



## KITTITAS COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

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### FINDINGS OF FACT

#### Eagle Crest Short Plat File Number SP-08-00044

Pursuant to RCW 58.17.195, the Kittitas County Community Development Services Department formally establishes the following Findings of Fact:

1. On September 19, 2008, Laurin Mellergaard submitted a Short Plat land use application which was deemed complete on April 1, 2009 by Kittitas County Community Development Services staff. The application was for a 2 lot Short Plat subdivision pursuant to Kittitas County Code 16.32 on approximately 6 acres of land that is zoned Agriculture 3. The subject property is located east of the City of Ellensburg, south of Game Farm Road, east of Wilson Creek Road, and west of Naneum Road, in a portion of Section 32, T18N, R19E, WM in Kittitas County, bearing Assessor's map number 18-19-32010-0002.
2. The Eagle Crest Short Plat (SP-08-00044) has satisfied all current subdivision and zoning requirements. This short plat has been reviewed and approved in conformance with the Kittitas County Subdivision (Title 16) and Zoning (Title 17) Codes.
3. A notice of application for the Eagle Crest Short Plat (SP-08-00044) was mailed to adjacent landowners located within 500 feet of any portion of the boundary of the proposal's tax parcel. Notice was given to and published in the official newspaper of record for Kittitas County, and notice was posted to the Kittitas County Website, all in conformance with the Kittitas County Project Permit Application Process (Title 15A)
4. The applicant has demonstrated to the satisfaction of the County Environmental Health Director the availability of potable water supplies.
5. The applicant has demonstrated that sewage disposal will be provided by individual septic systems.
6. The applicant has demonstrated to the County Public Works Department that the access provisions are in the interest of public safety and general welfare.
7. A statement indicating the County's intent to approve this short plat was mailed to known parties of record on August 20, 2009. Notice was given to and published in the official newspaper of record for Kittitas County, and notice was posted to the Kittitas County Website, all in conformance with the Kittitas County Project Permit Application Process (Title 15A).
8. The Eagle Crest Short Plat (SP-08-00044) is located on land zoned Agriculture 3; a plat note has been attached reading the following: "The subject property is within or near land used for agriculture on which a variety of commercial activities may occur that are not compatible with residential development for periods of varying duration. (RCW 36.70A.060(1)) Commercial natural resource activities performed in accordance with county, state and federal laws are not subject to legal action as public nuisances." (RCW 7.48.305).
9. The property lies within the Kittitas Reclamation District Irrigation District. The property have met, and will continue to adhere to, the general requirements of the Kittitas Reclamation District Irrigation District.
10. The Eagle Crest Short Plat (SP-08-00044) is located inside of the Kittitas County Stock Restricted Area, it shall be the responsibility of the property owner to *fence in* their grazing livestock.
11. All development within the Eagle Crest Short Plat (SP-08-00044) must comply with International Fire Code.

Administratively approved short plats must be recorded with the County Auditor and shall not be deemed approved until officially filed.

Approved

This 13<sup>th</sup> Day of April, 2010

Kirk Holmes, Interim Director