



WASCO COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
REGULAR SESSION  
JUNE 8, 2011

PRESENT: Sherry Holliday, Chair of County Commission  
Scott C. Hege, County Commissioner  
Rod L. Runyon, County Commissioner  
Tyler Stone, Administrative Officer  
Kathy McBride, Executive Assistant

At 1:10 p.m. Chair Sherry Holliday called to order the Regular Session of the Board of Commissioners.

Chair Holliday asked if there were any changes to today's Agenda. There were none.

**OPEN TO DEPARTMENTS**

Linda Brown, County Clerk invited the Board to stop in on Friday, June 10<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. for the Referendum and Referral Training that will be held in the Deschutes Basement Meeting Room. Wasco County is hosting the training.

**CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL of the Regular Session Consent Agenda of June 8, 2011, (Attached as Exhibit A).**

{{{Commissioner Runyon moved to approve the Regular Session Consent Agenda of June 8, 2011 as presented. Commissioner Hege seconded the motion; it was then passed unanimously.}}}

**PUBLIC HEARING to consider amending the Wasco County Uniform Fee Schedule Ordinance.**

Chair Holliday called the Public Hearing to order.

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Chair Holliday announced that the Public Hearing was legally noticed and was published in The Dalles Chronicle on May 22, 2011. The legal notice was posted throughout the County and the proposed Ordinance was available for public review.

Chair Holliday noted that ORS 203.045 (5) allows the governing body to read the title of the Ordinance if no member of the governing body requests that the Ordinance be ready in its entirety, that the Ordinance has been provided to each member and has been available at the headquarters of the governing body at least one week before the first reading. The proposed Ordinance was made available to the Board of Commissioners and County Departments on May 25<sup>th</sup> and the public was provided notice of the availability of the Ordinance.

Chair Holliday called on staff to present the proposed changes to the Wasco County Uniform Fee Schedule Ordinance.

Kathy McBride, Executive Assistant, went over the changes being proposed by the County Clerk, County Sheriff and the Community Corrections Manager. The changes to the Ordinance are shown in bold print, (Attached as Exhibit B).

Chair Holliday asked if there was any one present wishing to provide public testimony.

There was no one present wishing to testify so the Public Hearing was closed to testimony.

None of the Board of Commissioners had any concerns with the proposed changes to the Uniform Fee Schedule Ordinance.

It is the preference of the Board that the Ordinance is read by title only.

**{{{Commissioner Runyon moved to continue the Public Hearing in the matter of amending the Wasco County Uniform Fee Schedule Ordinance until July 6, 2011 at 9:30 a.m. Commissioner Hege seconded the motion; it was then passed unanimously.}}}**

The Public Hearing was recessed at 1:21 p.m.

**CONSIDERATION of items listed on the Discussion List of June 8, 2011,  
(Attached as Exhibit C).**

Item #1

McBride informed the Board that John Roberts, Wasco County Planning & Development Director, mistakenly signed the Amendment to Intergovernmental Agreement #10-127

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between the Oregon Department of Energy and Wasco County. The Board needs to make a motion to approve the Agreement so that the document can be filed in the Commissioners Journal.

**{{{Commissioner Hege moved to approve the Amendment to Intergovernmental Agreement #10-127 between the Oregon Department of Energy and Wasco County. Commissioner Runyon seconded the motion; it was then passed unanimously.}}}**

Item #2

Some discussion occurred regarding the email received from Doris Flint, (Attached as Exhibit D).

Commissioners Hege and Runyon noted that Chad Sperry answered their questions regarding the bicycle race on Seven Mile Hill.

Commissioner Runyon also spoke to Sheriff Rick Eiesland and Chief Deputy Sheriff Lane Magill. Reserve Deputies are used during these events. He is satisfied that the Deputies are well trained to deal with any type of emergency that might occur during the race.

The Board discussed the race with Chad Sperry, President of Break Away Promotions/Organizer of the Mt Hood Cycling Classic.

Sperry stated that he has not had a single complaint filed with him to date. Emergency response vehicles always take priority. If there is an emergency they shut down the race and shove the bicyclist to the gutter. They have radio communication; the race can be shut down within 30 seconds.

A follow up meeting in regards to the race will take place on Friday. Rick Eiesland, Sheriff, and Marty Matherly, Roadmaster, can follow up with Doris Flint.

Ken Bailey stated that the biggest thing is making sure that there is good planning and communications.

Item #3 will be discussed when Amanda Hoey and Jessica Metta from Mid-Columbia Economic Development District are present.

Item #4

The Board discussed the letters of interest/resumes received for the opening on the Historic Columbia River Highway Advisory Committee. The applicants are Dennis Davis and Richard Lyon. The Office of the Board of Commissioners received a letter of

interest after the closing date. Staff sent the applicant an email thanking her for the interest in the opening after canvassing the Board on whether they wanted to accept the late letter of interest.

**{{{Commissioner Runyon moved to appoint Dennis Davis to the Historic Columbia River Highway Advisory Committee to fill the unexpired term of Jerry Igo. Commissioner Hege seconded the motion; it was then passed unanimously.}}}**

Item #5

The Board briefly discussed the request from Marty Matherly, Roadmaster, for the Board of Commissioners to adopt a Resolution suspending the establishment of new County Roads.

Tyler Stone, Administrative Officer, noted that John Roberts, Planning & Development Director, was initially concerned that the suspension could possibly impede economic development. However after further consideration Roberts feels that it may not stand in the way for anyone wanting to do development in the County.

Stone noted his concern which Matherly addressed by stating that the County would have the ability to make an exception.

It was the preference of the Board of Commissioners to schedule a time when Matherly could be present to discuss the matter.

Roberts stated that Matherly referenced a key provision in the County's land use code. It raised some apprehension on the creation of a major subdivision. After thinking about the issue he feels that it will probably not be a real deal breaker. The County can still require the developer to build the roads to standards.

Item #6

Chair Holliday stated that she is not available to help man a table for District 3 at the National Association of Counties (NACo) Conference in July.

Some discussion occurred.

Chair Holliday will email back Gilliam County Judge Pat Shaw to let her know of the Board's availability to assist District 3 with a booth at the NACo Conference.

**JOHN ROBERTS, WASCO COUNTY PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR. Consideration of the approval of the Professional Services Agreement between Wasco County and DeVaney Consulting, Inc.**

Roberts discussed with the Board and Stone the proposed Professional Service Agreement with DeVaney Consulting, Inc. He noted that the County has lost two professional planners which have left a real gap in their work load. The Department is short staffed at a busy time of the year. The Department's two Associate Planners are carrying 10 to 11 applications a piece as well as covering the counter.

Roberts is proposing that the County contract with Dotty DeVaney, former Wasco County Planning & Development Director, for two to three months to assist the Department, 8 to 12 hours per week. DeVaney could also mentor Roberts during that time. The cost would not be significant; it would be less than having a Planner on board.

Roberts stated that we are looking at a cost between \$2,200 to \$3,300 per month. The money was allocated in the Department's budget. He is hoping to be fully staffed within the next four to six weeks.

Some discussion occurred regarding the Professional Services Agreement.

Stone noted that County Counsel Eric Nisley was concerned that the Agreement was creating an employee/employer relationship. Stone ran the Agreement passed our Preloss Legal Counsel. Legal Counsel stated that the language would not be creating an employee/employer relationship. Based upon the language within the initial Agreement it would remain an independent contractor. Stone does not have any reservation about the Board approving either the original or revised Agreement.

**{{{Commissioner Runyon moved to approve the Professional Services Agreement with DeVaney Consulting, Inc. as proposed by John Roberts, Planning & Development Director. Commissioner Hege seconded the motion; it was then passed unanimously.}}}**

The Board recessed at 1:55 p.m.

The Board reconvened at 2:00 p.m.

**CONSIDERATION of the appointment of an individual to the Columbia River Gorge Commission as Wasco County's Representative.**

Chair Holliday called on Ken Bailey to summarize the interview process for the upcoming opening on the Columbia River Gorge Commission.

Ken Bailey, member of the interview panel, stated that we met two days two weeks ago to interview seven candidates. All were qualified for the position. The candidates believe in sustaining the preservation of the gorge act but increasing economic

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opportunities, and more specifically dealing with the upcoming issue of urban growth expansion for the City of The Dalles.

Bailey stated that of the candidates there was quite a bit of difference in the amount of experience dealing with the Gorge Commission or related to economic development. There were several that had more experience; those that had experience were coming from a different angle.

Bailey feels there will not be a lot of activity coming out of the Gorge Commission due to lack of funding. Getting someone with experience that can help in the long run with a base of activity where Wasco County's interest may lay as they move forward is important. The experience with dealing with the Gorge Commission, land use and economic development issues will be really important.

Bailey stated that the Board should pick a person that has the best experience and the ability to promote a position. He has his favorite.

Chair Holliday stated as we discuss the candidates she feels that Bailey should be a part of that discussion. She pointed out that John Roberts, Planning & Development Director, was a part of the interview panel on the first day of interviews, but not on the second day.

Commissioner Hege stated that he was impressed that we had seven qualified candidates. Dan Ericksen is the only one of the candidates that applied for appointment to the Gorge Commission by the Governor. He has had some discussions with the Governor's Office. Ericksen expressed at the interview that he does not feel he will be appointed by the Governor. Commissioner Hege stated he learned in speaking to the Governor's Office that the appointment has not been made. The appointment will not be done until September. He encouraged them to consider Ericksen. Commissioner Hege stated that he feels that Ericksen is our best chance to get someone else on the Gorge Commission.

Commissioner Hege stated in terms of our candidates all were qualified. The one candidate that hit what he was looking for was Rodger Nichols. Nichols did a great job in the interview. Commissioner Hege stated he has gotten more input from the public on this issue; they are supportive of Nichols being appointed. Someone told him that as a reporter Nichols has to remain neutral and research all sides of the issues. Commissioner Hege felt that was an interesting point. He feels that Nichols is the best candidate.

Commissioner Hege stated that he had a discussion with Ericksen. Ericksen understood where he was at. Commissioner Hege feels we should encourage Ericksen's appointment at the Governor Office. He is willing to do that.

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Commissioner Runyon stated that we have seven excellent candidates. All are uniquely different. He appreciates everything that Joan Silver is involved in. We all got down to the top three candidates; there were some differences. He is happy with the way the process went.

Commissioner Runyon does not feel we can go terribly wrong in our appointment. He is looking for someone that does not have a personal agenda. Nichols is his top candidate. Nichols having a news background knows what it takes; figuring out both sides of the issue to do the news. He feels that Nichols can do a great job for Wasco County.

Chair Holliday stated that everyone said the things that she was going to say. We can't say any more about the quality of the candidates. We were very fortunate. Of all the candidates she feels that Ericksen has the most knowledge of any of them. He understands the Ordinance and the writing of the Ordinances; getting them through the process. He has the political contacts as well. Ericksen has the best land use expertise of all the candidates.

Chair Holliday feels it is a good idea to continue to support him as the Governor's appointee. However she does not feel we can bank on that happening. She has three top candidates; Ericksen, Silver and Nichols. It is a tough decision. Of the three candidates we will be lucky to have any of them; they will represent us well.

Bailey stated that he has worked with Ericksen forever on land use issues since the late 1970s. Ericksen has the best technical background in land use and ordinance writing than any other candidate. He does not disagree with Nichols being an excellent choice.

Bailey stated that his number one candidate is Ericksen because of his experience. He understands the County's perspective administratively and the ordinance building and writing, and the technical things on getting them done. He would agree that Ericksen is a long shot for getting an appointment by the Governor. Bailey stated that he will work on getting Ericksen appointed by the Governor. There are some people he works with who have been involved in land use and understands the Oregon laws. He thinks we could make some points that we need some help there and putting Ericksen in that position will help.

Bailey noted that the Governors from both states have lean towards the preservation side more than the economic development piece. We need to say that Wasco County is the exception; we have gotten trapped in between the state rules and the national scenic rules.

Chair Holliday stated that she was on the County Court when the View Point Inn Application was before the Gorge Commission. Ericksen worked really hard; he was

able to stop that process to have the Gorge Commission rewrite the Ordinance that helped the entire gorge area instead of just the View Point Inn.

Commissioner Hege stated that he agrees that it may be a long shot. He feels Ericksen is our only shot to get an appointment from the Governor.

**{{{Commissioner Runyon moved to appoint Rodger Nichols to be Wasco County's Representative on the Columbia River Gorge Commission. Commissioner Hege seconded the motion; it was then passed unanimously.}}}**

Chair Holliday thanked the candidates for applying for the position and she thanked Bailey and Roberts for their input during the interview process.

Commissioner Hege stated that it would be nice for the Board of Commissioners to take official action to support Dan Ericksen as our Governor appointee.

Joan Silver stated that the best support that Ericksen can have is if we can reach out to people that are known in the community and who have some political activity to write letters of support. That will carry more weight. The word she has heard is that the Governor is leaning a certain way.

Commissioner Runyon stated that he does not want to do anything right now; he wants to research it.

Commissioner Hege stated that he spoke to Kendal Clausen at the Governor's Office. She told him the Governor will listen and will strongly consider the comments and calls that are received on a candidate.

Bailey stated that reaching out for support from outside Wasco County would also help. He suggested getting support from another County such as Hood River County.

Commissioner Runyon asked that Nichols be given a chance to say something at this time.

Rodger Nichols thanked the Board for his appointment. He is really honored. Nichols is willing to write a letter of support for Dan Ericksen. He will mention it in the news to encourage people to support Ericksen.

Chair Holliday suggested a Work Session to meet with Nichols to discuss gorge issues.

**KEVIN MACINTYRE, FARM SERVICE AGENCY. Request for a USDA Disaster Declaration determination due to freeze and frost damage to sweet cherries.**

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Kevin Macintyre, Farm Service Agency (FSA) Representative, stated that he provided the Board with a Fact Sheet. This process is used for several reasons. The Farm Bill Program sometimes triggers on a designation which provides opportunity for producers to qualify for emergency loans; low interest loans that FSA offers. This also may allow the Governor to open up some programs at the state level. The process must start at the County level.

Macintyre stated that we had an unusual weather event which affected a certain amount of people in the County. If it is bad enough, they document it. They will know after harvest if there is enough possible loss or actual loss. We are getting our ducks in line for a Secretarial Designation.

Macintyre stated that the Board of Commissioners would ask the Governor's Office to make a request on Wasco County's behalf for a Secretarial Determination. The Secretary knows that this event is not an immediate loss; we will gather data. When the data is available then the Secretary will make the determination. The SURE Program triggers a lower threshold for producers that reside within the effected County.

Macintyre explained the weather events that occurred within Wasco County and what the impact on the sweet cherry crop is as outlined in their letter to the Board of Commissioners, (Attached as Exhibit E).

Ken Bailey stated that if you look at numbers that were projected yesterday we could have the second biggest crop in the County. Part of the County had significant losses; part of the County has a great crop. When you look at farms south of The Dalles from Eight Mile south to Dufur there are orchards that have 30% to 40% of a crop maybe less. Some have tree loss. It is hard to tell how much that will amount to until you get to harvest.

Bailey stated that you have to have a claim in by the time you get to harvest. We have gone ahead and filed claims but we are not sure of what loss we will have. We have a potential loss here. It may not be a disaster for Wasco County, but for several growers it can be. Bailey pointed out that Hood River County had a major storm 10 days ago. They have significant damage that you can see right now.

Macintyre stated that he is in the process of working with Hood River County. There is benefit of being in a continuous County designation. If Wasco County is successful it will benefit the other eight surrounding Counties. He is trying to do due diligence. It requires a 30% loss in the crop. It is based on physical production losses. Because of the timelines they may ask for information prior to the end of harvest. Going south their losses may push 30%.

Some discussion occurred.

Kathy McBride, Executive Assistant, noted the difference in this year's request as compared to the previous year's requests. This year the Board would be asking for a Disaster Declaration Determination instead of a Disaster Declaration.

**{{{Commissioner Runyon moved to approve Resolution #11-011 in the matter of requesting a USDA Disaster Declaration Determination for Wasco County, Oregon. Commissioner Hege seconded the motion; it was then passed unanimously.}}}**

**AMANDA HOEY AND JESSICA METTA, MID-COLUMBIA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT. Consideration of the approval of the Intergovernmental Agreement to provide Economic Development Commission Staffing Services to Wasco County.**

Amanda Hoey and Jessica Metta from Mid-Columbia Economic Development District (MCEDD) met with the Board to discuss the Intergovernmental Agreement for the Economic Development Commission Staffing Contract.

Hoey noted that the Agreement is based primarily on what MCEDD has been doing in previous years. The Agreement is designed to have full coverage for the services that they are providing and to include the direction of what the Board of Commissioners wants to see.

Hoey noted that there were no changes suggested by the Wasco County Economic Development Commission (EDC) as to the scope of work. Jessica Metta has primarily been the lead staff in providing the services to the EDC over the last couple of years.

Chair Holliday stated that the City of The Dalles and Wasco County will be getting an employment tax credit rebate for being Enterprise Zone Co-Sponsors for the Google Project. The City and the County have agreed to split the money equally. Chair Holliday is suggesting that this money be added to the budget for economic development.

The Board will discuss this matter at their Regular Session on June 15<sup>th</sup>.

**{{{Commissioner Hege moved to approve Intergovernmental Agreement #11-020 between Wasco County and Mid-Columbia Economic Development District. Commissioner Runyon seconded the motion; it was then passed unanimously.}}}**

Hoey, Metta, and Joan Silver, Economic Development Commission Chair, discussed the proposed Economic Development Commission Project entitled Undeveloped Industrial/Commercial Property with the Board, (Attached as Exhibit F).

Metta explained what the proposed Project would entail.

Commissioner Hege stated that he thinks the Project is a great idea. He feels it is important to have that type of data. Commissioner Hege feels it would be interesting to take a step back and look at it to assess what that means for the County. We might be able to come up with some issues that rise to the surface that we could address in some way.

Silver stated that one potential cost in doing the project would be the cost from the GIS Department.

**Other Business:**

Commissioner Runyon noted the email that Commissioner Hege forwarded to him in regards to the State of Oregon approving the Columbia River Gorge Commission Budget.

The Board directed staff to schedule a Work Session on June 15<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m. with Rodger Nichols, newly appointed Columbia River Gorge Commissioner, and Judy Davis, existing Gorge Commissioner.

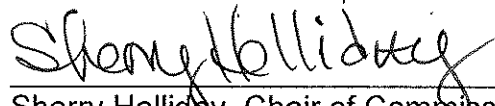
The Board signed:

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- Lease Agreement between Wasco County and Home At Last Humane Society.
- Wasco County Misdemeanor Supervision Policy for Community Corrections.
- Amended Resolution #11-012 in the matter of accepting and appropriating unanticipated Homeland Security Grant Funds in the amount of \$15,000.00 during Fiscal Year 2010-2011.
- Agreement #27781 between the Oregon Department of Transportation, Public Transit Division, and Wasco County.
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- Order #11-089 in the matter of authorizing the transfer of funds within and between certain County Departments/Funds.
- Regular Session Minutes of June 1, 2011.
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The Board adjourned at 3:03 p.m.

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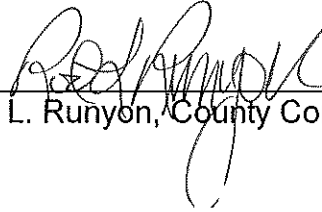
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Sherry Holliday, Chair of Commission



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Scott C. Hege, County Commissioner



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**CONSENT AGENDA**

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IN THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE STATE OF OREGON  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASCO

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDING )  
WASCO COUNTY'S UNIFORM FEE ) ORDINANCE  
SCHEDULE FOR VARIOUS COUNTY ) #11-002  
DEPARTMENTS. )

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF WASCO COUNTY, OREGON,  
DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. PURPOSE

The purpose of this Ordinance is to amend established uniform fees to be collected by Wasco County Departments for performing the service required or necessitated by various state statutes.

Section 2. AUTHORITY

This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to the authority granted to general law Counties by ORS 203.035 and by Chapter 833 of the 1979 Oregon Laws.

Section 3. FEE SCHEDULE

The following fees shall be charged and collected by the indicated Department before the filing, recording, or copying of subject documents shall be completed:

(A) WASCO COUNTY DEPARTMENTS

- (1) The fee for photocopies shall be \$.25 per sheet for 8.5 x 11 paper and 8.5 x 14 paper.
- (2) The fee for photocopies shall be \$1.00 per sheet for 11 x 17 paper or larger.
- (3) The fee for a computer screen printout shall be \$.25 per sheet.
- (4) The search fee shall be \$40.00 per hour, with one hour minimum.
- (5) The computer report fee shall be \$40.00 plus actual printing and material cost.
- (6) The fee for computer labels shall be \$40.00 plus actual printing and material cost.
- (7) The fee for fax transmissions shall be \$3.00.
- (8) The fee for electronic information services shall be \$40.00 per hour, with one hour minimum.
- (9) The fee for micro-fiche and micro-film copies shall be \$.50 per sheet.
- (10) The fee for color photocopies shall be \$1.00 per sheet.
- (11) The fee for a copy of the Wasco County Budget shall be \$20.00.
- (12) The handling fee for credit card processing shall be \$2.50 per transaction.

(B) WASCO COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

(1) The fee for performing the services set forth in ORS 209.260 shall be \$150.00 for the filing and indexing of a new map of a survey (no limit on size or number of sheets).

(2) The fee for Blue Line Printing shall be \$.30 per sq. ft. (\$1.00 minimum).

(3) The fee for the Surveyor to check partition plats, property line adjustment plats, and replats shall be \$400.00.

(4) The fee for the Surveyor to check subdivision plats and subdivision replats shall be \$525.00 per plat plus \$50.00 per lot.

(5) The fee for the Surveyor to check condominium plats shall be \$525.00 per plat plus \$50.00 per building.

(C) WASCO COUNTY YOUTH SERVICES DEPARTMENT

(1) The fee for formal probation shall be \$30.00 per charge or group of charges occurring on the same date.

(2) The fee for informal probation shall be \$10.00 per charge or group of charges occurring on the same date.

(3) The fee for all urine analysis tests shall be \$10.00 with an additional \$5.00 fee for all tests resulting in a positive finding for control substances.

(4) The fee for all first referrals of minor in possession of alcohol shall be \$100.00.

(5) The fee for probation violation upheld by a Court filing shall be \$50.00.

(D) WASCO COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

(1) The fee for performing the services set forth in ORS 92.090, 92.100 and 271.230 and 205.350 shall be as follows:

(a) For approval by the County Court, County Assessor and County Treasurer of any plat, the County Clerk shall collect \$10.00 for each Department's approval;

(2) For recording and indexing any plat, the County Clerk, in whose office the deeds of the County are kept, shall charge as follows:

(a) For plats containing 20 lots or less - \$35.00.

(b) For plats containing over 20 lots - \$50.00.

(c) For more than one sheet per plat - \$5.00 per additional sheet.

(d) For partition plats - \$35.00.

(3) The fee for performing the services set forth in ORS 271.230(2) for the services of the County Surveyor for marking the record upon the original plat shall be \$15.00 to be collected by the County Clerk and paid to the County Surveyor.

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(4) The fee for a transcript from the County Clerk lien docket to Circuit Court shall be \$10.00 which is set forth in ORS 205.320(13).

(5) The fee for performing the services set forth in ORS 517.030 shall be \$5.00 per page paid to the County Clerk who shall immediately pay over said sum to the County Treasurer.

(6) The fee for performing the services set forth in ORS 517.220 shall be \$5.00 per page.

(7) The fee for performing the services set forth in ORS 517.290 shall be \$5.00 per page.

(8) The fee for performing the services set forth in ORS 471.166(7) for liquor license application recommendation shall be \$25.00 per license.

(9) The fee for staff to act as a witness to a marriage shall be \$15.00 per witness.

(10) The fee for a time waiver for a marriage license shall be \$15.00.

(11) The fee for amending a filed record of marriage or marriage certificate shall be **\$25.00**.

(12) The fee for "Certificate of Consent to Marriage of a Minor" shall be \$15.00.

(13) The fee to reissue a Marriage License shall be **\$25.00**.

(E) WASCO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

- (1) The fee for providing a copy of a crime report shall be \$5.00 per request, plus \$.50 per page.
- (2) The fee for providing a copy of an accident report shall be \$5.00 per request, plus \$.50 per page.
- (3) The fee for taking a complete set of fingerprints and providing an inked set shall be \$15.00 per card.
- (4) The fee for providing copies of cassette tapes or audio CDs shall be \$10.00 per tape or \$15.00 per CD.
- (5) The fee for photographs shall be \$10.00 per roll or \$15.00 per CD.

(F) WASCO COUNTY FINANCE OFFICE

- (1) The fee for placing a stop payment on a Wasco County issued check shall be \$33.00 per check.
- (2) The fee for a returned item (non-sufficient funds, account closed, etc.) deposited to a Wasco County bank account shall be \$25.00 per check.

(G) WASCO COUNTY COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS

DEPARTMENT

- (1) The fee for Monitored Bench Probation placement and supervision shall be \$120.00 (one time fee).
- (2) The fee for Monitored DA Diversion placement and supervision shall be \$120.00 (one time fee).

- (3) The fee for DUII evaluation and compliance monitoring shall be \$90.00 (one time fee).
- (4) The fee for interstate compact transfer request processing (Oregon as the sending State) shall be \$50.00 (one time fee).
- (5) The fee for active parole and/or probation supervision shall be \$35.00 per month.
- (6) The fee for community service work program evaluation, placement and monitoring shall be \$35.00.
- (7) The fee for urine analysis testing shall be \$15.00 (per sample).
- (8) The fee for DNA sample draw and processing shall be \$10.00 (one time fee).
- (9) The fee for inter-county transfer request processing (Wasco County as the sending County) shall be \$10.00 (one time fee).
- (10) The fee for electronic home detention program placement and monitoring shall be \$5.00 per day.
- (11) The fee for photocopy material requested shall be \$1.00 per sheet.
- (12) The fee for a Trip Permit to travel out of state shall be \$2.00 per each trip permit issued.

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(13) The fee for providing a Department of Motor Vehicle (DMV) Letter shall be \$10.00.

(14) The fee for a Non-Departmental Drug Screen shall be **\$35.00.**

(H) WASCO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENT & TAX

(1) The fee for mapping changes and new plats shall be \$250.00.

(2) The fee for calculating farm/forest disqualifications shall be \$40.00, minimum hourly fee per account. To be applied against penalty if the account is disqualified within 90 days.

(3) The fee for certifying true copies shall be \$5.00.

(4) The fee for completing and processing the change of ownership status for a manufactured structure in the LOIS System to "Exempt From Title" shall be \$55.00. If a Title Company completes the forms and presents the completed documents to the Tax Collector for review and processing, the fee shall be \$25.00.

(I) WASCO COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

(1) The fee for filing a Road Vacation Petition shall be \$500.00 per Petition.

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(J) WASCO COUNTY INFORMATION SERVICES  
DEPARTMENT

(1) The Hourly Service Fee for services rendered shall  
be \$120.00 per hour.

SECTION 4 – ENACTMENT PROVISIONS.

(1) CONFORMANCE WITH LAW

Except as expressly provided herein, this Ordinance shall in no way  
be a substitute for or eliminate the necessity of conforming with any and all  
State and Federal laws, rules and regulations including but not limited to the  
payment of all other fees required by law and other Ordinances which are  
now or may be in the future in effect which relate to the requirements  
provided in this Ordinance.

(2) SEPARABILITY

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this  
Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by a Court of  
competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and  
independent provision and such holdings shall not affect the validity of the  
remaining portion of this Ordinance.

(3) EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall take effect on October 4, 2011, upon its  
adoption.

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Regularly passed and adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the  
County of Wasco, State of Oregon, by a \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ vote this 6th day of  
July, 2011.

WASCO COUNTY BOARD  
OF COMMISSIONERS

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Sherry Holliday, Chair of Commission

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Scott C. Hege, County Commissioner

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Rod L. Runyon, County Commissioner

ATTEST:

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Kathy McBride  
Executive Assistant

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Eric J. Nisley  
District Attorney

WASCO COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
REGULAR SESSION  
JUNE 8, 2011

DISCUSSION LIST

ACTION AND DISCUSSION ITEMS:

1. Motion to approve the Amendment to Intergovernmental Agreement #10-127 between the Oregon Department of Energy and Wasco County.
2. Discussion on email received from Doris Flint, dated June 3, 2011, in regards to bicycle races on Seven Mile Hill.
3. Discussion on proposed Wasco County Economic Development Commission Project entitled Undeveloped Industrial/Commercial Property.
4. Discussion on Letters of Interest/Resumes received for the opening on the Historic Columbia River Highway Advisory Committee.
5. Consideration of the request from Marty Matherly, Wasco County Roadmaster, for the Board of Commissioners to adopt a Resolution declaring a Suspension on the Establishment of New County Roads.
6. Consideration of the email from Pat Shaw, Gilliam County Judge, in regards to District 3 sponsoring a booth at the NACo Conference in July, 2011.

ON HOLD ITEMS:

1. Discussion on the email received from Dan Hendrix in regards to County owned property located in Shaniko, Oregon. (On hold)



Kathy McBride <kathymc@co.wasco.or.us>

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## Re: Bikers

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Sherry Holliday <sherryh@co.wasco.or.us>

Fri, Jun 3, 2011 at 2:38 PM

To: Doris J Flint <maflint@gorge.net>

Cc: "Hege, Scott" <schege@gmail.com>, Rod Runyon <reckless.1@hotmail.com>, Rick Eiesland <ricke@co.wasco.or.us>, Marty Matherly <Martym@co.wasco.or.us>

Bcc: kathymc@co.wasco.or.us

Hello Mrs. Flint,

Thank you for your comments regarding the bike races that are occurring on Seven Mile Hill. I will forward your e-mail to both our Public Works Department and our Sheriff's office who would be the permitting agencies. Further, I will ask for your request to be added to our Board of Commissioners discussion list.

I hope we can come up with an acceptable plan that gives everyone the same consideration.

Again, thank you for your comments,  
Sherry Holliday, Chair  
Wasco County Board of Commissioners

On Fri, Jun 3, 2011 at 2:16 PM, Doris J Flint <maflint@gorge.net> wrote:

I wish to file a formal complaint regarding the continuous bicycle races that we have over seven mile hill.

Today was one of the worst so far. There was a deputy sheriff in a scout car stopping legitimate traffic for up to one-half hour in order to let the bikers through. I realize the county position is the races and attendees bring in revenue but the residents here should be given some consideration.

To have a race through the work week is BAD. The school bus was even detained due to the race. Some parents were probably greatly concerned when their children were late in arriving home. If anyone had had a real medical emergency, they could have been in big trouble before getting through on seven mile. The only alternative would have been to return the way they had come, take Marsh Cutoff to Hwy 30 then to The Dalles or continue down into Mosier and then to The Dalles or Hood River for care. An ambulance would have had just as much trouble due to no notification regarding the route closure.

I do not know who has responsibility for scheduling/approving these rides but there needs to be much more consideration given to the day, time of day, route, local users and notifying residents prior to this type of activity so emergency plans/routes can be thought out ahead of time.

I am sure Scott would not have liked it if he needed to get to town for appointments and was blocked for one-half to forty-five minutes on the way in.

Please take this under advisement and remedy the situation.

Thank you  
Doris J. Flint  
Mosier

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**DATE:** June 1, 2011

**TO:** Wasco County Board of County Commissioners  
Kathy McBride, Executive Assistant

**FROM:** Carleton Clausen, Chair  
Wasco/Hood River County FSA Committee

**SUBJECT:** 2011 Freeze & Frost Damage to Sweet Cherries

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The Farm Service Agency (FSA) is charged with the implementation and administration of all "2008 Farm Bill" programs available to all eligible Wasco County producers. The relevance of this letter is to facilitate the implementation of the Supplemental Revenue Assistance Program (SURE) for the 2011 crop year.

The SURE program is designed to assist commodity producers who have been adversely affected by natural weather events. The SURE program is implemented in two different ways to achieve the program's mission. The first method consists of producers who have been adversely affected by natural weather events on an individual basis. With this method the individual producer must have suffered crop losses of at least 50 percent on the whole farms' normal production.

The second method consists of a county which has been designated by the Secretary of Agriculture as a disaster affected county. This Secretarial Disaster Declaration reduces the SURE program eligibility threshold down from 50 percent crop loss to only 10 percent crop loss. Now producers who have been adversely affected by natural weather events must only suffer a 10 percent loss on only one of his farms' significant crops. As you can see, a Secretarial Disaster Declaration is very advantageous for the producers who have suffered weather related crop losses.

Producers throughout Wasco County have been reporting freeze and frost events this winter and spring which have the potential for severe sweet cherry loss for the 2011 crop year. Areas of later maturing sweet cherry varieties south of The Dalles, Boyd and Dufur were unusually affected. Freeze damage also occurred farther south in the Tygh Valley, Long Hollow, and Wamic areas.

For background purposes, there have been two significant freeze events occurred during the late winter and early spring seasons which may result in significant sweet cherry losses:

- From February 24<sup>th</sup> to February 26<sup>th</sup> overnight temperatures dipped into the single digits. This event could severely affect the young fruit bearing branches.
- From April 20<sup>th</sup> through April 23<sup>rd</sup> overnight temperatures again dipped into the low 20's during the critical fruit budding stage.
- Hood River County also suffered the same events on the same dates with equally adverse effects to their commodity crops.



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For FSA purposes the second event date is the one causing the most significant damages. Although the true measure of fruit loss will not be known until after the harvest season is completed, the cumulative effects of the two events are mounting. FSA has received several requests for the Tree Assistance Program (TAP) which cost-shares on the replacement of trees affected by natural disaster events. As of this date, four Hood River County producers have inquired or applied for the TAP program due to fruit trees which have died or were severely damaged by these two freeze events. The Non-Insurable Assistance Program (NAP) which insures immature sweet cherry trees for production losses, as of this date has processed Notices of Loss on 24 Sweet cherry units.

As harvest approaches, FSA, OSU Extension agents and several commodity field men will be gathering the necessary data to document the crop losses experienced by this county. This data will be used to finalize any disaster assistance which may be available if program thresholds are met.

Due to these unusual weather events, the Wasco/Hood River FSA County Committee recommends that the Wasco County Board of Commissioners consider submitting a letter to the Oregon State Governor's office requesting a USDA Disaster Declaration determination for Wasco County due to weather related damage to the 2011 sweet cherry crop.

**Wasco County Economic Development Commission****Undeveloped Industrial/ Commercial Property Project: Brief Description**

The EDC would gather information about available undeveloped, and potentially underutilized, Industrial and Commercial properties within Wasco County, including information about ownership, infrastructure available, size and other information that would be of interest to potential developers. This information would be compiled in an easy-to-use format with maps and made available on the EDC's website and linked to from other websites (area realtors, The Dalles Chamber, Oregon Prospector, etc.). The purpose of this project would be to make it easier for business to find undeveloped, available Industrial and Commercial property within the County.