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TO: THE AUDITOR OF SKAMANIA COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Please take notice that the undersigned resident electors of Skamania County, Washington, who are also subscribers to services of Skamania County Public Utility District, do intend to circulate and re-present to you a petition for recall from office of all of the Commissioners of Skamania County District, they being ROLF E. JEMTEGAARD, PARKER L. KNIGHT, and CARL L. NIELSEN.

This, then, is our petition submitted pursuant to R.C.W. 2982.010, et sequa, and you are requested to process it as provided by law to the end that we receive an approved form of petition for circulation at the earliest possible date.

The grounds for recall of subject Commissioners are that each and all of them have been guilty of misfeasance in office for failure to perform their duties in a reasonable and prudent manner and in particular (but not exclusively) that they have failed to perform their duties in the following respects:

1. That they failed to adequately investigate the financial consequences of executing agreements with Washington Public Power Supply System and incurred unnecessarily burdensome obligations for payment by their rate holders through contracts with said Supply System;
2. That they failed to adequately investigate and inform the public concerning costs and consequences of entering into research and planning contracts before entering into contracts relating thereto;
3. That they have failed to adequately investigate, evaluate and inform the public concern

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ing contracts for professional services that they have entered into and have failed to terminate when they knew or should have known that they were paying more in direct and indirect costs and fees than they needed to pay and that they have failed to avoid contracts in which the service provider could escape responsibility for conflicts of interest;

4. That they have failed to act on long standing needs of subscribers for both electrical and water services despite having expended substantial sums for engineering and other services and thereafter failed to take action on their own findings and promises to the subscribers;

5. For permitting badly needed customer needs to be unmet while permitting District employees to expend their time and use District vehicles and funds in support of projects not directly concerned with serving customers.

DONE this 23rd day of April, 1982.

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