

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

**MONDAY**

**9:50 A.M.**

**APRIL 4, 2011**

Board members present: Chairman, Paul Jewell; Vice Chairman Alan Crankovich; Commissioner, Obie O'Brien.

Others: Mandy Robinson, Deputy Clerk of the Board; Greg Zempel, Prosecutor.

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**DEPARTMENT HEAD**

**PROSECUTOR**

Greg Zempel, Prosecutor presented the Board with a Water Rights Transfer training that is being held on May 19, 2011 in Seattle, Washington. He indicated that the training he felt looked to be extremely beneficial for one of our Prosecutors to attend and being that Deputy Suzanne Becker handles a great deal of the water issues currently, he requested sending her. The Board questioned whether or not Mr. Zempel had any training/travel funds left to use to send Ms. Becker. Mr. Zempel explained that they are financially spread thin and reminded the Board that there is a Deputy's salary that is not being used as the position was not filled when vacated earlier this year. He would like to request using some of those funds for the training. The Board questioned how much the training was reemphasized that earlier in the year they stated that training/travel was not to be paid for by unfilled positions. Mr. Zempel indicated that the training was \$520.00.

Commissioner O'Brien moved to approve a "one time only" approval for a budget transfer from Salary and Benefits to Training and Travel not to exceed \$520.00. Commissioner Jewell seconded. Motion carried 2-0. (Crankovich abstained)

**KITITAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD**

  
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Mandy Robinson

**KITITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

  
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Paul Jewell, Commissioner

**APPROVED**  
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