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TO: All persons involved with accepting or providing certified copies of recorded documents

FROM: King County Recorder's Office

RE: **Certification Stamps**

The Recorder's Office uses two methods for certifying copies of recorded documents.

The first, an all-inclusive ink stamp with our seal and a signature line for the deputy to sign on for manual certifications.



There is also an electronic certification stamp that is printed directly onto our copies from our recording system when processing copy requests.

This electronic certification stamp includes the same seal, information and signature line from the manual stamp, but also includes a date and time line that shows when the copy was produced.



Both of these methods are interchangeable and equally valid as certification methods in Washington State.

Sincerely,

King County Recorder's Office