

Tri-Commission Meeting Special Meeting Minutes

Wenatchee Convention Center and Zoom Virtual Conference March 26th, 2024 1:00 pm

Present:

Chelan Douglas Regional Port Authority

JC Baldwin, POCC Commissioner
Donn Etherington, POCC Commissioner
Jim Huffman, PODC Commissioner
Mark Spurgeon, PODC Commissioner
W. Alan Loebsack, PODC Commissioner
Richard DeRock, POCC Commissioner
Jim Kuntz, Chief Executive Officer
Monica Lough, Director of Finance
Mikenna Scott, Executive Assistant
Sarah Deenik- Accounting &
Administrative Manager
Trent Moyer- Director of Airports
Brooke Lammert- Economic Development
Specialist

Chelan County PUD

Randy Smith, Commissioner
Andrew Grassell, Mng. Energy Dev. & Conservation
Steve McKenna, Commissioner
Carnan Bergren, Commissioner
Kelly Allen, Commissioner
Kirk Hudson, General Manager
Justin Erickson, Mng. Director District Services
Kelli Scott, Gov. Affairs Program Manager
Rebekah Neumann, Clerk of the Board

Chelan County

Kevin Overbay, Commissioner Shon Smith, Commissioner Tiffany Gering, Commissioner Anabel Torres, Deputy Clerk of the Board Ron Cridlebaugh, Chelan County Mike Kaputa, Director

Elected Officials

Carl Florea, Mayor, City of Leavenworth Jerrilea Crawford, Mayor, City of East Wenatchee Jim Fletcher, Mayor, City of Cashmere Erin McCardle, Mayor, City of Chelan Mike Poirier, Mayor, City of Wenatchee

Guests

Steve Wilkinson, Wenatchee Chamber
Malachi Salcido, Salcido Group Inc.
Ruby Gaston, Rep Schrier's Office
Nick Covey, Link Transit
Emily Thornton, Wenatchee World
Brandt Coppell, Office of St. Rep. Keith Goehner
Steve Keene Peshastin WD & Com. C.
Kasey Safford, NCW life
David Marten, Elevate Governmental Affairs
Tara Goode, ClimaVision
Apoorva Bajaj, ClimaVision
Ian Alexander, ClimaVision

The Tri Commission Meeting and respective Special Commission Meetings were called to order and/or reconvened at 1:09 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was conducted and roll call was taken. Justin Erickson, Chelan County PUD, facilitated the meeting.

PRESENTATION:

• Tara Goode V.P. of ClimaVison gave a presentation regarding the weather radar system ClimaVison has to offer and how it will help bridge the radar gap in

Northcentral Washington. Tara told commissioners and guests that ClimaVison's top priority is securing sites to install the radar systems.

UPDATES:

- Chelan County Commission
 - Community Meetings taking place with county commissioners and county department officials throughout Chelan County.
 - Mike Kaputa & Ron Cridlebaugh provided an update on Stehekin Sustainability Plan
- Chelan Douglas Regional Port Authority
 - o Malaga Economic Development
 - o Firing Range Update
 - o The G.A. Terminal Building
 - o The Trades District
 - o Regional Sports Complex
 - o Economic Development Partners Breakfast & Lunch
 - Second flight brought back to Pangborn
- Chelan County PUD
 - o 50-year Strategic plan- Imagine 2075
 - Commissioner McKenna invited everyone to participate in strategic plan process on April 23rd.
 - o Project update on substation buildout

CHELAN COUNTY MAYORS UPDATE – Chelan County Mayors/staff provided updates and information.

OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT: No comments were made.

COMMISSIONER COMMENTS: No comments were made.

OTHER COMMENTS: None.

The Tri Commission Meeting and respective Special Commission Meetings adjourned at 2:34 p.m.

Signed and dated this 9th day of April 2024.

CHELAN DOUGLAS REGIONAL PORT AUTHORITY

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