BEFORE THE BOARD OF HEALTH SPOKANE REGIONAL HEALTH DISTRICT

RESOLUTION NO. 19-02

RE: LOCAL ADOPTION OF (1) REVISED STATE REGULATIONS REGARDING SOLID WASTE HANDLING STANDARDS; (2) CRITERIA FOR MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE LANDFILLS; AND (3) MINIMUM FUNCTIONAL STANDARDS FOR SOLID WASTE HANDLING.

WHEREAS, the Washington State Department of Ecology has revised the solid waste handling standards, chapter 173-350 WAC *Solid Waste Handling Standards*, effective September 1, 2018; and

WHEREAS, WAC 173-350-700(2) requires each jurisdictional health department to adopt a local ordinance implementing the amended rules regarding solid waste handling standards within one year after the effective date; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Health conducted a public hearing on April 25, 2019 to hear testimony on the local adoption of the revised state regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Health of Spokane Regional Health District now desires to adopt the Department of Ecology's revised solid waste handling standards to protect public health and safety within Spokane County; and

WHEREAS, the Washington State Department of Ecology has also promulgated regulations regarding criteria for municipal solid waste landfills and minimum functional standards for solid waste handling codified in 173-351 WAC and 173-304 WAC; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Health conducted a public hearing on April 25, 2019 to hear testimony on the local adoption of Chapters 173-351 and 173-304 of the Washington Administrative Code; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Health of Spokane Regional Health District now desires to adopt the Department of Ecology's criteria for municipal solid waste landfills and minimum functional standards for solid waste handling to protect public health and safety within Spokane County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT: The Board of Health for Spokane Regional Health District adopts the following:

- 1. Chapter 173-350 of the Washington Administrative Code, as revised, regarding solid waste handling standards; and
- 2. Chapter 173-351 of the Washington Administrative Code regarding criteria for municipal solid waste landfills; and
- 3. Chapter 173-304 of the Washington Administrative Code regarding minimum functional standards for solid waste handling.

This resolution supersedes Resolution 04-01 and is effective June 1, 2019.

Approved this 25th day of April, 2019 in Spokane, Washington.

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