

BOCC Wrap-Up

October 9, 2023

9 a.m.

Present: Commissioner Swope, Commissioner Brummer, Commissioner Pollock, County Manager Ryan Barrett, Steve Wohld, Becky Butler, Kate Chatterton, Nic Scott

Guest(s): Bill Serrahn

Recorder: Rieva Lester

Public comment: None.

Business Meeting change: Commissioner Pollock made a motion to add to the Oct. 10, 2023, Business Meeting Resolution 23-331: Modify restrictions on outdoor burning to allow permitted burning throughout lands regulated by Lewis County. Commissioner Brummer seconded. Motion passed 3-0.

Late submission for Lodging Tax grant: Rieva Lester said staff was contacted by the East Lewis County Chamber of Commerce at 3 p.m. Oct. 6, which was the deadline for lodging tax applications. Rieva said the group indicated it had technical difficulties.

The commissioners directed staff to extend the lodging tax submission deadline until 3 p.m. Oct. 13.

Secure Rural Schools: The group discussed Secure Rural Schools funding and lobby costs.

Cash-flow loan review: The group reviewed a proposed cash-flow loan.

Grant for Fairgrounds water system: The group discussed potential grant funding for the county's water project at the fairgrounds.

Meeting ended at 9:15 a.m.