

RESOLUTION NO. 1723

**A Resolution of the Commissioners of Public Utility District No. 1 of Okanogan County
Establishing the District's Pole Attachment Rate**

WHEREAS, Public Utility Districts are authorized under RCW 54.04.045 to set rates charged to other entities for attachment of their wire, cable, or other communication equipment to poles owned by the District; and

WHEREAS, under RCW 54.04.045, pole attachment rates must be just, reasonable, nondiscriminatory and sufficient; and

WHEREAS, the current pole attachment rate of \$14.64 (\$7.32 for agreements with fewer than 50 attachments) has not been adjusted since August 8, 2000; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to periodically update pole attachment rates to ensure the District's calculation methodology aligns with State statute and reflects up-to-date information; and

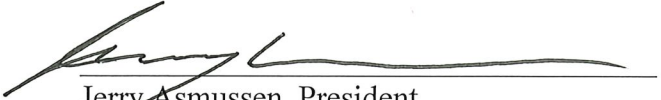
WHEREAS, based on a review of the District's 12-month financial information ending on December 31, 2019, and in compliance with the rate calculation methodology specified in RCW 54.04.045(3), the calculated rate per attachment is \$23.50; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution supersedes any previous pole attachment rate resolutions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of Public Utility District No. 1 of Okanogan County adopts the pole attachment rate of \$23.50 according to the rate calculation attached hereto as Exhibit A, to be effective January 1, 2021.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that staff is directed to re-evaluate and recommend an update to the District's pole attachment rate every three years.

DATED this 24th day of August 2020.


Jerry Asmussen, President

ATTEST:


Scott Vejraska, Secretary

Bill Colyar, Vice President

APPROVED:


Heidi E. Appel, General Counsel