

BOCC Staff meeting
Tuesday August 25, 2020

9:00 Andy Hover (AH), Chris Branch (CB), Jim DeTro (JD)
Lanie Johns, Clerk

Utilizing actual time.

9:10 Naomie Peasley, Fairgrounds Staff - Security systems on fairgrounds,

9:15 New suppression system in kitchen, also new convection oven needed. Stove from Okanogan Eagles needs to be cleaned up.

9:20 LTAC application for online auction.

9:22 – Joe Poulin – more on new suppression system at fairgrounds kitchen, started work on Baffles, HVAC update,

9:27 No new applications for custodian & Massey Ferguson Tractor being repaired.

9:28 – Pete Palmer,(talking from back of room, then standing by table, not at mic – cannot hear well) Re WRIA 49; got word this AM that they (WRIA committee) reviewed all comments they had up until now. Special meeting next Thursday, followed by next Thursday regular meeting. Following that, plan will be ready to go out for SEPA review. Moving right along. (Commissioners express approval)

9:32 - Dave Gecas, Deputy Prosecuting attorney, will be back later in PM with settlement paperwork, paying for outside professional services – land use cases. Moved, Seconded, and carried to pay for (her) services.

9:36 County received subpoenas for drug companies, unsure how to respond, filed objection, not sure how other counties are handling this. Working on public records requests.

MSO to sign agreement releasing claims.

9:40 BTW, Naomie Peasley found campground host , contract discussed with Dave Gecas.

9:50 Pete Palmer – quickly to the table regarding bills paid – problems

9:53 *****Short recess*****

10:24 Move to notify prosecutor that we have a complaint against county. Asked Lanie to draft letter promptly. Would like to meet in Public or executive session?

Discussion about the Stevens County Commissioners.

11:00 Josh Tomson, Public Works – Update on Solid Waste.

11:05 discussion of new no- plastic bag law going into effect 1/1/2021.

11:20 road work, been working with firefighters at the Palmer Fire.

11:25 Levy inspections, Gravel crushing contract
discussion re Mag vs chip seal.

11:34 – Letter completed (by Lanie) to prosecutor Noma, MSC to sign and send. Lanie
to scan & send in e-mail promptly

E-mail from Shelley from HR regarding FMLA. Would like to meet with
Commissioners. Possibly this afternoon. After the public comment period.

12:00 adjourn for lunch

Reconvene at 1:30 for public comment period.