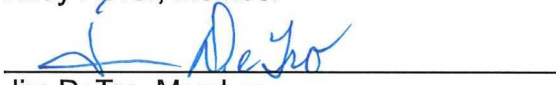
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