## BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COUNTY OF KITTITAS STATE OF WASHINGTON

**RESOLUTION** NO. 2009-<u>143</u>

A RESOLUTION of the Kittitas County Board of Commissioners\_to support and endorse the Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) presented by the Economic Development Group of Kittitas County (EDGKC).

WHEREAS, the Kittitas County Board of Commissioners supports and endorses the CEDS presented by the EDGKC; and

WHEREAS, the EDGKC is the local economic development nonprofit corporation that is broadly representative of community interests; and is the County's designated Associate Development Organization established under RCW 43.330; and

WHEREAS, the EDGKC is responsible for developing a CEDS, and on July 7 2009, the EDGKC released the County's first-ever CEDS; and

WHEREAS, the CEDS is a strategic plan approved by the U.S. Department of Commerce, Economic Development Administration, and meets the technical requirements established in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 13, Part 300; and

WHEREAS, the CEDS is designed to bring together the public and private sectors in the creation of an economic roadmap to diversify and strengthen the County's economy; to analyze the County's economic condition; to serve as a guide in establishing goals and objectives and an implementation plan; and to identify investment priorities and funding sources; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AS FOLLOWS:

The Kittitas County Board of Commissioners hereby declares its support and endorsement of the Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy presented by the Economic Development Group of Kittitas County.

Approved this 3rd day of November 2009.

KITTITAS COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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Alan Crankovich, Chair

Paul Jewell, Vice-Chair

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Mark McClain, Commissioner

ATTEST:
CLERK OF THE BOARD

Julie Kjorsvik