

Kittitas County Commissioners

Agenda Staff Report

AGENDA DATE:

10/20/2009

ACTION REQUESTED:

Request to Ratify Resolution No. 2009-136, a Declaration of Emergency for the H1N1 (Swine Flu) Pandemic.

BACKGROUND:

On October 13, 2009, the Kittitas County Board of Commissioners office was notified by the Public Health Administrator, of a need to hold an emergency special meeting of the Board to consider a Resolution declaring an emergency relating to the H1N1 (Swine Flue) pandemic.

At 4:20 p.m. the Board of County Commissioners held an emergency special meeting and received a report from the Public Health Administrator on the status of the H1N1 (Swine Flu) pandemic. At the conclusion of the meeting, the Kittitas County Board of Commissioners approved Resolution No. 2009-136, which authorizes the County to enter into contracts and incur obligations necessary to combat such emergency to protect the health and safety of the citizens of the County, and to provide emergency assistance to the victims of such emergency, consistent with the Kittitas County Emergency Management Plan, in an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00.

INTERACTION:

Brent Bottoms, Deputy Prosecutor, prepared and approved the Declaration of Emergency Resolution, which was brought forth by the Public Health Administrator.

RECOMMENDATION:

Ratify Resolution No. 2009-136, Declaration of Emergency for the H1N1 (Swine Flu) Pandemic, approved and signed by the Kittitas County Board of Commissioners on October 13, 2009.

HANDLING:

None

LEAD STAFF:

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