City of Kittitas Council Meeting Special Session Minutes March 2, 2006

The Special Session Meeting of the Kittitas City Council began at 7:00 p.m., March 2, 2006, at the Community Hall. Mayor Cousart along with council members Gay, Gilmour, Helland, and Huber were present.

Staff present was City Clerk/Treasurer Robin Newcomb, Utility Worker Bosch, WWTP Operator Howard, Office Assistant Kathy Jensen, and Police Officers Shuart and Beaton.

Councilmember Huber explained how the RCW's read about the conduct that is expected at Council Meetings from the City employees.

Steve Troendle with USDA and Rick Frye with DOE both explained to the public the state and federal requirements the City of Kittitas is under and what the consequences could be if we didn't go forward with the sewer plant upgrade. Some of these could be a fine of up to \$10,000 per day and a moratorium on the City. Rick Frye suggested we go to our County and request that the City's portion of the sales tax of .08% start being remitted to the City.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

| Attest: | Mayor Robert E Cousart | |
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| | Clerk/Treasurer | |