BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PEND OREILLE COUNTY
STATE OF WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 2013-2

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A WHEELED ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE ORDINANCE IN CONFORMANCE WITH STATE LAW

WHEREAS: The Washington State Legislature adopted comprehensive laws governing the registration and use of wheeled all-terrain vehicles effective July 28, 2013, and

WHEREAS: These laws implement new equipment requirements for use of wheeled all-terrain vehicles on public roadways and require an inspection, registration and permits in addition to other requirements,

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PEND OREILLE COUNTY, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: COUNTY ROADS OPEN TO WHEELED ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES, MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT

(1) All Pend Oreille County "County Roads" with a speed limit of 35 mph or less, and

(2) All Pend Oreille County "County Roads" with a speed limit greater than 35 mph, BUT **ONLY** THOSE SECTIONS OF THESE ROADS THAT PROVIDE CONNECTIVITY TO OTHER ORV ROADS AND TRAILS are open to wheeled all-terrain vehicle use. General wheeled all-terrain vehicle travel on these roads is specifically prohibited.

(3) The maximum speed for any wheeled all-terrain vehicles on county roads shall be 35 mph or the posted speed limit whichever is less. This Ordinance does **NOT** allow travel on State Highways 20, 211, 31 or 2 except as provided by city ordinance.

SECTION 2: SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance or the application of the provisions to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.

SECTION 3: EFFECTIVE DATE

In concurrence with the findings of the Washington State Legislature, it is determined that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety or support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and therefore takes effect July 28, 2013.

ADOPTED THIS 23rd DAY OF July, 2013

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
PEND OREILLE COUNTY

MIKE MANUS, Chairman

KAREN SKOOG, Member

STEVE KISS, Member

ATTEST:

ELIZABETH BRAUN, Clerk of the Board