

# RESOLUTION NO. 663-17

## A RESOLUTION OF THE PORT OF PORT TOWNSEND APPOINTMENT OF AGENT TO RECEIVE CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES (RCW 4.96.020)

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the provisions of RCW 4.96.020, the governing body of each local governmental entity shall appoint an agent to receive any claim for damages made under Chapter 4.96 RCW; and,

**WHEREAS**, the identity of the agent and the address where she may be reached during the normal business hours of the Port of Port Townsend are public records and shall be recorded with the Jefferson County Auditor; and,

**WHEREAS**, all claims for damages against a local governmental entity, or against any local governmental entity's officers, employees, or volunteers, acting in such capacity, shall be presented to the agent within the applicable period of limitations within which an action must be commenced; and,

**WHEREAS**, the failure of a local governmental entity to comply with the requirements of this section precludes that local governmental entity from raising a defense under Chapter 4.96 RCW.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED** that the Commission of the Port of Port Townsend appoints the below listed agent to receive any claims for damages made under Chapter 4.96 RCW.

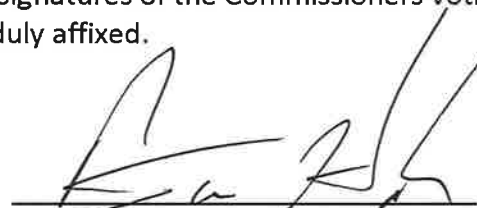
Agent Appointed: S. ABIGAIL BERG  
Office Address: Port of Port Townsend  
PO Box 1180  
2701 Jefferson Street  
Port Townsend, WA 98368  
Business Hours: Mon-Fri, 8:00 am – 4:30 pm

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, by the Commission of the Port of Port Townsend, the Auditor of the Port of Port Townsend record this document with the Jefferson County Auditor.

**ADOPTED** this 12<sup>th</sup> day of April 2017, by the Commission of the Port of Port Townsend and duly authenticated in open session by the signatures of the Commissioners voting in favor thereof and the Seal of the Commission duly affixed.

**ATTEST:**

  
Stephen R. Tucker, Secretary

  
Peter W. Hanke, President

  
Brad A. Clinefelter, Vice President

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
Pat O'Malley  
Port Attorney, Goodstein Law Group

