

**COMMISSIONERS' MINUTES  
KITITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
COMMISSIONERS AUDITORIUM  
SPECIAL MEETING**

**MONDAY**

**11:00 A.M.**

**MARCH 23, 2009**

Board members present: Chairman, Alan Crankovich; Vice Chairman, Paul Jewell; Commissioner, Mark McClain.

Others: Mandy Robinson, Deputy Clerk of the Board; Holly Duncan, Environmental Health Specialist II and two members of the public.

**SPECIAL MEETING**

**CWU-CYCLING**

**COMMISSIONERS**

At approximately 11:00 a.m. Chairman Crankovich opened a Special Meeting to meet with representatives to discuss two event requests. One for the CWU- Cycling Collegiate Stage Race to be held on Saturday April 11, 2009 and again on Sunday April 12, 2009, and another request for the Ninth Annual Yakima River Canyon Marathon- hosted by Bob & Lenore Dolphin to be held on Saturday April 4, 2009.

Corey Sinclair, Coordinator for CWU Collegiate Sport Clubs and Camps explained that there are approximately twenty-three collegiate sport clubs and he reviewed some of them. He explained that the clubs are all ran and supported by students. He indicated that the race here is one of many in the collegiate conference. He explained that last year was their first year hosting a competition and they had 220 applicants. He expressed his hope to retain 250 applicants this year, although he had some concern over the fact that the event is falling on the Easter holiday. He reviewed all three stages of the two-day race, and indicated that he would be happy to answer any questions the Board may have.

Commissioner McClain asked if they had obtained a certificate of insurance yet. Mr. Sinclair indicated that he had sent a copy of it to the Commissioners office and had an additional copy on hand he could provide.

Commissioner Jewell questioned why Mr. Sinclair felt this year would be more successful than last year. Mr. Sinclair indicated that the events are set up in better locations and it is the second year of the event so hopefully the word will be out about the event.

Mr. Sinclair indicated that they are planning to use radio advertizing and they are planning to send out letters to the residents that will be impacted notifying them of the event and alternate routes. He also

