

VALLEY COMMUNICATIONS CENTER

RESOLUTION NO. 142

A RESOLUTION of the Valley Communications Center Administration Board relating to the compliance with the Public Records Act, specifically adopting Public Records Act rules, issuing a formal order that maintaining an index would be unduly burdensome.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, Valley Communications Center (Valley Com 911) is a local agency subject to the Public Records Act; and

WHEREAS, RCW 42.56.070(3) requires an agency to maintain an index of records unless, as allowed under subsection (4), the local agency determines that it would be unduly burdensome to do so and, in that event, it must issue and publish a formal order specifying why it would be unduly burdensome; and

WHEREAS, The index required by RCW 42.56.070 would be unduly burdensome on Valley Com 911 for the following reasons:

1. Maintaining a comprehensive index of records would present significant burdens for Valley Com 911, particularly due to limited financial, technical, and staffing resources.
2. Valley Com 911 dispatches for twenty-two (22) public safety agencies. The agencies maintain separate databases and/or records management systems for the indexes of records and information. Because the records are diverse, complex and stored in multiple locations in multiple systems, it is unduly burdensome to maintain a central index of these records.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ADMINISTRATION BOARD OF VALLEY COMMUNICATIONS CENTER:

Section 1. Recitals Incorporated. The foregoing Recitals represent the findings of Valley Com 911's Administration Board and are incorporated into and made part of this Resolution.

Section 2. Effective Date. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

Passed at a regular meeting of the Valley Communications Center Administrative Board on this 5th day of December, 2025.

CONCURRED by the Chairperson of the Valley Communications Center Administrative Board on this 5th day of December, 2025.



Armando Pavone, Chairperson

Administration Board

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