Kittitas County Prosecutor

Agenda Staff Report

AGENDA DATE:

8/21/2012

ACTION REQUESTED:

Deny Millpond Mobile Home Park claim against County

BACKGROUND:

Millpond Mobile Home Park filed a claim against the County claiming that bridge work the County conducted damaged their sewer line and so the County allegedly owed them \$7,547.85. The work the County conducted on the bridge was coducted well beyond the six-year statute of limitations for damages like this. More importantly, no franchise exists for this sewer pipe to be in the County right of way in the first place. Hence, the County has no responsibility if damage occurs to material that had no right to be in the County right of way at all.

INTERACTION:

The claimant filed a claim for damages and input was received from Public Works on the nature and timing of the work and the absence of a franchise.

RECOMMENDATION:

Deny Millpond Mobile Home Park claim against County

HANDLING:

None

LEAD STAFF:

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