

**ORDINANCE NO. 3553**

**AN ORDINANCE ADDING ARTICLE 32 TO CHAPTER 3 OF PART I, AND AMENDING SECTIONS 1-03-1070 AND 1-03-1075 OF ARTICLE 2 OF CHAPTER 3 OF PART I, OF THE ORDINANCE CODE OF TULARE COUNTY, PERTAINING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A GENERAL SERVICES AGENCY.**

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THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF TULARE ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** ARTICLE 32 ("GENERAL SERVICES AGENCY") IS ADDED TO CHAPTER 3 ("COUNTY OFFICES AND DEPARTMENTS") OF PART I ("GOVERNMENT AND ADMINISTRATION") of the Ordinance Code of Tulare County, to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 32. GENERAL SERVICES AGENCY**

**1-03-2300 GENERAL SERVICES AGENCY:**

The General Services Agency is hereby established. The General Services Agency shall include the service divisions of County Museum; Custodial Services; Capital Projects; Facilities Services; Fleet Services; Grounds Services; Parks & Recreation; Print, Mail & Copy Services; Property Management; Purchasing; and Utilities, subject to the addition of other departments or service divisions, or deletion of departments or service divisions, as the Board of Supervisors may order by Resolution from time to time. All references in the Tulare County Ordinance Code, any other codified or uncoded County ordinance, or any other official County contracts, resolutions or other documents, to the Tulare County General Services Department, the Tulare County Purchasing Department, the Tulare County Parks and Recreation Department, or any of the above-listed service divisions, shall be deemed to refer to the Tulare County General Services Agency.

**1-03-2310 GENERAL SERVICES DIRECTOR:**

The General Services Director shall be appointed as the head of the General Services Agency pursuant to the procedure specified in 1-03-1020 of this Ordinance Code. All references in the Tulare County Ordinance Code, any other codified or uncoded County ordinance, or any other official County contracts, resolutions or other documents, to the General Services Director, Tulare County Purchasing Agent, the Tulare County Parks and Recreation Director, the Tulare County Parks Superintendent, or the director or its equivalent of any of the service divisions listed in section 1-03-2300, shall be deemed to refer to the General Services Director or such duly authorized and qualified division manager, or managers, as that Director shall appoint.

**Section 2.** SECTION 1-03-1070 ("RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AGENCY") of ARTICLE 2 ("RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AGENCY") OF CHAPTER 3 ("COUNTY OFFICES AND DEPARTMENTS") OF PART I ("GOVERNMENT AND ADMINISTRATION") of the Ordinance Code of Tulare County is amended to read as follows:

**1-03-1070 RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AGENCY:**

The Resource Management Agency is hereby established. All references in the Tulare County Ordinance Code, any other codified or uncoded County ordinance, or any other official County contracts, resolutions or other documents, to the Tulare County Planning and Development Department, or the Tulare County Public Works Department shall be deemed to refer to the Tulare County Resource Management Agency.

**Section 3.** SECTION 1-03-1075 ("RESOURCE MANAGEMENT DIRECTOR") of ARTICLE 2 ("RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AGENCY") OF CHAPTER 3 ("COUNTY OFFICES AND DEPARTMENTS") OF PART I ("GOVERNMENT AND ADMINISTRATION") of the Ordinance Code of Tulare County is amended to read as follows:

**1-03-1075 RESOURCE MANAGEMENT DIRECTOR:**

The Resource Management Director shall be appointed as head of the Resource Management Agency pursuant to the procedure specified in 1-03-1020 of this Ordinance Code. All references in the Tulare County Ordinance Code, any other codified or uncoded County ordinance, or any other official County contracts, resolutions or other documents, to the Tulare County Planning and Development Director (or Planning and Building Director or Planning Director), or the Tulare County Public Works Director shall be deemed to refer to the Resource Management Director or such duly authorized and qualified division manager, or managers, as that Director shall appoint.

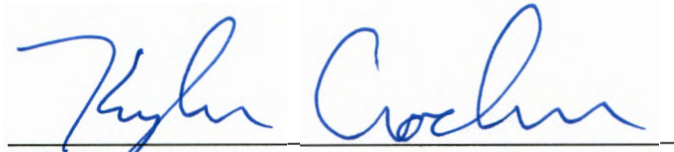
**Section 4. SEVERABILITY AND EFFECT:** The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The Board of Supervisors hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, or phrases be declared invalid.

**Section 5. PUBLICATION:** The foregoing ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days from the date of the passage hereof, and prior to the expiration of fifteen (15) days from the passage hereof [a summary] shall be published once in a newspaper printed and published in the County of Tulare, State of California, together with the names of the Board of Supervisors voting for and against the same.

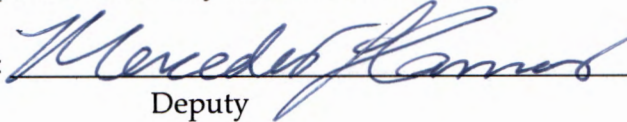
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**THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE** was passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare, State of California, on April 2, 2019 at a regular meeting of said Board duly and regularly convened on said day, by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisors Crocker, Vander Poel, Shuklian, Valero and Townsend  
NOES: None  
ABSENT: None

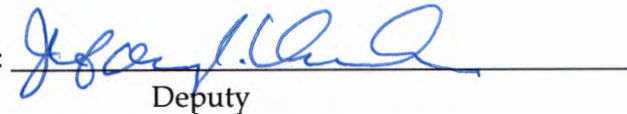
  
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Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: JASON T. BRITT, Clerk of the Board of  
Supervisors/County Administrative Officer

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Approved as to Legal Form:  
COUNTY COUNSEL

By:   
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Deputy

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