

**COMMISSIONERS' MINUTES  
KITTTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
COMMISSIONERS AUDITORIUM  
SPECIAL MEETING**

**MONDAY**

**8:00 A.M.**

**JULY 30, 2012**

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

Others: Mandy Robinson, Deputy Clerk of the Board, Takeshi Tsuda, Koji Fujiwara, Lisa Young, HR Director; Neil & Tami Caulkins, Host Family.

**SPECIAL MEETING**

**SANDA CITY ATHLETES**

**COMMISSIONERS**

At 8:05 a.m. Chairman Crankovich opened a Special Meeting to acknowledge Mr. Takeshi Tsuda and Mr. Koji Fujiwara who were the two athletes representing Kittitas County's Sister City, Sanda, Japan at the annual Whisky Dick Triathlon.

The Board acknowledged the importance of the continued exchanges between the two Sister Cities and how impressed they were of the two athletes who represented Sanda, Japan. They also expressed their appreciation to the Caulkins family for opening up their home and volunteering to host the two athletes and said the exchanges would not be possible without community members such as themselves. They welcomed the athletes to return at any time.

Commissioner O'Brien moved to approve a Certificate of Recognition to Takeshi Tsuda and Koji Fujiwara for their participation at the annual Whisky Dick Triathlon held on Sunday July 29, 2012. Chairman Crankovich seconded. Motion carried 2-0.

Commissioner O'Brien moved to approve a Certificate of Appreciation to the Caulkins family (Neil & Tami) for opening their home to host both athletes during their stay in Kittitas County. Chairman Crankovich seconded. Motion carried 2-0.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 a.m.

**DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD**

  
Mandy Robinson

**KITTTITAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
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Alan Crankovich, Chairman