BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COUNTY OF KITTITAS STATE OF WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION

NO. 2013-<u>001</u>

TO AUTHORIZE ABATEMENT ACTION IN SUPERIOR COURT, TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS AND SET TIMETABLE FOR THOMPSON ABATEMENT

WHEREAS: KCC 18.05.030 provides for the Board of County Commissioners to approve

commencement of abatement actions in Superior Court, to appropriate funds for

such abatements, and to set timetables for such abatements; and

WHEREAS: Vern Thompson's property has been declared a public nuisance by the Hearings

Examiner and the Superior Court, he has been ordered to remove certain

vehicles and to pay a fine, and has refused to do so; and

WHEREAS: This is a matter of public health, safety, and welfare, and so it is in the public's

best interest that this public nuisance be abated; and

WHEREAS: Mr. Thompson has been given every opportunity to comply with County code, but

has refused.

Attest:

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners, in the best interest of the public, does hereby authorize the Prosecuting Attorney to commence an abatement action against Vern Thompson in Superior Court.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners shall appropriate the necessary funds to accomplish the task of abatement once the Superior Court has issued its Order of Abatement, and said abatement shall be completed no later than 90 days after the Superior Court's issuance of an Order of Abatement.

DATED this 3th day of January, 2013, at Ellensburg, Washington.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Obie O'Brien, Chair

Paul Jewell, Vice-Chair

Gary Berndt, Commissioner