

SILVER LAKE WATER DISTRICT  
SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
RESOLUTION NO. 572

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE SILVER LAKE WATER DISTRICT, SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WASHINGTON, PROVIDING FOR PAYMENT OF HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUMS FOR EMPLOYEES AND COMMISSIONERS OF THE DISTRICT AND PARTICIPATION IN A QUALIFIED VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEE BENEFIT ASSOCIATION

WHEREAS, health care plans and coverage provided by the District to District employees is an increasingly important employee retention and recruiting tool; and

WHEREAS, health care insurance costs continue to increase by increased premiums and increased deductibles and co-pay amounts and the Commissioners desire to address those costs in a financially prudent manner; and

WHEREAS, a survey of neighboring special purpose districts has found such district's providing coverage amounts similar to the District coverage set forth below; and

WHEREAS, Continued District membership in a qualified Voluntary Employee Benefit Association will provide adequate health care coverage for District employees, employee families and Commissioners.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Silver Lake Water District, Snohomish County, Washington as follows:

1. State law authorizes the District to provide for all or a part of hospitalization and medical insurance costs for its employees and Commissioners and their dependents. Not less than two plans or policies for such insurance coverage are to be provided by the District to its employees. Each employee shall have a choice of the authorized plans or policies.
2. The District policy shall be to allow each Commissioner to choose any hospitalization and medical insurance plan.

The District shall pay directly to the health care provider selected by any employee or Commissioner or to MSA VEBA, a qualified Voluntary Employee Benefit Association, for health care expenses of each employee or Commissioner or to both the health

care provider and to MeD-VE-A a total of \$1000.00 for the month of April 2004 and every month thereafter for such hospitalization and medical insurance plan and for the MSA VEBA trust. Should the cost of such health care plan or policy exceed the maximum paid by the District the employee or Commissioner must cover the excess cost through personal funds to obtain the insurance coverage selected by said employee or Commissioner. No employee or Commissioner may pay personal funds to the MSA VEBA trust.

4. Any and all resolutions or portions thereof in conflict with this resolution are hereby repealed in their entirety.

5. Should any part or provision of this resolution be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the resolution as a whole, or any part thereof other than the part declared to be invalid.

ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners at a regular meeting of the Silver Lake Water District, Snohomish County, Washington this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 2004.

  
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President and Commissioner

  
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Secretary and Commissioner

  
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Commissioner

I CERTIFY the above to be a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 572 adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the Silver Lake Water District this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 2004 as said Resolution appears in the records of the Silver Lake Water District.

  
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Secretary of the Silver Lake Water District