

**PUD NO 1 OF KITTITAS COUNTY**  
RESOLUTION No. 775  
A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
COMMISSIONER COMPENSATION


BACKGROUND: Compensation limits for public utility district commissioners are set in statute. RCW 54.12.080 provides that payment of per diem compensation for each commissioner may be at a rate not exceeding ninety dollars (\$90) per day, with per diem compensation for each commissioner not to exceed twelve thousand six hundred dollars (\$12,600) per year. Commissioners also receive a salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800) per month for districts with a gross revenue of over fifteen million in the preceding fiscal year or one thousand three hundred dollars (\$1,300) per month for districts with a gross revenue of from two million to fifteen million in the preceding fiscal year or six hundred dollars (\$600) per month for other districts. RCW 54.12.080 also provides for the Office of Financial Management to adjust the dollar thresholds for per diem compensation and salaries for inflation every five years, beginning July 1, 2008. The adjustment is to be based upon changes in the consumer price index for "wage earners and clerical workers, all items" compiled by the Bureau of Labor and Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor during that five year period. The new dollar threshold shall be transmitted to the Office of the Code Reviser for publication in the Washington State Register at least one month before the new threshold takes effect.


Over the five-year period from April 2008 to April 2013, the Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers for the Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton, WA area as reported by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, increased by 8.66 percent.


WHEREAS in accordance with the requirements set forth above, the District submits for publication the new dollar thresholds for per diem compensation and salaries. The new dollar threshold for per diem is one hundred and fourteen dollars (\$114) per day with a new annual per diem compensation limit of fifteen thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars (\$15,960). The new monthly salary is one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,650) per month for districts with gross revenue of from two million to fifteen million in the preceding fiscal year. The new dollar thresholds take effect July 1, 2013.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned, being all the members of the Board of Commissioners of Kittitas County PUD No.1, have executed this Resolution of the Board of Commissioners on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2013.

Attest:

  
Secretary, Shan Rowbotham

  
President, Paul Rogers

  
Vice President, Roger Sparks