## FERRY COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 2006-38

## DEPUTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY FOR THE NORTHEAST WASHINGTON PILOT DRUG ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, Chapter 339, Laws of Washington 2006, Section 104, has created a Northeast Washington Pilot Drug Enforcement Program wherein one Deputy Prosecutor will be hired and designated primarily for drug prosecution in Stevens and Ferry Counties, commencing July 1, 2006;

WHEREAS, the State has authorized $75,000.00 for wage and benefits. Both Ferry and Stevens County have agreed to pay$81,351.00 for wage and benefits for the Deputy Prosecutor position for 2006. That salary will be increased by any applicable Colas beginning January 1, 2007;

WHEREAS, the unfunded amount (any amount over $75,000.00) will be paid at a two-thirds (2/3) rate by Stevens County and a one-third (1/3) rate by Ferry County. These figures may be rounded to the nearest dollar;

WHEREAS, the Stevens County Prosecuting Attorney shall be responsible for the salary and benefits, the unfunded salary and benefits as described above and other expenses of the designated Deputy Prosecutor;

WHEREAS, the Prosecuting Attorneys of Ferry County and Stevens County shall appoint a designated Deputy Prosecutor as a Special Deputy Prosecutor pursuant to RCW 36.27.040, as needed to review and prosecute referrals of violations of law under this program as well as other violations of law as needed;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Ferry County Commissioner's that a Deputy Prosecuting Attorney position for the Northeast Washington Pilot Drug Enforcement Program is authorized as described above.

ADOPTED this 27th day of November, 2006.

BOARD OF FERRY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

MIKE L. BLANKENSHIP, Chairman

RON L. BACON, Vice Chairman

BRAD L. MILLER, Member

ATTEST:

Joy Osterberg, Clerk of the Board

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