

RESOLUTION NO. 946

A RESOLUTION establishing a Mason County Health Department.

WHEREAS, the Thurston-Mason Health District is dissolved effective January 1, 1979; and,

WHEREAS, RCW 70.46.090 requires that any county withdrawing from a combined health district shall immediately establish a health department or provide health services which shall meet the standards for health services promulgated by the state board of health; and,

WHEREAS, RCW Chapter 70.05 prescribes the organizational requirements for such a health department;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Mason County, State of Washington:

1. THAT effective January 1, 1979, there is constituted a Mason County Health Department the jurisdiction of which is coextensive with the boundaries of Mason County including all cities and towns, incorporated or nonincorporated, therein;
2. THAT the Board of County Commissioners constitutes the local Board of Health for Mason County;
3. THAT, at the first meeting of the Board of Health, the members shall elect a chairman for the period of one year, who may be any one of the three County Commissioners;
4. THAT, the powers and duties of the Board of Health shall be as enumerated in RCW 70.05.060;
5. THAT the Board of Health shall appoint a Mason County Health Officer who shall be an experienced physician licensed to practice medicine and surgery or osteopathy and surgery in this state and who is qualified or provisionally qualified as prescribed in RCW 75.05.050;
6. THAT the Health Officer shall serve pursuant to the terms of RCW 70.05.050;
7. THAT the powers and and duties of the Health Officer shall be as enumerated in RCW 70.05.070;
8. THAT, until and unless subsequently amended by the Board of Health, the rules and regulations of the Thurston-Mason Health District which were effective as of December 31, 1978 are incorporated herein by reference and constitute the

Mason County rules and regulations required by RCW 70.05.060(3), (ref. par. 4 above), with the understanding that "Thurston-Mason" shall be read as "Mason County" and "Health District" shall be read as "Health Department";

9. THAT Mason County Code, Title 6, SANITARY CODE, is superseded and/or amended to the extent that it is in conflict with the Mason County rules and regulations (par. 8 above);

10. THAT this resolution is an emergency measure which must be and will be effective as of January 1, 1979 as required by RCW 70.46.090.

REVIEWED this 11th day of December, 1978 and set for public hearing on the 18 day of December, 1978, at 11:15 o'clock.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

John Barickman  
Chairman

Alfred W. [unclear]  
Cmmr.

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Cmmr.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Byron E. McClanahan  
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Prosecuting Attorney  
Mason County

ATTEST:

Regan Cleveland  
CLERK OF THE BOARD

APPROVED AND ADOPTED into law this 18 day of December, 1978.

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