



REPRESENTATION PETITION

Is this an amended petition? Yes No If yes, enter the case number: _____

PARTIES Include information for all parties involved.

EMPLOYER Cowlitz County

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CURRENT BARGAINING REPRESENTATIVE

If one exists None

Contact _____

Title _____

Address _____

City, State, ZIP _____

Telephone _____ Ext. _____

Email _____

TYPE OF REQUEST Select ONE of the following.

- RECOGNITION** to be certified as the representative of employees currently unrepresented.
- INCLUSION OF UNREPRESENTED EMPLOYEES** to have a group of employees added to an existing bargaining unit as described in WAC 391-25-440.
- CHANGE OF REPRESENTATIVE** to be certified as the representative of employees currently represented by another organization.
- DECERTIFICATION** to no longer be represented by the current organization.
- EMPLOYER PETITION** a determination by the commission according to WAC 391-25-090.

BARGAINING UNIT

Department or Division Office of Public Defense

Number of Employees in Bargaining Unit 14

Describe the existing or proposed bargaining unit:

Public Defenders

Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA):
If one exists, the bargaining unit's most recent collective bargaining agreement must be filed with this petition.

CBA Expiration Date _____

SHOWING OF INTEREST The showing of interest cards are confidential and are filed ONLY with PERC.

The petition must be filed with a showing of interest indicating support of at least 30 percent of the employees in the bargaining unit. Showing of interest cards may be submitted electronically, provided the copy is legible.

AUTHORIZED CONTACT FOR PETITIONER

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Signature David Ballew Date 9-16-2021

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION
STATE OF WASHINGTON**

TEAMSTERS LOCAL 58

Petitioner/Complainant/Filing Party

v.

COWLITZ COUNTY

Respondent/Responding Party

Case Number

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I served a copy of this *(title of document)* Representation Petition, Certificate of Service on all parties or their counsel of record on *(date)* Sep 16, 2021

To:	Name	Karl Reardon		
	Organization	Cowlitz County	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> E-mail	<input type="checkbox"/> First Class U.S. Mail
	Address	1801 First Avenue, Suite 1A	<input type="checkbox"/> Fax	<input type="checkbox"/> Certified U.S. Mail
	City, State, ZIP	Longview, WA 98632	<input type="checkbox"/> Hand Delivery	<input type="checkbox"/> Registered U.S. Mail
	Email	ReardonK@co.cowlitz.wa.us		
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	City, State, ZIP		<input type="checkbox"/> Hand Delivery	<input type="checkbox"/> Registered U.S. Mail
	Email			
	Fax			

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date signed and submitted Sep 16, 2021

Print Name Jenny Haverkamp

Signature 



From: [Jenny Haverkamp](#)
To: [PERC, Filing \(PERC\)](#)
Cc: [David Ballew](#); walter.lachapelle@teamsters58.com
Subject: Cowlitz County and Teamsters Local 58
Date: Thursday, September 16, 2021 1:56:09 PM
Attachments: Representation Petition.pdf
Authorization Cards.pdf
Certificate of Service 09-16-21.pdf

External Email

Dear PERC,

Please find attached for filing:

1. Representation Petition
2. Authorization Cards (showing of interest)
3. Certificate of Service

If you have any issues opening the attachments, please contact me directly.

Thank you,

Jenny Haverkamp

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