

**COMMISSIONERS' MINUTES
KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON
WEBEX
SPECIAL MEETING**

TUESDAY

10:30 A.M.

AUGUST 11, 2020

Board members present: Chairman Brett Wachsmith Vice-Chairman Laura Osiadacz, Cory Wright, Commissioner, (via WebEx).

Others Via WebEx: Julie Kjorsvik, Clerk of the Board; Mandy Buchholz, Deputy Clerk of the Board II; Jim Goeben, IT Director and Taylor Crouch, Deputy Clerk of the Board I.

SPECIAL MEETING

OFFICE STAFF MEETING

COMMISSIONERS

At 10:30 a.m. Chairman Wachsmith opened the Office Administration meeting continued from August 10, 2020.

DISCUSSION

KC EMERGENCY.ORG WEBSITE

COMMISSIONERS

Jim Goeben, IT Director asked the Board for their input on the kittitasemergency.org website maintenance. He stated that it has not been maintained since May and the analytics are showing a decrease in use; however the County Website for Emergency updates has over a 1,000 visits a day. He questioned if the Board would like to keep the site up or move the content to the County page; or have a redirect to the County website. He stated that IT would like to see it moved from a wordpress website design to something that they can maintain easier. The Board indicated that they wanted to keep the County's website(s) up to date. There was discussion on the reason for the page and that it was to be the home of all emergencies, disasters, pandemics etc., information for years to come. The Board stated that they would like a follow up conversation and to include someone from the EOC to participate.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

PERFORMANCE

COMMISSIONERS

At 10:44 a.m. Chairman Wachsmith announced the Board would recess into an Executive Session for 5 minutes, with just the Board of County Commissioners to evaluate the qualifications of an applicant for public employment or to review the performance of a public employee. However, subject to RCW 42.30.140 (4), discussion by a governing body of salaries, wages, and other conditions of employment to be generally applied within the agency shall occur in a meeting open to the public, and when a governing body elects to take final action hiring, setting the salary of an individual employee or class of employees, or discharging or disciplining an employee, that action shall be taken in a meeting open to the public. No action was anticipated.

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regarding Shady Brook and one last push to get citizens to complete their census. Commissioner Wright suggested that Commissioner Wachsmith work with his contacts through COG and ask them to encourage their citizens to complete the census.

OTHER BUSINESS/GENERAL UPDATES

Meeting adjourned at 9:32 a.m.

DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD


Mandy Buchholz

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Brett Wachsmith, Chairman