

COMMISSIONER'S ORDER

NUMBER 201702

STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Hilary S. Franz, Commissioner of Public Lands

ORDER OF DELEGATION AND DESIGNATION TRIBAL LIAISON

WHEREAS RCW 43.376.020 requires state agencies to designate a Tribal Liaison; and

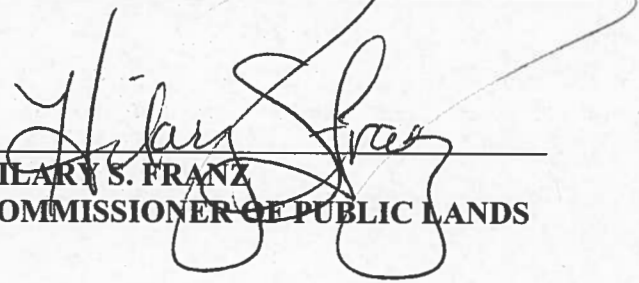
WHEREAS RCW 43.376.030 defines the Tribal Liaison's responsibilities as: assisting in developing and implementing policies that promote effective communication and collaboration between the Department and tribal governments, serving as a contact person with tribal governments, maintaining communication between the Department and affected tribal governments, and coordinating training of state agency employees in government-to-government relations;

NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby designate Joenne McGerr to serve as Tribal Liaison pursuant to RCW 43.376.020. The Tribal Liaison fulfills the responsibilities described in RCW 43.376.030 but does not independently develop substantive policies, negotiate operational outcomes, or commit the Department to take specific actions. This Order shall become effective as of January 13, 2017.

THIS ORDER OF DESIGNATION AND DELEGATION supersedes all such previous orders. Delegations granted in any prior Tribal Liaison Delegations are hereby rescinded.

Approved on this 13th day of January, 2017

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HILARY S. FRANZ
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS