

**OKANOGAN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'**

**RESOLUTION 200 - 2022**

*A resolution stating 2023 levels of assessment for horticultural pests and disease control in Okanogan County*

**WHEREAS**, the Okanogan County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) approved resolution 138-2021 which adopted levels of assessment for horticultural pests and disease control within Okanogan County for collection in 2022; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Assessor requested the BOCC adopt annually, the levels of assessment for tree fruit orchard pests and disease control in Okanogan County;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Okanogan County Horticultural, Pest and Disease Control Assessment levy for 2023 shall be \$1.60 per parcel for all classified lands within Okanogan County including but not limited to: orchard lands, dry lands, range lands, irrigated lands, forestlands, and/or state and federal lands; and all other lands with a classification of "planted commercial orchard acres" shall be assessed at \$2.25 cents per acre, based on a 2023 estimated operating budget of \$144,900 as submitted by the Okanogan County Horticulture, Pest and Disease Control Board; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** this resolution shall not apply to Trust Indian Land under the control of the Bureau of Indian Affairs or the Colville Confederated Tribes, or to any other lands owned by the United States, or those lands subject to number 1 category Senior Citizen Exemptions in which case those lands shall be exempt from this resolution; and,

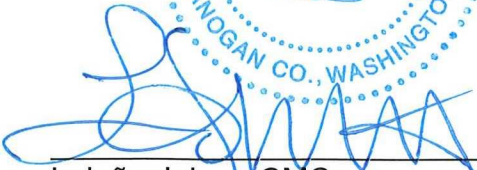
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this levy shall extend to all land within Okanogan County, both incorporated and un-incorporated; and

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED**, that the Okanogan County Assessor and the Okanogan County Treasurer are hereby directed to perform the necessary duties to comply with this resolution and RCW 15.09.135.

**DATED** at Okanogan, Washington this 20<sup>th</sup> day of December 2022.

**ATTEST:**



  
Laleña Johns, CMC  
Clerk of the Board

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OKANOGAN, WASHINGTON**

  
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