

FERRY COUNTY  
ORDINANCE NO. 2011-05

RESCINDING ORDINANCE NO. 2010-06  
Restricting "Open Range Areas" to Cattle Only

WHEREAS, in Chapter 286, Section 4 of the Regular Session Laws of 1989, the Legislature amended RCW 16.24.010 and provided that the County Legislative Authority could designate areas where it shall be unlawful to permit any livestock other than cattle to run at large; and

WHEREAS, on October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010 the Board of Ferry County Commissioners adopted Ordinance No. 2010-06 restricting "Open Range Areas" to cattle only; and

WHEREAS, RCW 16.24.030 states that within thirty days after the conclusion of the Public Hearing adopting the said Ordinance the County Legislative Authority shall make an order describing the stock restricted areas within the county where livestock may not run at large, which order shall be entered upon the records of the county and published in a legal newspaper of record having general circulation in such county at least once each week for four successive weeks; and

WHEREAS, at the conclusion of the Public Hearing and adoption of Ordinance No. 2010-06 an order was not entered into a legal newspaper of record leaving the Ordinance null and void; and

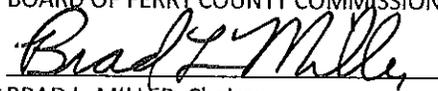
WHEREAS, groups of citizens gathered in the Commissioners Office to discuss the advertising error and request that the Board of Commissioners reconsider the Ordinance until such time they have been able to acquire Public Education goals and come to an agreement/understanding between the groups.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED that the Board of Ferry County Commissioners have agreed to rescind Ordinance No. 2010-06 to accomplish Public Education goals and will revisit the "Open Range Areas" issue after the Ferry County Cattleman's Association Annual meeting in November of 2011 as agreed.

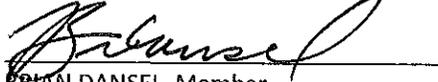
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that Ferry County Ordinance No. 2010-06 is hereby rescinded by the Board of Ferry County Commissioners and livestock other than cattle can run at large in areas that are not designated as stock restricted area in accordance with RCW 16.24.010. This Ordinance will be effective upon signing of this document.

DATED this 16<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2011.

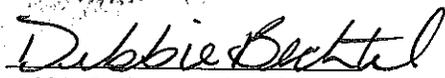
BOARD OF FERRY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

  
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ATTEST:

  
Debbie Bechtol, Clerk of the Board

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