



Resolution No. R2009-42

A Resolution of the Pierce County Council and Executive Proclaiming a Partnership with the U.S. Census Bureau to Encourage the Full Support of the 2010 Census Count in Pierce County, Washington.

Whereas, an accurate census count is vital to our community and residents' well-being by helping planners determine where to locate schools, day-care centers, roads and public transportation, hospitals and other facilities, and to make decisions concerning business growth and housing needs; and

Whereas, more than \$300 billion per year in federal and state funding is allocated to states and communities based on census data; and

Whereas, census data ensures fair Congressional representation by determining how many seats each state will have in the U.S. House of Representatives as well as the redistricting of state legislatures, county and city councils, and voting districts; and

Whereas, the 2010 Census creates jobs that stimulate economic growth and increase employment opportunities in our community; and

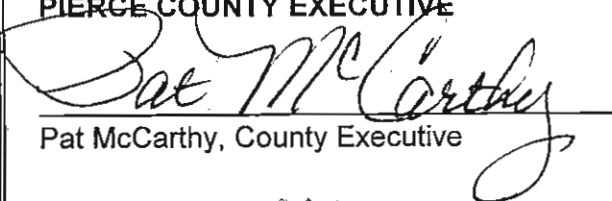
Whereas, the information collected by the census is protected by law and remains confidential for 72 years; **Now, Therefore**,

BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Council and Executive of Pierce County:

The Council and Executive hereby proclaim the support of the 2010 Census and encourage all citizens of Pierce County to place emphasis on the 2010 Census and participate in events and initiatives that will raise overall awareness of the 2010 Census and ensure a full and accurate census.

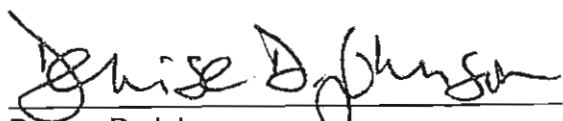
ADOPTED this 16th day of June, 2009.

PIERCE COUNTY EXECUTIVE


Pat McCarthy, County Executive

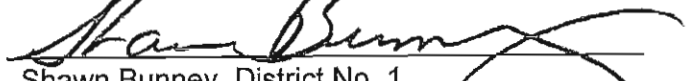


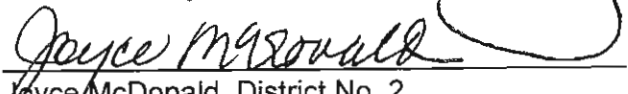
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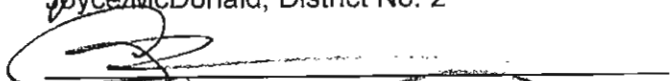

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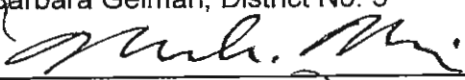

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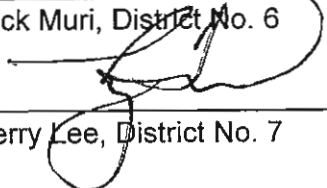

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