COMMISSIONERS' MINUTES
KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON
COMMISSIONERS AUDITORIUM
SPECIAL MEETING

WEDNESDAY **9:00 A.M.** **MAY 20, 2015**

Board members present: Chairman Gary Berndt & Commissioner Paul Jewell. Absent: Vice-Chairman Obie O'Brien.

Others: Mandy Buchholz, Deputy Clerk of the Board; Holly Myers, EH Supervisor; Mark Cook, Public Works Director; Darren Higashiyama, Operations Commander. Applicant: Chris Aldridge.

SPECIAL MEETING **CLONEAPALOOZA-SPRING CAMPOUT** **COMMISSIONERS**

At 9:00 a.m. Chairman Berndt opened a Special Meeting to consider a Special Event Permit Application from Chris Aldridge to host the ConeAPalooza Spring Campout on May 30th & 31st, 2015.

Mandy Buchholz, Deputy Clerk of the Board gave a Staff report and reviewed the waiver's requested by the applicant, as well as the County Department feedback. She gave a recommendation of approval to the Board with contingencies, those being to approve the Special Event Application to hold CloneAPalooza Spring Campout on May 30th 2015 & May 31st, 2015. She stated that the applicant needed to comply with requirements from Public Works, Public Health, County Fire Marshal & County Sheriff as noted in the Staff report, as well as approving the waiver to KCC 5.20.160 & KCC 5.20.100.

The Board asked questions of County Staff in attendance that presented concerns noted within their contingent approvals. Commissioner Jewell expressed concerns with the applicant about not being upfront about the event. He referred to the event they hosted last summer being a "green friendly" event. He stated that had he known what the event actually was last year, he would have requested a penal bond instead of waiving that requirement. He stressed how important it is to have the applications turned in, in a timely manner and that receiving the application on 5/11/2015 for an event at the end of the month is not acceptable.

Commissioner Jewell moved to approve an Event Application for the CloneAPalooza Spring Campout on May 30, 2015 and May 31, 2015 from 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. (5.30.2015) & 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. (5.31.2015) and to grant a waiver to Kittitas County Code Chapter 5.20.160 (Closing Hours) - allowing the 1:00 a.m. waiver request. He stated that there will be **no** waiver to KCC 5.20.100 (Penal Bond -

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Bond of Indemnity) and that the applicant needs to have that submitted by no later than 5.27.2015 at 5:00 p.m., as well as the applicant meeting all requirements required by County Staff and noting that proof/approval of an acceptable security team meeting the requirements of the County Sheriff's office be provided by no later than 5.27.2015 at 5:00 p.m.. Chairman Berndt seconded. Motion carried 2-0.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 a.m.

DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD

Mandy Buchholz

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Gary Berndt, Chairman