

Ordinance No. 444

AN ORDINANCE amending Grays Harbor County Code Chapter 2.02 and Resolution 2009-06, authorizing a change to the Board of Commissioners' meeting and workshop schedules.

**WHEREAS**, Resolution 2009-06, as codified in Chapter 2.02 of the Grays Harbor County Code ("GHCC"), set forth specify the meeting time, place and certain procedures for meetings of the Grays Harbor County Board of Commissioners ("Board"); and

**WHEREAS**, GHCC 2.02.010 provides that regular Board meetings be held at 2:00 p.m. on Monday of each week, but that the Board may designate other times for meetings; and

**WHEREAS**, GHCC 2.02.050 provides that workshop meetings may be conducted each week on Friday at 9:00 a.m. or as otherwise designated by the Board; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board has determined that it would be advantageous to hold its regular public meetings twice per month, and to alternate those meetings with workshops in which the Board may spend additional time discussing upcoming and ongoing issues important to the community and the county, now therefore

Be it ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners as follows:

**Section 1.** Grays Harbor County Code Section 2.02.010 (Resolution 2009-06, § 1, 2-9-2009) is amended to read as follows:

Time for Meetings. The Board of Commissioners shall hold regularly scheduled meetings at 1:00 p.m. on ~~((Mondays of every week))~~ the first and third Tuesdays of each month, except holidays or as otherwise ordered by the Board. At each such meeting any business required or permitted by law may be transacted. Such meetings may be recessed or adjourned and special meetings called from time to time as deemed expedient or desirable to transact the business of Grays Harbor County.

**Section 2.** Grays Harbor County Code Section 2.02.050 (Resolution 2009-06, § 1, 2-9-2009) is amended to read as follows:

The board may conduct workshop meetings ~~((on Friday of each week at 9:00 a.m.))~~ on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 10:30 a.m., or as otherwise designated by the board pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act. No final action, as that term is defined in the Open Public Meetings Act, shall be taken at any workshop session meeting.

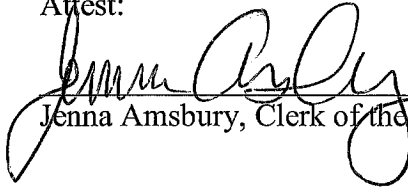
**Section 3.** Effective Date.

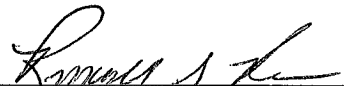
This ordinance shall take effect January 1, 2019.

**ADOPTED** in open session by the Board of County Commissioners this 18 day of December, 2018.

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY**

Attest:

  
Jenna Amsbury, Clerk of the Board

  
Rand Ross, Chair

  
Wes Cormier, Commissioner

Approved as to form:

  
Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

  
Vickie L. Raines, Commissioner