RESOLUTION NO. 15-05

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SPOKANE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT, SPOKANE COUNTY, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING A 2015 PROPERTY TAX LEVY INCREASE FOR COLLECTION IN 2016 AND PROVIDING FOR OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY RELATED THERETO.

SPOKANE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT Spokane, Washington

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SPOKANE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT, SPOKANE COUNTY, WASHINGTON, as follows:

WHEREAS, Spokane County Library District, Spokane County, Washington (the "District") is a rural county library district duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the Constitution and the laws of the State of Washington; and

WHEREAS, the District actual property tax levy amount from the previous year was \$10,716,986.70; and

WHEREAS, the population of the District is more than 10,000; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees (the "Board") gave proper notice of the public hearing held October 20, 2015, to consider the District's current expense budget for the 2016 fiscal year, pursuant to RCW 84.55.120; and

WHEREAS, the Board, after hearing, and after duly considering all relevant evidence and testimony presented, has determined the District requires an increase in property tax revenue from the previous year, in addition to the increase resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state-assessed property, in order to discharge the expected expenses and obligations of the District and in its best interest:

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY FOUND, DETERMINED AND ORDERED as follows:

Section 1: DETERMINATION OF PROPERTY TAX LEVY INCREASE

The Board hereby determines that an increase in the regular property tax levy is hereby authorized for the 2015 levy to be collected in 2016 in the amount of \$152,610.30, which is a percentage increase of one point four two four percent (1.424%) from the previous year.

This increase is exclusive of additional revenue resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property, newly constructed wind turbines, any increase in the value of state-assessed property, any annexations that have occurred and any refunds made.

Section 2: EFFECTIVE DATE

This resolution shall be effective immediately upon its adoption and approval.

ADOPTED by the Board of Trustees of Spokane County Library District, Spokane County, Washington, at a regular meeting thereof, held this 24th day of November, 2015.

SPOKANE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT

Spokane County, Washington

Mark Johnson, Chair Board of Trustees

ATTEST

Nancy Ledeboer

Secretary to the Board of Trustees

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CERTIFICATION

I, Nancy Ledeboer, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Spokane County Library District, Spokane County, Washington, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a full, true and correct copy of a resolution duly passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of Spokane County Library District, duly held at the District's Administrative Offices on November 24, 2015, of which meeting all members of such Board had due notice, and at which a majority thereof were present; and that at such meeting such resolution was adopted by the following vote:

AYES, and in favor thereof, Trustees: Mark Johnson, Sonja Carlson, John Craig, and Kristin Thompson.

NAYS, Trustees:

ABSENT, Trustees: Tim Hattenburg.

ABSTAIN, Trustees:

I further certify that I have carefully compared the same with the original resolution on file and of record in my office; that such resolution is a full, true and correct copy of the original resolution adopted at such meeting; and that such resolution has not been amended, modified, or rescinded since the date of its adoption, and is now in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand on this 24th day of November 2015.

SPOKANE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT Spokane County, Washington

Nancy Ledeboer, Secretary of the Board of

Trustees

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