Camas County Commissioners Meeting

October 23, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m. by Chairman Travis Kramer. Also present were Commissioner Marshall Ralph, Commissioner Bill Davis, Prosecuting Attorney Matt Pember, Clerk Korri Blodgett, and an individual from the public.

The Board reviewed the Agenda. Commissioner Davis made a motion to approve the Agenda as posted. Seconded by Commissioner Ralph. Unanimous.

The Board reviewed the minutes of October 10. Commissioner Davis made a motion to approve the minutes of October 10 as corrected. Seconded by Commissioner Ralph. Unanimous. The Board reviewed the minutes of October 16. Commissioner Ralph made a motion to approve the minutes as corrected. Seconded by Commissioner Davis. Unanimous.

Commissioner Kramer informed the Board of a Sage Grouse Public meeting November 2nd at 6:30 p.m. at the BLM office in Twin Falls to discuss a Management Plan for Idaho that he will be attending.

Commissioner Davis discussed a LHTAC meeting he attended that discussed Hazardous Waste.

Commissioner Kramer made a motion to go into Executive session per Idaho Code 74-206(1)(f) to communicate with legal counsel regarding pending litigation. A roll call vote showed all in favor. The Board entered Executive session at 9:30 a.m. The Board came out of Executive session at 10:23 a.m. after a roll call vote showed all in favor.

The Board met with Steve Frost and Nate Lancaster. Nate is the acting District Forest Ranger, filling in for Mike Dettori while he is Twin Falls. They discussed a new project they are working on called Soldier Creek Recreation Improvements. It would include new unique signs, restrooms, trails, and improving the road and snowmobile parking lot. They also discussed some cross-country skiing ideas. The Board also discussed a previous conversation the Board had with Terry Platts regarding the Forest Service Travel Plan map. They will look into this and meet again at a later date.

The Board met with Assessor Lynn McGuire to discuss property near the county gravel pit described as the SE ¼ of the NW/ ¼ of Sec 11, T 2 S, R 14 E.B.M.

Treasurer Gayle Bachtell met with the Board to review the monthly financial reports.

Laira Thomas met with the Board to discuss the Camas Medical Clinic funds that the county has agreed to manage. The money has been used on maintenance, upgrades and utilities to support the clinic. She briefly explained the bill paying process of splitting the monthly phone bill and all utilities with Family Health Services. She would like to turn over all documents relating to the clinic to the courthouse for storing and also a cashier’s check to finalize the matter.

The Board recessed for lunch at 12:00 noon.

The Board reconvened at 1:00 p.m. in the Camas County courtroom to begin deliberations on the draft Zoning Ordinance.

The Board closed the deliberations at 3:35 p.m.

Commissioner Ralph made a motion to send recommendations to Planning and Zoning Commission. Seconded by Commissioner Davis. Unanimous.

Commissioner Davis made a motion to change definitions to P & Z. Seconded by Commissioner Ralph. Unanimous.

The Board adjourned at 3:40 p.m.

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Travis Kramer, Chairman Korri Blodgett, Clerk