

**EVERETT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2
RESOLUTION NO. 1051
CERTIFICATION OF 2013 EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS
AND OPERATIONS LEVY**

WHEREAS, Everett School District No. 2, Snohomish County, Washington, is a first-class school district duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the Constitution and the laws of the state of Washington; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 84.52.053, the District may authorize a four-year excess levy for maintenance and operation support, when authorized to do so by a simple majority of the qualified electors of the district; and

WHEREAS, the maximum amount of the levy is limited by Chapter 392-139 of the WAC, but when the levy amount was provided to the voters it was only estimated, based on future numbers which were not available until later; and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI) provides a preliminary estimate of the maintenance and operations levy lid each spring to support budget development; and

WHEREAS, the district had the opportunity to review this estimated levy lid when producing the budget, and if the voter approved levy was greater than this estimated levy lid, then there is provision in the budget document to reduce the requested levy amount, recognizing that such a revised request was still based on estimated OSPI numbers which are subject to finalization; and

WHEREAS, in the fall of each year, after all of the numbers to determine the levy lid are available, OSPI calculates the official levy lids for local school district maintenance and operation tax levies; and

WHEREAS, the officially calculated maintenance and operations levy lid for Everett School District No. 2 is less than the \$47,000,000 levy that the voters approved but more than the amount of the \$42,906,756 levy established in the local district 2012-13 budget; and

WHEREAS the Board of Directors for Everett School District No. 2 have decided the amount of this levy needs to be made equal to the officially calculated levy lid amount;

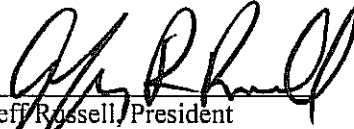
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors for the Everett School District No. 2 hereby re-establish the Educational Programs and Operations Levy for the district's General Fund to be collected in 2013 as \$42,926,992, which is the amount approved by the voters rolled back by \$4,073,008, but more than the amount established in the adopted 2012-13 budget by \$20,236.

Adopted by the Board of Directors of Everett School District No. 2, Snohomish County, Washington, at a regular meeting thereof, held on November 13, 2012.

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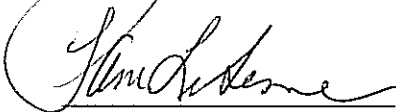
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A municipal corporation of the
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Attest:


Dr. Gary Cohn
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