COMMISSIONERS' MINUTES
KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON
COMMISSIONER'S CONFERENCE ROOM
SPECIAL MEETING

TUESDAY 3:00 P.M. SEPTEMBER 11, 2012

Board members present: Chairman Alan Crankovich, Vice-Chairman Obie O’Brien and Commissioner Paul Jewell.

Others: Julie Kjorsvik, Clerk of the Board; Matt Anderson, Facilities Maintenance Director.

SPECIAL MEETING WEST RAMP FAIR

At 3:00 p.m. Chairman Crankovich opened a Special Meeting to discuss the wheelchair accessible ramp located on the west side of the Courthouse building.

Matt Anderson, Facilities Maintenance Director, said they went off of the Small Works Roster for bids on the project and received two back. The engineers estimate for the project was $36,000.00 and the lowest bid they received was $52,000.00. He noted a grant had been awarded for the project in the amount of $36,000.00. He suggested paying the remaining balance out of the fund balance. He noted there would be another $3,000.00 in engineering costs that still need to be paid as well.

The Board questioned if the project was required since there is already another ADA accessible ramp into the Courthouse. Commissioner O’Brien and Commissioner Jewell were concerned with spending money on something that doesn’t absolutely need to be done. Commissioner O’Brien said he would rather put funds into the Armory project. Chairman Crankovich explained how the Courthouse security plan had originally closed off the other end of the building for night meetings. It was noted how the entrance for evening meetings must also be ADA compliant.

At the conclusion of the meeting the Board directed Mr. Anderson to begin moving forward with the project.
The meeting was adjourned at 3:15 p.m.

CLERK OF THE BOARD

Julie Kjorsvik

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Alan Crankovich, Chairman