## PORT OF KLICKITAT

## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING MINUTES April 7, 2009

**REGULAR MEETING** 

ТОРІС	DISCUSSION/ASSESSMENT/FINDINGS	ACTION
Attendance	Commissioner/Staff Present: Port Commissioners (PCs) Norm Deo,	Meeting called to order at 4:34 pm.
	Rodger Ford and Wayne Vinyard; Executive Director (Exec.D) Marc	
	Thornsbury; Business Development Manager (BDM) Robert Fishback	
	and Administrative Assistant/Bookkeeper (AA/B) Margie Ziegler.	
	PC/Staff Absent: None. Guests Present: None	
Administrative Matters	Minutes – March 17, 2009	PC Ford M, to approve the consent
Consent Agenda	Vouchers – March 26, 2009, #22844, \$50.00.	agenda with corrections. PC Vinyard
	Payroll Vouchers – March 31, 2009, #22845-22865, \$15,799.88.	S. MP
	Vouchers – April 7, 2009, #22866-22885, \$40,218.71	
Executive Director's Report:	(Exec.D) Thornsbury said he has been talking with a paint contractor to	
DIP Water Tower	come and look at the tank and give a recommendation. Thornsbury said	
	he would also like to have the structure of the tank inspected.	
	Thornsbury said he has been talking with Darrin Eckman, Tenneson	
	Engineering, about fire flow during reservoir maintenance. Thornsbury	
	said he is considering adding interior reservoir cleaning in the 2010	
	budget.	
Strategic Plan	No discussion	
BPT Infrastructure Permits	(Exec.D) Thornsbury said the KC Board of Commissioners will meet on	
	April 14, 2009 to approve the permit. Thornsbury said the approved	
	permit will then go to the DOE for final approval. Thornsbury said the	
	DOE approval should be no more than thirty days.	
Dow Road Salt Cakes	(Exec.D) Thornsbury said the Dow Road Salt Cake material has been	PC Ford M, to pay Deans an
	removed. Thornsbury met with Mark Dunbar, DOE, who wants six test	additional \$5,600.00 to complete the
	pits for soil sampling. Thornsbury said he will put together a bid for soil	clean up project and directed
	sampling. Thornsbury said the sample results and a report will then be	(Exec.D) Thornsbury to have testing
	forwarded to DOE. Thornsbury said the costs to date are \$26,000.00.	completed to meet DOE

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Executive Director's Report: Continued Dow Road Salt Cakes continued	Thornsbury said Deans completed the rest of the clean-up and hauled away the material. Thornsbury said with the completed clean-up costs the project will be a total of \$31,600.00. Thornsbury said these funds will come from the amount budgeted for asphalt improvements in the 2009 Budget.	requirements, PC Vinyard S. MP
Barge Dock Staging Area Rates	(Exec.D) Thornsbury reviewed the day use rate for the barge dock staging area. Discussion followed.	By consensus, the PC agreed to keep the day use rate for the staging area at \$20.00 per day.
Future Development	(Exec.D) Thornsbury started discussion regarding the strategy for future development at DIP and Bingen Point. Thornsbury explained funding concerns from CERB and EDA. Thornsbury asked if the PC wanted to split the Bingen Point infrastructure project into phases. Thornsbury asked if the PC wanted to just develop lots with infrastructure near by. Discussion followed. Thornsbury said that the CERB funding will not be determined until the State of Washington passes its budget. Thornsbury will send a letter to Gary Locke regarding EDA funding. Thornsbury said Klickitat County is still interested in helping the Port with the project.	By consensus, the PC agreed that the Bingen Point infrastructure is important to future development.
CCR's	PC Deo said he has not had an opportunity to look through the CCR's. PC Ford said he would like to go over the CCR's with (BDM) Fishback. PC Deo said the revised CCR's could then be sent out with the changes highlighted. PC Vinyard suggested a workshop for one hour during a future PC meeting.	By consensus, the PC agreed to make CCR's an agenda item for the next meeting and to allocate up to an hour for discussion.
Bldg 1A-Ste B	(Exec.D) Thornsbury said clean-up is going well in Bldg 1A-Ste. B and it looks great. Thornsbury said photos will be taken for the Port's website and future marketing. Thornsbury said some of the electrical will be re-routed. PC Deo said it is important for maintenance to keep track and make sketches of the electrical changes. Thornsbury said the	

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Executive Director's Report: Continued	funds budgeted for computer hardware and phone system in the 2009 budget will be used to make the electrical improvements.	
Bldg 1A-Ste B continued		
Committee Reports	<ul> <li>PC Deo: Deo said he will not be able to attend the first meeting in May. It was discussed that there will be only one meeting in May and the next PC meeting will be May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2009. PC Deo said he attended the Airport meeting on April 3, 2009. PC Deo said the new hangers are in construction.</li> <li>PC Ford: PC Ford attended the MCCED meeting and said they discussed development in Cascade Locks.</li> <li>PC Vinyard: nothing</li> <li>(Exec.D) Thornsbury said he contacted James Dean regarding the Hemlock Dam removal project and the material will stay on site.</li> <li>(Exec.D) Thornsbury said the light project in Bldg. 1D is almost finished.</li> <li>(Exec.D) Thornsbury explained to the PC the 1% cap on property taxes. Thornsbury said the 1% cap is on regular property taxes and on the Industrial Development District. Thornsbury explained the tax rate for the taxpayer's decreases when property values increase more than 1%.</li> </ul>	

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Public Comment	None	
Adjournment	PC Deo adjourned the PC Meeting at 6:16pm.	

Approved on \_\_\_\_\_

(Date)

Margie Ziegler, Administrative Assistant

Marc Thornsbury, Executive Director

Norman Deo, President