

STATE OF WASHINGTON

BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the matter of the petition of:

REBECCA TORPEY

Involving certain employees of:

WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY

CASE 128831-E-17

DECISION 12690 - PSRA

CERTIFICATION  
Representation Election  
by Agreement of Parties

*Rebecca Torpey*, for the petitioner.

*Kendra Wilkins-Fontenot*, Assistant Director, for the Washington State University.

*Jason K. McKay*, Attorney at Law, for the Public School Employees of Washington.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Rebecca Torpey filed with the Public Employment Relations Commission a petition concerning representation of employees of the Washington State University. The petition was timely filed and accompanied by a showing of interest administratively determined by the Commission to be sufficient.
2. Public School Employees of Washington is the incumbent labor organization that represented the petitioned-for employees and was granted status as intervenor in these proceedings.
3. These representation proceedings were conducted under the supervision of the Commission in the bargaining unit described as:

All full-time and regular part-time non-supervisory employees in Facilities Operations, Custodial services Unit, at the Pullman campus of Washington State University, excluding supervisors, confidential employees, and all other employees.
4. All proceedings were conducted in a manner designed to afford the affected employees a free choice in the selection of their bargaining representative, if any; a tally of the results previously furnished to the parties is attached hereto; and no meritorious objections have been filed with respect to these proceedings.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The unit described in Finding of Fact 3 is an appropriate unit for the purpose of collective bargaining within the meaning of RCW 41.80.070.
2. All conditions precedent to a certification have been met.

CERTIFICATION

The employees of the Washington State University in the appropriate bargaining unit described in Finding of Fact 3 have chosen

NO REPRESENTATION

as their representative for the purpose of collective bargaining with their employer.

ISSUED at Olympia, Washington, this 10th day of May, 2017.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION



MICHAEL P. SELLARS, Executive Director



# TALLY OF ELECTION

## PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

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Case Number 128831-E-17 Employer Washington State University

The Public Employment Relations Commission has conducted an election of ballots cast and certifies the results as follows:

1.	Number of Eligible Voters	<u>115</u>
2.	Void Ballots	<u>0</u>
3.	Votes Cast for <u>Public School Employees of Washington</u>	<u>34</u>
4.	Votes Cast for _____	_____
5.	Votes Cast for _____	_____
6.	Votes Cast for <u>NO REPRESENTATION</u>	<u>55</u>
7.	Valid Ballots Counted (Total of Lines 3-6)	<u>89</u>
8.	Challenged Ballots Cast	<u>1</u>
9.	Total Ballots Cast (Total of Lines 7-8)	<u>90</u>
10.	Number of Valid Ballots Needed to Determine Election	<u>46</u>
11.	Eligibility Challenges:	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Affect the results of the election	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Do not affect the outcome of the election	
12.	The results are:	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Undetermined, requiring a run-off election	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> In favor of line 6 listed above	

Date Issued: May 2, 2017 By: *[Signature]*

### Acknowledgement of Observers

The undersigned acted as authorized observers for the parties and acknowledge service of a copy of this tally. Those not present will be mailed a copy.

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