

**COMMISSIONERS' MINUTES
KITITITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON
PUBLIC HEARING**

MONDAY

4:00 P.M.

MAY 8, 2006

Board members present: Chairman David Bowen and Vice-Chairman Alan Crankovich. Excused: Commissioner Perry Huston.

Others: Julie Kjorsvik, Clerk of the Board; Scott Bradshaw, Director of Public Works; Ryan Roberts, Public Works Staff; Jeff Thorpe, Public Works Staff; Nancy Goodloe, Public Health Administrator; Jim Van de Venter; Public Works Road Crew; Kelly Carlson, Public Works Administrative Assistant; Kathy Bambrick, Public Health Staff; Kathy Jurgens, Public Works Finance Manager; and two members of the public.

PUBLIC HEARING

TOZER & ORCHARD ROAD

PUBLIC WORKS

At approximately 1:30 p.m. **CHAIRMAN BOWEN** opened the continued public hearing (from May 2, 2006) to consider modifications to the existing traffic control at the intersection of Tozer Road and Orchard Road. He noted that Commissioner Huston was excused from the public hearing, due to his attendance at a Regional Support Network meeting.

SCOTT BRADSHAW, PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR reviewed a staff report and noted a draft Ordinance had been prepared at the request of the Board during the May 2, 2006 public hearing. He explained the Ordinance would remove the Yield sign from Tozer Road and replace it with a Stop sign at the intersection of Tozer Road (northbound) and Orchard Road.

COMMISSIONER CRANKOVICH noted he was absent during the public hearing, but he knew of the safety issues and was in favor of the proposed Ordinance.

ORDINANCE 2006-23

TOZER & ORCHARD ROAD

PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER CRANKOVICH moved to approve Ordinance No. 2006-23, Removing the Yield Sign from Tozer Road and Replacing the Yield Sign with a Stop Sign and Amending Section 10.12 of the Kittitas County Code, effective upon the installation of the appropriate signage. **CHAIRMAN BOWEN** seconded. Motion carried 2-0.

PUBLIC HEARING

PERRY ROAD SPEED LIMIT

PUBLIC WORKS

At approximately 1:33 p.m. **CHAIRMAN BOWEN** opened the continued public hearing (from May 2, 2006) to consider a speed reduction on Perry Road, Kittitas County.

SCOTT BRADSHAW, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS gave a staff report and noted a draft Ordinance had been prepared at the request of the Board, during the May 2, 2006 public hearing. He explained the Ordinance would establish a speed zone of 25 miles per hour on Perry Road. **COMMISSIONER CRANKOVICH** noted that although he was not present during the May 2, 2006 public hearing, he was aware of the subject area and agreed with the proposed Ordinance.

ORDINANCE 2006-24

PERRY ROAD SPEED LIMIT

PUBLIC WORKS

COMMISSIONER CRANKOVICH moved to approve Ordinance No. 2006-24, Establishing a Speed Zone of 25 miles per hour and the Placement of Speed Limit Signs Southbound on Perry Road, south of the Orchard Road intersection and Northbound on Perry Road, north of the end of the road, and to Amend Section 10.08 of the Kittitas County Code, effective upon the installation of the appropriate signs. **CHAIRMAN BOWEN** seconded. Motion carried 2-0.

MYLARS

WOODS & STEELE

PUBLIC WORKS

SCOTT BRADSHAW, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS explained that at their previous Study Session with the Board of County Commissioners, they directed staff to place the Woods & Steele Final Mylars on a future Commissioner meeting.

COMMISSIONER CRANKOVICH moved to approve and authorize the Chair to sign the Woods & Steele Final Mylars, and to direct staff to place the issue on the May 16, 2006 Commissioner Agenda for ratification by the Board. **CHAIRMAN BOWEN** seconded. Motion carried 2-0.

CLERK OF THE BOARD

**KITTITAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

Julie A. Kjorsvik

David Bowen, Chairman