GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 2020- 0 63

A RESOLUTION OF THE GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO APPLY FOR THE COVID-19 PHASE 3 VARIANCE

WHEREAS, on May 20, 2020, Grays Harbor County applied for a variance from Phase 1 to Phase 2 of the Phased Approach to Reopening Washington Plan, which was approved by the Washington State Department of Health on May, 22, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Health has since authorized Grays Harbor County to apply for a variance from Phase 2 to Phase 3 on or after June 12, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the requirements for applying for the variance to Phase 3 include (1) letters submitted by area hospitals certifying they have adequate bed capacity to serve their community and adequate PPE supplies to keep their workers safe; (2) submission of metrics identifying (a) COVID-19 activity for the prior two weeks; (b) healthcare system readiness; (c) testing capacity and targets; (d) case and contact investigation targets; and (e) targets for protecting high-risk populations; and (3) submission of a signed recommendation from the local public health officer to the local board of health; and

WHEREAS, the Grays Harbor County Board of Health has approved a resolution to move forward with a variance request,

NOW THEREFORE, **BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Grays Harbor County Board of Commissioners Grays Harbor County shall hereby make application for the COVID-19 Phase 3 variance.

ADOPTED this 12th day of use, 2020.

GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board

Approved as to Form:

Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

Wes Cormier, Commissioner

Vickie L. Raines, Chair

Randy Ross, Commissioner