

**RESOLUTION NO. H-3-2018**

A RESOLUTION appointing alternate local health officers for Thurston County for the year 2019.

WHEREAS, Dr. Rachel Wood, MD, MPH is currently appointed by the Board of Health of Thurston County (hereinafter Board) as the primary local health officer for Thurston County; and

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the Board that it is in the best interest of Thurston County to provide continuous health officer coverage in the absence or incapacity of the primary appointed local health officer; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with RCW 70.05.080, the Board desires to appoint alternate local health officers for the year 2019 to provide back-up coverage for the primary local health officer for Thurston County; and

WHEREAS, the alternate local health officers meet the statutory qualifications set out in chapter 70.05 RCW.

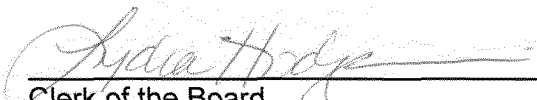
NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Health of Thurston County, State of Washington, does resolve as follows:

Section 1. An alternate health officer may be appointed who is qualified in accordance with the standards prescribed in RCW 70.05.051 through 70.05.055 to hold the office of local health officer in Washington State in the absence or incapacity of Dr. Rachel Wood or other primary local health officer appointed by the Board of Health for Thurston County.


Section 2. In the event of the absence or incapacity of the current health officer or acting health officer, the appointment of an alternate local health officer shall occur when said alternate is appointed to act in the capacity of the local health officer for Thurston County by the following individuals in the following order: (1) the primary local health officer for Thurston County; (2) the Director of Thurston County Public Health and Social Services Department; (3) the Chair of the Board of Health of Thurston County; or (4) the County Manager of Thurston County. The activation of the appointment of the alternate local health officer shall be for the length of the absence or incapacity of Dr. Rachel Wood or other primary local health officer.

Adopted: December 11, 2018


ATTEST:


  
Clerk of the Board

Approved As To Form:  
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