

**COMMISSIONERS' MINUTES  
KITITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
COMMISSIONER'S CONFERENCE ROOM  
SPECIAL MEETING**

**WEDNESDAY**

**9:30 A.M.**

**AUGUST 17, 2016**

Board members present: Chairman Obie O'Brien; Vice-Chairman Paul Jewell and Commissioner Laura Osiadacz.

Others: Mandy Buchholz, Deputy Clerk of the Board; Lisa Young, HR Director.

**SPECIAL MEETING**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**COMMISSIONERS**

At 9:33 a.m. Chairman O'Brien opened a Special Meeting and announced the Board would recess into an Executive Session for 30 minutes per RCW 42.30.140 (4)(a) Collective bargaining sessions with employee organizations, including contract negotiations, grievance meetings, and discussions relating to the interpretation or application of a labor agreement; or (b) that portion of a meeting during which the governing body is planning or adopting the strategy or position to be taken by the governing body during the course of any collective bargaining, professional negotiations, or grievance or mediation proceedings, or reviewing the proposals made in the negotiations or proceedings while in progress. No action was anticipated.

At 10:03 a.m. the Board reconvened out of Executive Session. No action was taken.

At 10:03 a.m. Chairman O'Brien announced the Board would recess back into Executive Session for 15 minutes per RCW 42.30.140 (4)(a) Collective bargaining sessions with employee organizations, including contract negotiations, grievance meetings, and discussions relating to the interpretation or application of a labor agreement; or (b) that portion of a meeting during which the governing body is planning or adopting the strategy or position to be taken by the governing body during the course of any collective bargaining, professional negotiations, or grievance or mediation proceedings, or reviewing the proposals made in the negotiations or proceedings while in progress. No action was anticipated.

At 10:18 a.m. the Board reconvened out of Executive Session. No action was taken.

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or (b) that portion of a meeting during which the governing body is planning or adopting the strategy or position to be taken by the governing body during the course of any collective bargaining, professional negotiations, or grievance or mediation proceedings, or reviewing the proposals made in the negotiations or proceedings while in progress. No action was anticipated.

At 10:33 a.m. the Board reconvened out of Executive Session. No action was taken.

At 10:33 a.m. Chairman O'Brien announced the Board would recess back into Executive Session for 5 minutes per RCW 42.30.140 (4) (a) Collective bargaining sessions with employee organizations, including contract negotiations, grievance meetings, and discussions relating to the interpretation or application of a labor agreement; or (b) that portion of a meeting during which the governing body is planning or adopting the strategy or position to be taken by the governing body during the course of any collective bargaining, professional negotiations, or grievance or mediation proceedings, or reviewing the proposals made in the negotiations or proceedings while in progress. No action was anticipated.


At 10:38 a.m. the Board reconvened out of Executive Session. Staff was directed to continue negotiations.

Meeting adjourned at 10:38 a.m.

**DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD**

  
Mandy Buchholz

**KITTITAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

  
Obie O'Brien, Chairman