City of Kittitas
Council Meeting Special Session Minutes
May 16, 2006

The Special Session Meeting of the Kittitas City Council began at 6:30 p.m., May 16, 2006, at Community Hall. Mayor Cousart along with council members Gilmour, Gay, and Helland were present.

Staff present was City Clerk/Treasurer Robin Newcomb, Utility Worker Bosch, and Office Assistant Kathy Jensen.

Planning Commission members Darryl Dees, Ron Damm, and Doug Kempf also attended.

Ted Gage, a planner with Community, Trade & Economic Development, initiated the program "A Short Course on Local Planning" which included the following speakers:

Kirsten Pederson, an attorney for Halverson & Applegate, gave a presentation on "The Legal Basis of Planning in Washington State".

Joyce Phillips, a senior planner for CTED, presented "Comprehensive Planning Basics".

Lisa Parks, a principal planner and owner of Alliance Consulting Group, gave her presentation on " The Role of the Planning Commission".

The meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Attest: Mayor Robert E Cousart _____

Clerk/Treasurer _____