

**COMMISSIONERS' MINUTES  
KITITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
COMMISSIONERS CONFERENCE ROOM  
SPECIAL MEETING**

**TUESDAY**

**9:40 A.M.**

**SEPTEMBER 4, 2012**

Board members present: Chairman Alan Crankovich; Vice-Chairman Obie O'Brien; Commissioner Paul Jewell.

Others: Mandy Robinson, Deputy Clerk of the Board, Brenda Larsen, Fire Marshal.

**SPECIAL MEETING**

**DEPARTMENT HEAD**

**FIRE MARSHAL**

Brenda Larsen, Fire Marshal stated that she wanted to get a feel for where the Board stands on implementing the (WUIC) Wild-land Urban Interface Code, County wide. She reviewed current class one and class two areas throughout the County and what they mean. Commissioner O'Brien felt there was no reason to not implement this Code County wide and felt that now is the time to implement it since we just experienced our first serious wildfire. Commissioner Crankovich questioned whether or not citizens with a cedar roof could get by with getting fire resistant treatment. He suggested that a form letter (request) be done and sent out to the Fire Districts and allow them to submit the form letter to their Commissioners. Once the form letters are signed and sent back to the County the Board could hold a Public Hearing to consider the implementation of the (WUIC). Commissioner O'Brien and Commissioner Jewell were in support of the Chairman Crankovich's suggestion.

Meeting adjourned at 9:50 a.m.

**DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD**

**KITITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

  
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Mandy Robinson

  
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Alan Crankovich, Chairman

**APPROVED**  
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