Board members present: Chairman Obie O’Brien and Vice-Chairman Paul Jewell. Excused: Commissioner Laura Osiadacz.

Others: Julie Kjorsvik, Clerk of the Board and Stephanie Hartung, Deputy Prosecutor.

At 2:00 p.m. CHAIRMAN O’BRIEN opened a Public Hearing to consider the repeal of Kittitas County Code Chapter 2.6 "Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, Substance Abuse Board".

CHAIRMAN O’BRIEN provided information on a proposal to repeal Kittitas County Code Chapter 2. He explained how the Mental Health Advisory Board was separated from the Developmental Disability Advisory Board and combined the Mental Health Advisory Board with the Substance Abuse Advisory Board and renamed it the Behavioral Health and Recovery Advisory Board. He said neither of those advisory boards require codification and is in conflict with their Bylaws. STEPHANIE HARTUNG, DEPUTY PROSECUTOR said there was no legal requirement to have it in Code, as their Bylaws were sufficient.

THERE BEING NO ONE REQUESTING TO TESTIFY, THE PUBLIC PORTION OF THE HEARING WAS CLOSED.

COMMISSIONER JEWELL noted a couple of typographical errors within the Ordinance and asked for Staff to correct them.

COMMISSIONER JEWELL moved to approve Ordinance No. 2016-025 Repealing Chapter 2.16 of the Kittitas County Code “Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, Substance Abuse Board”, as amended. CHAIRMAN O’BRIEN seconded. Motion carried 2-0.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:05 p.m.