

RESOLUTION NO. 28 - 2021

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING FERGUS COUNTY'S INTENT TO VOTE BY WRITTEN VOTE IF ZOOM TECHNOLOGY FAILS DURING THE NOVEMBER 3, 2021, MEETING TO FILL THE SENATE DISTRICT 15 LEGISLATIVE VACANCY

WHEREAS, Montana Senate District 15's legislative seat became vacant upon Ryan Osmundsan's appointment to the Governor's cabinet; and

WHEREAS, Montana Code Annotated § 5-2-402 establishes that legislative vacancies shall be filled by appointment by the boards of county commissioners of the counties comprising the legislative district; and

WHEREAS, Senate District 15 is comprised of six counties, including Fergus County; and

WHEREAS, Judith Basin County has called a meeting on November 3, 2021, to fill the Senate District 15 vacancy; and

WHEREAS, Judith Basin County has authorized commissioners from Senate District 15's six counties to attend the meeting via Zoom; and

WHEREAS, Fergus County Commissioners Sandy Youngbauer and Ross Butcher intend to attend via Zoom; and

WHEREAS, Judith Basin County has experienced Zoom interruptions; and

WHEREAS, Fergus County operates pursuant to a charter form of government;

WHEREAS, on October 29, 2021, at a public meeting of the Fergus Board of Commissioners, each commissioner stated his or her vote;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that, should Zoom interruptions occur during the meeting, the following written vote shall be submitted for Fergus County:

Sandy Youngbauer: Dan Bartel

Ross Butcher: Dan Bartel

Carl Seilstad: Dan Bartel

PASSED AND APPROVED this 29 day of October 2021.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS:

Sandy Youngbauer

SANDY YOUNGBAUER

Carl Seilstad

CARL SEILSTAD

Ross Butcher

ROSS BUTCHER

ATTEST:

Janel Tucek
JANEL TUCEK
Clerk & Recorder

