



**WHATCOM COUNTY**  
**EXECUTIVE ORDER 2001-02**

**AMENDMENT TO THE 2001 UNIFIED FEE SCHEDULE**

**WHEREAS**, the 2001 Unified Fee Schedule had listed comprehensive fees for the Superior Court; and

**WHEREAS**, the Superior Court desires to establish a new fee pursuant to RCW 36.18.016(10) as follows:

Fee for faulty documents with the Clerk of the Superior Court. The Clerk of the Superior Court is hereby authorized to assess a fee to anyone who files a document that must be returned because of errors or lack of completeness that therefore requires extra handling.

The fee for a document which must be returned because of errors or lack of completeness in the document shall be fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for each document returned to cover all costs of the extra handling required.

**WHEREAS**, the Superior Court requests the approval of this new fee to be added to the Unified Fee Schedule to cover the cost of returning faulty documents; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Executive is authorized by County Ordinance No. 97-059 to make modifications to the Unified Fee Schedule by Executive Order;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWER VESTED IN ME BY THE HOME RULE CHARTER FOR WHATCOM COUNTY**, I hereby order, effective June 1, 2001, that a fee for faulty or incomplete documents be established and that the 2001 Unified Fee Schedule shall be amended to include a Faulty Filing Fee in the amount of \$15.00. This addition shall be inserted on page 22 of the Unified Fee Schedule.

Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2001.

  
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Pete Kremen, Whatcom County Executive