

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

**Regular Meeting
relocated to
Hatton Town Hall
Hatton Washington**

May 19, 2004
(Wednesday)

Call to Order @ 9:00 a.m.

Present:

Chairman Rudy Plager
Vice-Chairman Richard Johnson

Absent:

Commissioner Jeffrey W. Stevens

Integrated Health Care Services

Director Brueske reported that an Environmental Health Director had been hired and will begin work on June 14, 2004.

Brueske noted that she and Callie Moore, R.N. were meeting on a monthly basis with Emergency Services Coordinator Weise to coordinate planning and purchasing efforts related to Homeland Security and handling public health emergencies.

Public Works

Director O'Brien and Engineer Johns reported on their attendance at the Equipment Expo in Moses Lake and discussed some of the equipment modifications made by various vendors and governmental entities.

The road construction schedule was reviewed along with possible impacts on the harvesting schedule. Bridge construction is scheduled to begin June 1.

Building and Planning

Director Wiltse discussed the Critical Areas Ordinance, Crab Creek WRIA meeting, and the agenda for the scheduled Columbia Basin Development League meeting.

Wiltse requested and received by **consensus** approval to advertise for the position vacancy of “Planner” within the department.

Economic Development

Analyst Krug provided an update on city assessments of strengths/weaknesses and on the progress of various groups developing goals/programs.

Town of Hatton

Mayor Jesse Rios spoke about a town concern that Public Works would be assessing this date; and, noted that they were currently updating their town water plan and were in the process of a town clean up effort. He expressed appreciation for county assistance when requested and complimented the county on their readiness to respond to questions and issues.

Dana Rios and Jim Pitts, Hatton citizens, were present for the meeting.

Adjournment @ 11:05 a.m.

Submitted:
s/Linda Reimer, MMC
Clerk of the Board

Edited and Approved:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
ADAMS COUNTY, WASHINGTON
s/Rudy Plager, Chairman
s/Richard Johnson, Vice-Chairman
-ABSENT-
Jeffrey W. Stevens, Commissioner