

JOINT RESOLUTION 08 780

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BENTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON:

IN THE MATTER OF SETTING THE SALARY FOR THE PROSECUTNG ATTORNEY IN BENTON COUNTY

WHEREAS, salaries for all Elected Officials, except Superior and District Court Judges, are fixed by the county legislative authority; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of Benton County Commissioners is that legislative authority for Benton County; and,

WHEREAS, under RCW 2.08.092, the annual salary of a Superior Court Judge is set by the Washington Citizen's Commission on Salaries for Elected Officials; and,

WHEREAS, SSB 6297, approved and signed by the Governor of the State of Washington in April 2008, states that effective July 1, 2008 the State must contribute to the salary of the County's elected Prosecuting Attorney an amount equal to one-half the salary of a Superior Court Judge; **NOW THEREFORE**


BE IT RESOLVED, the Prosecuting Attorney's salary is set at an amount equal to the Superior Court Judge's salary; and

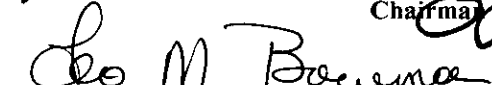
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the portion relating to the Prosecuting Attorney's salary outlined in Exhibit A, attached to Resolution 07 267, is superseded by this Resolution; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that starting July 1, 2008 and/or upon receipt of the State's contribution to the salary of the Benton County Prosecuting Attorney, the Board of Benton County Commissioners hereby approves that Benton County will pay an amount equal to the State's contribution.

Dated this 22 day of September, 2008


Chairman of the Board


Chairman Pro Tem


Member

Constituting the Board of County Commissioners of Benton County

Attest: 
Clerk of the Board