

Key Peninsula Metropolitan Park District  
Dba Key Pen Parks



**Resolution No R 2019-13**  
RCW 84.55.120

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS OF THE KEY PENINSULA METROPOLITAN PARK DISTRICT ADOPTING THE REGULAR PROPERTY TAX LEVY FOR COLLECTION IN CALENDAR YEAR 2020**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Park Commissioners of the Key Peninsula Metropolitan Park District ("Key Pen Parks") has met and conducted public hearings on October 14, and November 12, 2019 to consider all relevant evidence and testimony regarding regular property taxes to be levied in 2019 for collection in 2020; and,

**WHEREAS**, Key Pen Parks' actual levy amount from the previous year (2019) was \$1,377,516.49; and,

**WHEREAS**, the population of the District is more than 10,000; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Park Commissioners has determined that due to the statutory maximum levy rate limit and the expected demand for new recreation services such as acquisition of new parks and open space, development of recreation facilities and programs desired by local residents as identified in Key Pen Parks' Park System Comprehensive Plan;


**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Park Commissioners of Key Pen Parks that an increase in the regular property tax levy is hereby authorized for the levy to be collected in the 2020 tax year. The dollar amount of the increase over the actual levy amount from the previous year shall be \$8,497.11 which is a percentage increase of 0.62% from the previous year. This increase is exclusive of additional revenue resulting from new construction, improvements to property, newly constructed wind turbines, any increase in the value of state assessed property, any annexations that have occurred, and refunds made.

**RESOLVED** by the Board of Park Commissioners that Key Pen Parks protects future levy capacity available in future years pursuant to RCW 84.55.092 and as otherwise permitted by law. Further the Board of Park Commissioners has determined that the Executive Director shall have authority to modify the highest lawful levy amount in this resolution if necessary, to match new figures to be supplied by the Pierce County Assessor in December 2019 by his or her sole signature.


**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Park Commissioners for Key Pen Parks at a regular meeting held at Volunteer Park this 12<sup>th</sup> day of November 2019.


Attest:

Key Peninsula Metropolitan Park District  
Board of Park Commissioners  
Pierce County, Washington

  
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Mark Michel, President

  
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Edward Robison, Vice President

  
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Kip Clinton, Clerk

  
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John Kelly, Member-at-Large

  
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Shawn Jensen, Member-at-Large