

Resolution 2016-99
Designation of Title VI Compliance Officer
(Supersedes Resolution 2014-32)

WHEREAS the Congress of the United States has passed Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d *et seq.* (Title VI), which provides that no person shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance; and,

WHEREAS, Kootenai County, as a recipient of federal and state funding, is required to comply with Title VI; and,

WHEREAS, Kootenai County is committed to compliance with Title VI; and,

WHEREAS, since the adoption of Resolution 2014-32 on April 14, 2014, federal and state grant requirements have expanded reporting requirements to include the following protected classes: race, color, national origin (including limited English proficiency), sex, age, disability, religion, or familial status; and,

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Kootenai County Commissioners to appoint a responsible employee to act as the Title VI Compliance Officer for the County, to oversee the affairs of the County and ensure that all County programs, policies, procedures, and facilities are accessible to, and useable by, all persons in a manner which does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, or national origin, and are in compliance with the provisions of Title VI;

WHEREAS, said Compliance Officer shall ensure that proper reporting, data collection, and evaluation of County programs with regard to allegations and findings of discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin (including limited English proficiency), sex, age, disability, religion, or familial status occur;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that Resolution 2014-32 is hereby superseded and the Board of County Commissioners of Kootenai County does appoint Jody Bieze as the Title VI Compliance Officer for Kootenai County, in accordance with the requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and any applicable federal and state grant discrimination reporting, data collection, and evaluation requirements.

Upon a motion to adopt the text of the foregoing Resolution made by Commissioner Eberlein, seconded by Commissioner Green, the following vote was recorded:

Commissioner Stewart:	Excused
Commissioner Eberlein:	Aye
Chairman Green:	Aye

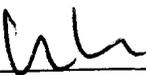
Upon said roll call, the text of the foregoing was duly enacted as a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of Kootenai County, Idaho on the 7th day of September, 2016.

Dated this 7th day of September, 2016.

KOOTENAI COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



Daniel H. Green, Chairman



Marc Eberlein, Commissioner



David Stewart, Commissioner

ATTEST
JIM BRANNON, CLERK

By: 
Deputy Clerk

