

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

MONDAY

9:00 A.M.

MAY 11, 2026

Board members present: Chairman Cory Wright; Commissioner Laura Osiadacz. Excused: Vice-Chairman Brett Wachsmith.

Others: Mandy Buchholz, Office Administrator; Jodi Larsen, Office Administrator; Julie Kjorsvik, Clerk of the Board; and two members of the public.

REGULAR MEETING

OFFICE STAFF MEETING

COMMISSIONERS

At 9:00 a.m. Chairman Wright opened the Office Administration meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT - NONE

CALENDAR

WEEK AT A GLANCE

COMMISSIONERS

The Board of County Commissioners reviewed their weekly calendar.

PAF/VOUCHERS

REVIEW OF PAF'S & VOUCHERS

COMMISSIONERS

The Board of County Commissioners approved and signed County Employee Personnel Action Forms and Vouchers.

CORRESPONDENCE LOG

REVIEW OF CORRESPONDENCE LOG

COMMISSIONERS

The Board of County Commissioners reviewed the weekly Correspondence Log, a listing of all incoming mail and correspondence for the week ending May 8, 2026.

DISCUSSION

PROSECUTOR STUDY SESSION

COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Wright requested to table this discussion until all 3 Commissioners could be present.

DISCUSSION

JOINT MEETING COAL MINE TRAIL

COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Wright explained that the Mayors of Cle Elum and Roslyn had reached out, indicating that they needed to convene a joint meeting with the 3 municipalities to discuss some needs that the Coal Mines Trail has. There was discussion that the ILA which the County sent to the other two municipalities, has never been signed by either Cle Elum or Roslyn, so that it still not finalized. Staff was directed to set up a Joint Special Meeting with Cle Elum and

APPROVED

May 19, 2026

Roslyn for Mid to Late June and to note that the ILA should be on the agenda for consideration.

UPDATE

WHITE BOARD

COMMISSIONERS

The Board reviewed their current whiteboard topics and provided status updates.

DISCUSSION

COUNTY FACEBOOK

COMMISSIONERS

The Board determined that for the week of May 11, 2026, they would post the following on their Facebook page: two posts welcoming the New Facilities Maintenance Director and the New Solid Waste Director to the County.

UPDATE

BOCC/ DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

COMMISSIONERS

Each Commissioner was assigned three different Department Heads to meet with on a weekly basis for the year. The assignments for 2026 were determined during a Board of County Commissioners Office Admin meeting and they will continue to provide updates at future meetings.

Each Commissioner reviewed discussions held with their respective departments and exchanged details of those meetings.

OTHER BUSINESS/GENERAL UPDATES - There were general updates on meetings & conversations that the Board participated in, individually, over the past week.

Meeting concluded at 9:19 a.m.

OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

**KITTITAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON**


Mandy Buchholz


Cory Wright, Chairman