

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COLUMBIA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

RESOLUTION #2023-10

IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING AN AUDITOR FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Columbia County Board of Commissioners received notification of resignation effective January 17th, 2023, of the Columbia County Auditor; and

WHEREAS, the County Auditor ran as non-partisan and therefore the Board of Commissioners are responsible to appoint an Auditor based on qualifications; and

WHEREAS, per RCW 36.16.110, the county legislative authority in each county shall fill the vacancy by the appointment of some person qualified to hold such office, and the officers thus appointed shall hold office until the next general election, and until their successors are elected and qualified; and

WHEREAS, following sufficient advertising, the Board of Commissioners conducted an interview of one applicant and found the applicant to be qualified.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that Will Hutchens, is hereby appointed to the position of Columbia County Auditor, effective immediately, and to serve until the next general election and until a successor is elected and qualified as required by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Columbia County Board of Commissioners, State of Washington, this 15th day of March, 2023.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
COLUMBIA COUNTY, WASHINGTON**




Ryan R. Rundell, Chairman



Marty J. Hall, Commissioner



Jack G. Miller, Commissioner

Attest: 

Virginia Schmidt
Clerk of the Board