

## **Skagit County Planning Commission Public Hearings 2005 Growth Management Act Update Proposal**

Notice is hereby given that the Skagit County Planning Commission will hold two public hearings on the County's 2005 Growth Management Act Update Proposal. The Proposal includes amendments to: Countywide Planning Policies 1.1 and 2; the Comprehensive Plan; Skagit County Code Title 14, Unified Development Code, and Title 15, Buildings and Construction; and the Comprehensive Plan/Zoning Map. The hearings are scheduled as follows:

1. **Tuesday, March 21, 2006** Subject: 2005 Update amendments to Countywide Planning Policies, Comprehensive Plan policies, and County Code. (This hearing may be continued on Tuesday, April 4, if necessary, to accommodate the number of people wishing to testify.)
2. **Thursday, March 23, 2006.** Subject: 2005 Update Comprehensive Plan/Zoning Map amendment proposals. (This hearing may be continued on Thursday, April 6, if necessary, to accommodate the number of people wishing to testify.)

Both hearings will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the Hearing Room of the Skagit County Commissioners Administrative Building, 1800 Continental Place, Mount Vernon, WA. Citizens who plan to attend a public hearing and have special needs or disabilities are asked to call the Board of County Commissioners office at (360) 336-9300 at least 96 hours before the hearing to discuss and arrange for any needed accommodation.

**Copies of the Proposal:** Copies of the 2005 GMA Update Proposal may be viewed on the Skagit County website at [www.skagitcounty.net](http://www.skagitcounty.net); or may be reviewed at Skagit County Planning and Development Services, 1800 Continental Place, Mount Vernon, WA. Copies are also available for review at the Skagit County Upriver Satellite Office, 45770 A Main St., Concrete, Washington 98237, Phone: (360) 853-7009. Reference copies are available at the following public libraries: Anacortes, Burlington, Concrete, LaConner, Mount Vernon, and Sedro-Woolley.

Copies may be ordered, for a fee, through Skagit County Planning and Development Services at 336-9410, ext. 3497.

**Public Review and Comment:** Whether you agree or disagree with the Proposal, you are encouraged to comment. Comments may be submitted in writing to Skagit County Planning and Development Services, at the address below, through Tuesday, April 18, 2006, 4:30 p.m.

**Written correspondence submittal requirements.** Comments on the Proposal must be submitted on 8 ½" x 11" paper. Maps must be in black and white and also reduced to 8 ½" x 11" size for reproduction purposes. Submittals not meeting these requirements will, unfortunately, not be considered. Comments may not be submitted by e-mail.

Please address your comments to:

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