

OKANOGAN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'

RESOLUTION 88 - 2022

A resolution to adopt certain salaries within Okanogan County

WHEREAS, RCW 36.17.020 provides that the County Commissioners of each county are authorized to establish the salaries of the Elected Officials of the County; and

WHEREAS, RCW 36.40.205 allows for salary adjustments, by resolution, prior to the election for any county legislative authority office; and

WHEREAS, resolution 18-2020 set the Auditor, Assessor, Superior Court Clerk, Treasurer, Coroner, Commissioner District 1, Commissioner District 2 and Commissioner District 3 at 40% of the Superior Court Judges salary; and

WHEREAS, resolution 156-2017 set the County's share of the Prosecuting Attorney's salary at \$4,813.75 monthly or \$57,765 yearly and RCW 36.17.020(11) states "The state of Washington shall contribute an amount equal to one-half the salary of a Superior Court Judge towards the salary of the elected Prosecuting Attorney. Upon receipt of the state contribution, the county shall continue to contribute towards the salary of the elected Prosecuting Attorney in the amount that equals or exceeds that contributed by the county in 2008."; and

WHEREAS, resolution 114-2016A sets the Sheriff's salary and the Sheriff's office administrative staff salary; and

WHEREAS, resolution 48-2021 set the Elected Official's Chief Deputy's salaries at 85% of their elected official salary; and

WHEREAS, the Washington Citizens' Commission on Salaries for Elected Officials have set the Superior Court Judge's salaries at \$203,169 as of 7/1/2022.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Okanogan County Commissioners that the annual salaries beginning 01/01/2023 of Okanogan County elected officials and certain other positions shall be as follows:

<i>Position</i>	<i>1/1/2023</i>
Auditor, Assessor, SC Clerk, Treasurer, Coroner, Commissioner Districts 1 & 2 &3	\$81,268.00
Prosecuting Attorney	\$159,350.00
Chief Deputy Treasurer	\$69,078.00
Chief Deputy Auditor	\$69,078.00
Chief Deputy Clerk	\$69,078.00
Chief Deputy Assessor	\$69,078.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the salary of the Okanogan County Sheriff shall not fall below that of the Auditor, Assessor, Superior Court Clerk, Treasurer, County Commissioner and Coroner.

DATED at Okanogan, Washington this 21st day of June, 2022.



ATTEST:



Laleña Johns, CMC
Clerk of the Board

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OKANOGAN, WASHINGTON**



Andy Hoyer, Chairman



Chris Branch, Member

ABSENT

Jim DeTro, Member