

TRANSMITTAL OF RULES ADOPTED

FROM: County Road Administration Board
(Name of Agency)

TO: CODE REVISER
LEGISLATIVE BLDG (Southwest Corner, Ground Floor)
Olympia 98501

The enclosed Permanent rules , being order No. 13
Emergency rules
relating to (Name of rules or description of subject matter)

Amending the Standard of Good Practice regarding vacancy in the position of county road engineer. in order to bring WAC 136-12 into conformity with Section 6, Chapter 182, Laws of 1969 extraordinary session permitting part time county engineer in eighth and ninth class counties.

(ALTERNATIVE A. Use only for adoption of permanent rules)

pursuant to Notice No. 2449 ^① filed with the code reviser on 11/5/69 ^② were regularly adopted as permanent rules of this agency at Olympia, Washington on 12/10/69 and are herewith filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW. The effective date of such rules shall be 12/10/69 ^③

(ALTERNATIVE B. Use only for adoption of emergency rules)

pursuant to its finding that the immediate adoption of these rules is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare and that observance of the requirements of notice and opportunity to present views on the proposed action would be contrary to the public interest, were regularly adopted as emergency rules of this agency at _____ on _____ and are herewith filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW.

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19 .

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COUNTY ROAD ADMINISTRATION BOARD
(AGENCY)
[Signature]
By _____
Administrative Engineer
Title _____

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② STAMPED DATE AS APPEARS ON THE COPY OF NOTICE RETURNED TO YOU BY REVISER'S OFFICE (IF PROCEEDINGS WERE CONTINUED, USE DATE OF LAST NOTICE)
③ UNLESS A LATER DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THIS ORDER OR IS PRESCRIBED IN ANOTHER STATUTE, RULES ARE EFFECTIVE 30 DAYS AFTER FILING:
34.04.040. LEAVE THIS SPACE BLANK EXCEPT IN SUCH SPECIAL CASES.

COUNTY ROAD ADMINISTRATION BOARD

REGULATION NO. 13

REGULATION OF THE COUNTY ROAD ADMINISTRATION BOARD
ESTABLISHING A STANDARD OF GOOD PRACTICE REGARDING VACANCY
IN THE POSITION OF COUNTY ROAD ENGINEER (WAC 136-12).

WHEREAS, Chapter 120, Laws of 1965, First Extraordinary Session,
created the County Road Administration Board to formulate and adopt
uniform and general practices relating to the administration of county roads
for the several counties of the state, and

WHEREAS, the Board deems it necessary to amend WAC-136-12
pursuant to Section 6, Chapter 182, Laws of 1969, First Extraordinary
Session, now, therefore,


BE IT ESTABLISHED BY THE COUNTY ROAD ADMINISTRATION
BOARD:

Section 1. The standards of good practice regarding vacancy in the
position of county road engineer designated as WAC 136-12, attached
hereto, be and the same is hereby adopted as a standard of good practice
for the several counties of the state of Washington.

Section 2. The standard as adopted hereby shall become effective
immediately and shall be adhered to by all counties in the state.

Established and adopted by the Board this tenth day of December, 1969
at a hearing held pursuant to notice given as required by law.

/ss/


Chairman

Chapter 12

Section 12 of Order No. 2045 dated April 25, 1968 (codified) is amended to read as follows:

AMD WAC 136-12-010 PURPOSE. The laws of the state of Washington make detailed provision in RCW 36.80, for the employment of a county road engineer in each county. This chapter specifies that he shall be employed full time; provided, that in eighth and ninth class counties he may be employed on a part-time basis and may be the county engineer of another county; that he shall be a registered and licensed professional civil engineer under the laws of this state; that he shall have supervision, under the direction of the board, of all activities related to the county roads of the county, including maintenance; that he shall certify to the board all bills with respect to county roads; that he shall keep complete public records of all road department activities; that he shall prepare plans and specifications for all construction work on the county road system. Since it is unavoidable that vacancies will occur from time to time in the position of county road engineer, the following policy has been formulated to cover an interim period.

NEW WAC 136-12-040 COUNTY ENGINEER IN EIGHTH AND NINTH CLASS COUNTIES: (1) When the board of county commissioners of an eighth or ninth class county chooses to employ a county engineer on a part-time basis the terms of such employment shall be set forth in a contract adopted by resolution of the board. Such contract shall specify, but need not be limited to: statement of legal responsibility, salary or wage arrangements, meetings with the Board, travel expenses, relationship with regular employees. A copy of such resolution and contract shall be forwarded to the offices of the County Road Administration Board. (2) When the board chooses to contract with another county for services such contract shall be approved by resolution of both boards. Such contract shall specify, but need not be limited to: statement of legal responsibility, salary or wage arrangements, meetings with the board, travel expenses, relationship with regular employees. A copy of the contract and both resolutions shall be forwarded to the offices of the County Road Administration Board. No board of county commissioners shall contract directly with a county engineer employed by another board.

NEW WAC 136-12-050 ASSISTANT COUNTY ENGINEER IN EIGHTH AND NINTH CLASS COUNTIES. When a board of county commissioners of an eighth or ninth class county chooses to employ a licensed engineer on a part-time basis or contract with another county for the services of its licensed engineer, it shall designate by resolution a full time employee as assistant county engineer.

In such cases, the assistant county engineer shall perform the day to day supervision of the road department under the county engineer in accordance with policies established by the board.