



Cassia County Board of Commissioners

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Wednesday, August 8, 2012

The Board of Cassia County Commissioners met in an emergency special session on Wednesday, August 8, 2012, at 4:00 p.m. to travel to Oakley to review and be briefed regarding wildfires occurring in the Minidoka Complex Incident area.

THOSE PRESENT:	County Commissioners:	Dennis Crane, Chairman Paul Christensen Bob Kunau
	Clerk of the Board:	Joseph W. Larsen
	County Administrator:	Kerry D. McMurray
	Sheriff:	Randy Kidd

1) 4:00 PM Travel to the Oakley Command Post of the Great Basin National Incident Management Team 1 location at the Oakley Junior High School

4:05 PM EXECUTIVE SESSION

MOTION: COMMISSIONER CHRISTENSEN MOVED TO CONVENE IN EXECUTIVE SESSION REGARDING LABOR NEGOTIATIONS UNDER IDAHO CODE SECTION 67-2345(1)(C). A ROLL CALL VOTE WAS UNANIMOUS WITH CHAIRMAN CRANE, COMMISSIONER CHRISTENSEN, AND COMMISSIONER KUNAU VOTING IN THE AFFIRMATIVE. THE BOARD RETURNED TO REGULAR SESSION AT 4:30 PM.

2) 4:35 PM The Board accompanied Incident Liaison Officer Bill A. Bryant to Five Mile Road west of Oakley near a wildfire in the Cave Canyon area. The Board observed the fire line, operations and visited with some residents whose home and property were spared by firefighting efforts. The Board observed an air team that dropped fire retardant near the five mile road to suppress the fire's progression.

3) 7:00 p.m. The Board attended a briefing conducted by the Incident Management Team detailing operations of the day; plans of distributing assets and personnel when available; communications; maps of wildfires in Cave Canyon, Deer Hollow, and Eight Mile; air operations recap; and safety plans.

4) 8:00 p.m. The Board traveled back to Burley

5) 8:30 PM ADJOURNMENT

**CASSIA COUNTY COMMISSION
EMERGENCY SPECIAL SESSION
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APPROVED:

/s/ _____

Dennis Crane, Chairman of the Board

ATTEST:

/s/ _____

Joseph W. Larsen, Clerk of the Board