



CLALLAM COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MINUTES of October 27, 2021

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION (BOE)

The Program Coordinator Chelsea Millar called the meeting to order at 9:12 a.m., Wednesday, October 27, 2021. Members present: Robert Filip, Gordon Gibbs, Joy Thomson, and Russ Mellon (Alternate). Non-members present: Assessor Pam Rushton and Rich Meier.

Introduction of the New Board of Equalization Alternate

Russ Mellon was introduced as the new Alternate position for the Board of Equalization.

Swearing in of the Board of Equalization for 2021 Assessment Year

All members took the Oath and will sign the Washington State Form *REV64* and will return the form to the BOE Program Coordinator

Election of a Board Chair

ACTION TAKEN: Gordon Gibbs made a motion to elect Joy Thomson as Chair, Robert Filip seconded; motion carried

Approval of Minutes

- Minutes February 24, 2021

ACTION TAKEN: Joy Thomson made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, Robert Filip seconded; motion carried

Review of Annual Department of Revenue Training

Gordon Gibbs provided an update on the Senior BOE Training that took place via Microsoft Teams in June of 2021.

Presentation of the Assessor's Certificate of Assessment Rolls to the County Board of Equalization by Assessor Rushton

Assessor Pam Rushton provided the Board with an update on the Assessment Rolls for the 2021-2022 year. Values have increased \$1.3 billion dollars since the 2020-2021 year. Assessor Rushton expects the BOE to have significantly more petitions this year than the previous year. For the 2021-2022 year the Assessor's Office inspected the east end of the county up to the Sequim city limits. For the 2022-2023 year, they will inspect the city of Sequim. Notice of Values are being mailed out at the end of the month or the first week in November.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, November 3, 2021 at 9 a.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting concluded at 10:15 a.m.