

**BOARD OF HEALTH
COUNTY OF KITTITAS
STATE OF WASHINGTON**

ORDINANCE NO. 2016 - 025

**REPEAL CHAPTER 2.16 OF THE KITTITAS COUNTY CODE “MENTAL HEALTH,
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, SUBSTANCE ABUSE BOARD”**

WHEREAS, Kittitas County Ordinance 1999-03, established Kittitas County Code (KCC) Chapter 2.16 “Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, Substance Abuse Board”; and

WHEREAS, Kittitas County Resolution 2016-063, separated the Mental Health Advisory Board 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; and

WHEREAS, The KCC either needs to be amended to reflect these changes or repealed in its entirety; and

WHEREAS, Neither RCW 71.24.300(8) (Behavioral Health Advisory Board) nor RCW 71A.14.020 (Developmental Disability Board) specifically require codification of these advisory boards;

WHEREAS, The Kittitas County Board of Commissioners desires to have Chapter 2.16 repealed in its entirety; and

WHEREAS, On 12/16 2016 a public hearing was held by the Kittitas County Board of Commissioners to hear public comment on the proposed ordinance; and

WHEREAS, Due notice of the hearing was given as required by law and public testimony was taken by those persons wishing to be heard; and

WHEREAS, The Kittitas County Board of Commissioners find that the Kittitas County Code Chapter 2.16 “Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, Substance Abuse Board” is outdated and unnecessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kittitas County Board of Commissioners, after due deliberation, hereby repeals Kittitas County Code Chapter 2.16 “Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, Substance Abuse Board”.

DATED this 16th day of December, 2016, at Ellensburg, Washington.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON



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Clerk of the Board

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Chair

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Vice-Chair

ABSENT

Commissioner