

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

IN THE MATTER OF:

RESOLUTION NO. 23-250

AUTHORIZE THE DIRECTOR OF INFORMATION
TECHNOLOGY SERVICES TO EXECUTE A
PURCHASE ORDER WITH LEGAL ATOMS
THROUGH SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT IN
ORDER TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF HOUSE
BILL 1320

WHEREAS, Washington State House Bill 1320 stipulates that the Lewis County Clerk's Office must make electronic filing of protection orders accessible to the public, exclusively for cases filed in Superior Court, starting from January 1, 2023; and

WHEREAS, after a thorough evaluation of available software solutions, it appears that Legal Atoms is the only vendor providing a comprehensive solution that meets the specific requirements of House Bill 1320 and is compliant with Washington State Law; and

WHEREAS, the trial use of Legal Atoms has demonstrated its efficacy and superior performance in terms of integration with our state's legal system and its capability to ensure complete and accurate form submission.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners authorizes the Director of Information Technology Services, or his designee, to complete a purchase order with Legal Atoms for the Lewis County Clerk's Office, utilizing the sole source procurement method, to implement electronic filing of protection orders in compliance with Washington State House Bill 1320.

DONE IN OPEN SESSION this 8th day of August, 2023.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Jonathan Meyer, Prosecuting Attorney

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