

**TOWN OF CUSICK, WA**  
**REGULAR TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**  
**JANUARY 3, 2023 | 6:00PM**

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The Town Council of the Town of Cusick, WA held a regular monthly council meeting on Tuesday, January 3, 2023, in council chambers, at Cusick Town Hall, 111 S. 1<sup>st</sup> Ave.

All Councilmembers were present and accounted for, constituting a quorum. The meeting called to order at 6:00pm, with Mayor Duane Schofield presiding.

***Roll Call:***

<b>Present (In-Person)</b>	<b>Present (via Zoom/Phone)</b>
Duane Schofield, Mayor	Kate Hupp, WA. Dept. of Ecology
Everett Alford, Councilmember	Cathi Read, WA. Dept of Commerce
Tina Alford, Councilmember	Claire Miller, WA. Dept. of Commerce
Jessamyn Fitzhugh, Councilmember	Brenda Smits, WA Dept. of Health
Luke Servas, Clerk/Council	
Casie Monge, Candidate for WTP Operator	

***Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance:***

This Regular Council Meeting for the Town of Cusick, WA was called to order by Mayor Schofield at 06:00 PM.

***Review & Approve Meeting Minutes – 12/06/2022:***

Council reviewed the regular meeting minutes from December 6<sup>th</sup>. Tina motioned to approve the minutes and Everett seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

***Review & Approve Meeting Agenda – 01/03/2023:***

The meeting was adjourned at

Signed on this 7th day of Feb., 2023, by 

Duane Schofield, Mayor – Town of Cusick, WA

Attested to by \_\_\_\_\_

Luke M. Servas, Clerk – Town of Cusick, WA

created by Anne Ferguson of Montpelier, VT and developed in collaboration with the Kellogg-Hubbard Library. Storywalk® is a registered service mark owned by Ms. Ferguson.”

What does this actually look like? The creator literally takes a book apart and displays it outside, one page at a time, in the correct order. Ms. Ferguson shares tips for her preferred supplies in the [StoryWalk FAQ](#), but I have seen StoryWalks displayed in a variety of ways. From pages attached to fences to fancy podium-style boxes with plexiglass lids, the possibilities are vast, but the outcome is the same: people are encouraged to continue walking to find the next page of the book. There is literacy, there is nature, there is movement. Win, win, win.

## WHERE DO YOU PUT A STORYWALK?

The original goal for The StoryWalk Project was to have stories placed outside in nature. Public walking trails are a natural and obvious place to start, but the project has expanded to include city settings such as main street businesses and school playgrounds. If you consider that the aim is to have families moving outside, any safe route that lets you space out pages can be used.

- Request to think about whether or not we would be willing to allow this.
- Would be advertised to anyone via website, Interden, Newspaper (not open to just patrons)
- Where exactly? Depends on the story where it would be located. Bears could be a concern.
- could move signs before mowing
- public comment