Board members present: Chairman Obie O'Brien (by-phone), Vice-Chairman Paul Jewell. Absent: Commissioner Laura Osiadacz

Others: Mandy Buchholz, Deputy Clerk of the Board; Neil Caulkins, Deputy Prosecutor; Doc Hansen, Planning Official and Dan Carlson, CDS Director.

At 11:01 a.m. Chairman O’Brien opened a Special Meeting and announced the Board would recess into an Executive Session for 20 minutes per RCW42.30.140 (4)(a) Collective bargaining sessions with employee organizations, including contract negotiations, grievance meetings, and discussions relating to the interpretation or application of a labor agreement; or (b) that portion of a meeting during which the governing body is planning or adopting the strategy or position to be taken by the governing body during the course of any collective bargaining, professional negotiations, or grievance or mediation proceedings, or reviewing the proposals made in the negotiations or proceedings while in progress. No action was anticipated.

At 11:21 a.m. the Board reconvened out of Executive Session. No action was taken.

At 11:21 a.m. Chairman O’Brien announced the Board would recess back into Executive Session for 20 minutes per RCW42.30.140 (4)(a) Collective bargaining sessions with employee organizations, including contract negotiations, grievance meetings, and discussions relating to the interpretation or application of a labor agreement; or (b) that portion of a meeting during which the governing body is planning or adopting the strategy or position to be taken by the governing body during the course of any collective bargaining, professional negotiations, or grievance or mediation proceedings, or reviewing the proposals made in the negotiations or proceedings while in progress. No action was anticipated.

At 11:41 a.m. the Board reconvened out of Executive Session. No action was taken.

At 11:41 a.m. Chairman O’Brien announced the Board would recess back into Executive Session for 10 minutes per RCW42.30.140 (4)(a) Collective bargaining sessions with employee organizations,
including contract negotiations, grievance meetings, and discussions relating to the interpretation or application of a labor agreement; or (b) that portion of a meeting during which the governing body is planning or adopting the strategy or position to be taken by the governing body during the course of any collective bargaining, professional negotiations, or grievance or mediation proceedings, or reviewing the proposals made in the negotiations or proceedings while in progress. No action was anticipated

At 11:51 a.m. the Board reconvened out of Executive Session. Staff was directed to continue negotiations and report back.

Meeting adjourned at 11:51 a.m.

DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD

Mandy Buchholz

KITITAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

KITITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Obie O'Brien, Chairman