DATE: 2-6-06

TIME: 9:40 a.m.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: David Bowen, Alan Crankovich, Perry Huston

DEPARTMENT: Environmental Health

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Nancy Goodloe

OTHERS PRESENT: Cathy Bambrick, Darryl Piercy, Megan Calais

TOPIC: Solid Waste Enforcement Disposal

DISCUSSION: The department would like to apply for additional money from the Community Partnership Grant. They have applied for $77,000, and have used only $37,000 of it. If the grant is awarded to Kittitas County, the allotment would be used to fund another code enforcement position. The Board responded positively to this fund use proposal.

Things to consider are: no overlap between Environmental Health’s efforts and Solid Waste’s efforts and focus on the augmentation of code enforcement staff, rather than planning and public education.

If proper steps are taken, additional grant funding may be available through other sources.

ACTION: Request to apply for additional funds was approved. No follow-up requested by the Board.