

Resolution 2019-04

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING SPECIAL DEPUTY COUNTY ATTORNEYS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROSECUTING VIOLATIONS OF TITLE 30, CHAPTER 10, MONTANA CODE ANNOTATED

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR LINCOLN COUNTY, MONTANA FINDS:

- 1. The Office of the Montana State Auditor, Commissioner of Securities and Insurance is a criminal justice agency pursuant to Montana Code Annotated § 30-10-304(5) and is tasked with investigation and prosecution of violations of Title 30, Chapter 10 of the Montana Code Annotated;
- 2. The Office of the Montana State Auditor, Commissioner of Securities and Insurance has notified the Lincoln County Attorney of an investigation in Lincoln County relating to violations of Title 30, Chapter 10 of the Montana Code Annotated;
- 3. The Office of the Montana State Auditor, Commissioner of Securities and Insurance has determined that it is appropriate to file criminal charges relating to its investigation;
- 4. Due to the specific expertise required in the prosecution of violations of securities law, it is desired and deemed appropriate that Special Assistant Attorneys General from the Office of the Montana State Auditor, Commissioner of Securities and Insurance be appointed as special deputy county attorneys for the prosecution of the aforementioned case;
- 5. Montana Code Annotated §7-4-2707 authorizes the appointment of another attorney to perform criminal services for Lincoln County, and
- 6. Special Assistant Attorneys General from the Office of the Montana State Auditor, Commissioner of Securities and Insurance possess the specialized knowledge and specific expertise necessary to prosecute the aforementioned case.

THE BOARD RESOLVES:

1. That Brett Olin and Janell Williams, Special Assistant Attorneys General, are hereby appointed as special deputy county attorneys for Lincoln County for the purpose of prosecuting the aforementioned case.





2. That the special deputy county attorneys shall serve without payment of costs or fees by Lincoln County.

THE BOARD FURTHER RESOLVES:

- 1. If a provision of this resolution conflicts with a provision of a previously adopted resolution, this resolution will prevail.
- 2. This resolution and its various sections, clauses and paragraphs are severable. If any part, sentence, clause or phrase is adjudged to be unconstitutional or invalid, the remainder of the resolution will not be affected.
- 3. This resolution will be effective immediately upon adoption, in accordance with § 7-5-123, MCA.
- 4. This Board directs that this resolution be entered into the minutes and signed by the Chair of the Board in accordance with § 7-5-121, MCA.

END OF RESOLUTION

Approved as to Form:

Marcia Boris, County Attorney

Date presented to the Board 2-20-19 Approved () Disapproved () Amended () Adopted this 30th day of February, 2019.

LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Mark Peck, Chair

ATTEST:

Robin Benson, Clerk of the Board