

**LETTER OF MUTAL PARTNERSHIP**  
**BETWEEN**  
**KITTITAS COUNTY, CITIES, AND ORGANIZATIONS**  
**TO IMPLEMENT STRATEGIES OF THE**  
**KITTITAS COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIC PLAN**

We, the undersigned, are committed to regional economic vitality within Kittitas County. We recognize that our communities have experienced pressures from growth and changing economic conditions and we must work together to address our top challenges: managing growth, improving housing affordability, diversifying the economy, and sustaining our natural resources. We believe that working collaboratively and as a united front will allow us to make the greatest impact. The Kittitas County Economic Development Strategic Plan, adopted in 2023, was developed with broad stakeholder input to address these challenges. We are committed to working together with our economic development organizations to implement strategies to achieve the goals set out in the Plan, including our participation in the formation of a working group, by separate agreement, with the goal of moving forward implementation of the Economic Development Strategic Plan.

**PARTICIPATING KITTITAS COUNTIES, CITIES, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATIONS:**

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Cody Wright LLA 8/7/23  
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**Kittitas County Chamber of Commerce**Amy McGriffen, CEO

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