

Agenda Staff Report

AGENDA DATE:

10/19/2010

ACTION REQUESTED:

Request Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) discussion, decision, and ratification of the signature of either the BOCC or the Public Health Administrator, which may or may not occur at the ceremonial event scheduled for October 22, 2010, executing the memorandum of understanding in the Yakima River Canyon Scenic Byway Initiative between all interested parties. Effective October 22, 2010.

BACKGROUND:

The memorandum of understanding works to establish a partnership that is dedicated to preserving the outstanding aesthetic, historical and cultural values while also allowing access to recreation opportunities within the Yakima Canyon between Kittitas and Yakima counties. Members shall meet a minimum of quarterly and provide feedback to the advisory group. This memorandum in no way restricts or obligates Kittitas County.

INTERACTION:

Prosecutor's Office: Memorandum of understanding was reviewed and approved by the Kittitas County Prosecutor's Office - September 27, 2010.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) Vice-chair ratifies the signature of the BOCC or the Public Health Administrator, executing the memorandum of understanding in the Yakima River Canyon Scenic Byway Initiative between all interested parties.

HANDLING:

Clerk of the Board will send notice of approval to the Kittitas County Auditor's Office.

(Please note: Public Health will route originals to BOCC, Auditor's Office, and Public Health files)

LEAD STAFF:

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