

**COMMISSIONERS' MINUTES
KITITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON
COMMISSIONERS CONFERENCE ROOM
REGULAR MEETING**

MONDAY

9:40 A.M.

FEBRUARY 7, 2011

Board members present: Chairman, Paul Jewell; Vice Chairman Alan Crankovich & Commissioner Obie O'Brien.

Others: Mandy Robinson, Deputy Clerk of the Board; Greg Zempel, Prosecutor; Judy Pless, Budget & Finance Manager.

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PROSECUTOR


Mr. Zempel indicated to the Board that there had been some push back from Central Washington Comprehensive Mental Health (CWCMMH) regarding the bill that was sent to them for legal services provided by the County Prosecutors office. He explained that his staff and Ms. Pless have been dealing with the administrative staff at CWCMMH but have not made much progress. Mr. Zempel explained that Dr. Harry Kramer visited him to discuss the bill and explained that he was unaware that they would be billed in advance. He apologized for the confusion that had been going on between staff and requested that the present bill either be reduced or forgiven entirely.

The Board was in full support to continue pursuing payment from CWCMMH, and directed staff to continue to do so.

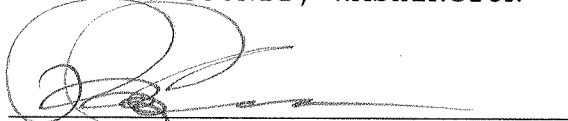
Ms. Pless also briefed the Board on some contract language that needed to be corrected. She indicated that they was the current contract is wrote to not allow access to the funds and that it's become a great deal of work for them.

Staff was directed to work on the contract language and to bring forward a new contract for the Board to take action on.

**KITTITAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD**


Mandy Robinson

KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON


Paul Jewell, Commissioner

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