

**KITTITAS COUNTY
PUBLIC WORKS STUDY SESSION MINUTES
COMMISSIONERS' AUDITORIUM, 205 WEST 5TH ROOM 109
Regular Meeting**

MONDAY

1:30 PM

February 24, 2025

Board members present: Chairman Laura Osiadacz, Vice-Chairman Cory Wright, and Commissioner Cory Wright

Others: Josh Fredrickson, Cameron Curtis, Sally Kraft, Public Works; Stephanie Hartung, Prosecuting Attorney's Office; Chad Bala, Community Development Services.

At 1:31PM Chairman Laura Osiadacz opened the Public Works Study Session.

No Citizen Comments

REQUEST TO APPROVE A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CHAIR SIGNATURE ON THE DIGITAL SUBMITTAL CERTIFICATION OF THE ROAD LEVY CERTIFICATION TO THE COUNTY ROAD ADMINISTRATION BOARD.

Cameron Curtis requested to approve the resolution authorizing the use of an electronic submittal process in place of submitting a hard copy of the annual Certification of the Road Levy and Estimated Revenue Produced for 2025, to the County Road Administration Board (CRAB). The CRAB Digital Submittal Certification requires Board of County Commissioners Chair signature and submittal electronically. Vice-Chairman Cory Wright moved to approve Resolution 2025-040 and Commissioner Brett Wachsmith seconded the motion. Resolution 2025-040 approved.

ANNUAL BRIDGE INSPECTION REPORT

Cameron Curtis briefed the Board of County Commissioners on the Annual Bridge Inspection Report. The 2024 report includes recommendations for bridge replacement and repair. Public Works now has three (3) WSDOT Certified Bridge Inspectors on staff and one staff member being trained. Consultants will continue to be needed for specialized inspections, such as underwater inspections. Washington State certification requirements match Federal inspection standards.

OTHER BUSINESS

Josh Fredrickson briefed the board on the need for seasonal weight restrictions on county roads due to seasonal weather shifts. Specifically Public Works is monitoring a portion of Umptanum Road as

it is being used for heavy construction hauling and seasonal weight restrictions may be imposed.

Meeting concluded at 1:38PM



Sally Kraft, Administrative
Assistant

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Laura Osiadacz, Chairman