

# RESOLUTION

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BENTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON:  
IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING AND AUTHORIZING THE BENTON COUNTY  
TREASURER DUANE DAVIDSON AS THE CHARTER CHAIRMAN TO THE BENTON  
COUNTY HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COOPERATIVE (BCHPC)**

**WHEREAS**, the Washington State Legislature passed House Bill 1386, which increased the local document recording fee from \$2 to \$5;

**WHEREAS**, RCW 36.22.170 states one dollar of the fee is placed in the Benton County Historical Preservation Fund 0157-101 to be used by the County Commissioners for promotion of historical preservation and/or programs in the County and may include the preservation of historic documents;

**WHEREAS**, the Hanford Reach Interpretive (The Reach); the East Benton County Historical Society; the White Bluffs Center for Quilting & Fiber Arts; the Columbia River Exhibition of History, Science, and Technology (CREHST); and the Benton County Historical Museum have collectively formed the Benton County Historical Preservation Cooperative (BCHPC) in the interest of recommending members for an advisory committee;


**WHEREAS**, the advisory committee will recommend historical preservation and/or programs in the County not limited to the above mentioned Cooperative;

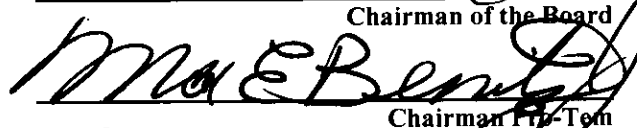
**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the citizens and the County to appoint the Benton County Treasurer, Duane Davidson, as the charter Chairman;

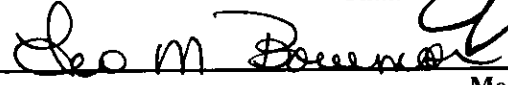
**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the citizens and the County to authorize the Benton County Treasurer, Duane Davidson, as the charter Chairman to facilitate the Benton County Historical Preservation Cooperative; **NOW THEREFORE**,

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Benton County Commissioners hereby appoints and authorizes the Benton County Treasurer, Duane Davidson, as the charter Chairman, to facilitate the Benton County Historical Preservation Cooperative.

Dated this 3 day of November, 2008.

  
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Chairman of the Board

  
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Chairman Prop-Tem

  
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Member

Attest:   
Clerk of the Board

Constituting the Board of County  
Commissioners of Benton County,  
Washington