

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

MONDAY

9:00 A.M.

SEPTEMBER 21, 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; Taylor Crouch, Deputy Clerk of the Board I; Amy McGuffin, Chamber CEO; Judy Pless, Budget & Finance Manager.

REGULAR MEETING

OFFICE STAFF MEETING

COMMISSIONERS

At 9:00 a.m. Chairman Wachsmith opened the Office Administration meeting.

CALENDAR

WEEK AT A GLANCE

COMMISSIONERS

The Board of County Commissioners reviewed their weekly calendars.

PAF/VOUCHERS

REVIEW OF PAF'S & VOUCHERS

COMMISSIONERS

The Board of County Commissioners approved the County Vouchers and PAF's.

CORRESPONDENCE LOG

REVIEW OF CORRESPONDENCE LOG

COMMISSIONERS

The Correspondence Log for the week ending September 18, 2020 was presented.

REQUEST

COUNTY NOISE ORDINANCE

COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Osiadacz moved to approve a request for a waiver to the County Noise Ordinance from Brad Bird, to hold a private party at his residence on October 3, 2020 until 1:00 a.m. October 4, 2020 at 2602 E. Coho Road, Ellensburg, WA 98926, subject to Mr. Bird submitting a listing of addresses that are within 1,000 feet of his residence, notifying them of the party by no later than September 30, 2020 at 5:00 p.m. Commissioner Wright seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

REQUEST

CARES FUNDS FOR PPE

COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Osiadacz moved to approve the purchase of PPE for small businesses using the remaining CARES Grant funds allocated to the Chamber of Commerce for small business assistance. Commissioner

Wright seconded. Judy Pless, Budget & Finance Manager stated that they have it worked out to have all the purchases through Jerrol's to keep funds local. Motion carried 3-0.

DISCUSSION

FACEBOOK WEEKLY POSTS

COMMISSIONERS

The Board determined for the week of September 21, 2020 that they would continue to share on their Facebook page any Press Releases from Public Health relating to COVID-19; as well as a Press Release from the USDA to provide additional direct assistance to Farmers and Ranchers impacted by COVID-19; Information about Barn Week beginning 9/21 - 9/24 sponsored by the Washington Trust and Historic preservation, and invite residents to share pictures and Commissioner Wright stated he would like to put something together regarding the Salmon spawning up at Salmon La Sac and the educational piece for citizens of Kittitas County to highlight the work that the YBIP has done.

OTHER BUSINESS/GENERAL UPDATES-

The Board of County Commissioners shared updates regarding meetings they have individually attended over the past week.


Commissioner Wright and Chairman Wachsmith both had been in contact with the schools and were hopeful additional information would be coming forward in the near future that kids would be returning to their schools soon, noting it would look different, but having it in-person would be great for all.

Meeting adjourned at 9:25 a.m.

DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD

**KITTITAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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Mandy Buchholz


Brett Wachsmith, Chairman