



# Kittitas County Solid Waste Programs

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## Study Session Minutes March 8, 2007

**Those Present:** Al Crankovich, David Bowen, Mark McClain, Patti Johnson and Lisa Bach

**\*\*Solid Waste Update:** Patti presented the board with a period end production analysis report. This report shows the different commodities accepted at the Counties facilities. In February the Transfer Stations received 2,280.04 tons of garbage and serviced 5,323 customers.

**Board Direction:** None

**\*\*Ryegrass Emergency Update:** Patti told the commissioners that the emergency temporary piping system is working well. The old system froze and needs to have some upgrades installed once the weather permits. The upgrades will include installing a check valve with the capability of draining the system for the winter months.

**Board Direction: None**

**\*\*Other-Street Sweepings:** Commissioner McClain asked Patti if she has looked into the options of having a program for street sweeping material. Currently street sweepings are hauled to Wenatchee and used for daily alternate cover material. The Solid Waste Plan has an option for this type of program. Patti is looking into the cost effectiveness including looking at taking out of County Waste. A permit would need to be obtained and a site would need to be constructed, including a concrete slab and a containment system. Equipment would also need to be purchased. Once the material was treated Solid Waste could use it on site as daily cover rather than purchasing cover material for the Landfill.

**Board Direction:** Continue to look into the program

**\*\*Other-Dozer:** Commissioner Crankovich asked Patti how the Dozer purchase was coming. Patti said she is working with Jim Vandeventer on writing the specs.

**Board Direction:** None

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Patti Johnson  
Director  
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