

PA Update

January 13, 2021

9:02 a.m.

Present: Commissioner Stamper, Commissioner Pollock, Commissioner Swope, County Manager Erik Martin, Amber Smith, Cullen Gatten, Eric Eisenberg, Josh Metcalf, Katie Conradi, Wes Rethwill, Chris Panush, Tailor Albright

Guests: Bill Serrahn, Edna J. Fund

Recorder: Rieva Lester

Eric Eisenberg provided an overview of the role of the Prosecuting Attorney's Office.

At 9:14 a.m., Commissioner Stamper announced that the Board would be going into Executive Session under RCW 42.30.110(1)(i) for 20 minutes to review existing litigation.

Executive Session started at 9:16 a.m.

At 9:36 a.m., the Board extended Executive Session for 5 minutes.

Executive Session ended at 9:41 a.m. Commissioner Stamper noted that no decisions had been made.

Rieva Lester noted that White Pass Scenic Byway missed the deadline for 2020 lodging tax reimbursements. The commissioners agreed to accept White Pass Scenic Byway's late reimbursement request and to extend the deadline to 3 p.m. Jan. 15 for all of the grant recipients.

Eric Eisenberg noted that allowing a grace period is acceptable as long as it doesn't interfere with governmental accounting practices.

Former Commissioner Edna J. Fund discussed a Jan. 4 article in The Chronicle, "Federal Agency Finds Chehalis Dam Merits Next Step." She also discussed the county's Rivers website, which include information on flooding.

Meeting ended at 9:53 a.m.