

Orting Valley Fire and Rescue

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Resolution 2021-013

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF PIERCE COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 18. APPOINTING AN AGENT FOR RECEIPT OF CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES.

WHEREAS, RCW 4.96.020 requires Pierce County Fire District No. 18 dba Orting Valley Fire and Rescue (the "District") to appoint an agent to receive any claim for damages arising out of tortious conduct against the District and its officers, employees and volunteers, acting in such capacity.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of Pierce County Fire Protection District 18 as follows:

- 1. **Agent for Receipt of Claims.** The District hereby appoints Chief Gibson, Fire Chief of the District ("Agent") to receive any claims for damages made under Chapter 4.96 RCW against the District and its officers, employees and volunteers, acting in such capacity.
- 2. **Agent's Address.** The District's Agent may be reached during normal business hours of the District at the following address: 401 Washington Ave SE Orting, WA 98360
- 3. **Presentation of Claim.** Claims shall be presented to the Agent on the standard tort claim form that is maintained by the Risk Management Division of the Office of Financial Management as follows:
 - a. delivered in person to the Agent; or
 - b. received by the Agent by regular mail, registered mail, or certified mail, with return receipt requested, to the Agent or other person designated to accept delivery at the Agent's address.

Adopted this 9th day of November 2021.

Margaret O'Harra Buttz-Commission Chair

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