

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. O20030001

An Interim Ordinance Establishing Interim Controls on RMI-Designated Properties, Imposing Interim Controls on Certain Properties Within the Big Lake Rural Village, Restricting Application for the Open Space Reserve CaRD Designation Pursuant to SCC 14.18.310, Restoring the Lot Aggregation Provisions of Former SCC 14.04.190(5) and Restricting County Action on Some Comprehensive Plan Amendments.

Notice is hereby given that on January 6, 2003, the Skagit County Board of Commissioners adopted Ordinance No. O20030001. The ordinance reaffirms the provisions of Ordinance No. 20020236, establishing controls on RMI-designated properties, imposing controls on certain properties within the Big Lake Rural Village, restricting applications for the Open Space Reserve CaRD designation pursuant to SCC 14.18.310, restoring the lot aggregation provisions of former SCC 14.04.190(5) and restricting County action on some comprehensive plan amendments.

Ordinance No. O20030001 reaffirms the above substantive provisions, except that it modifies the restrictions on County actions on comprehensive plan amendments. Ordinance No. O20030001 allows the County to process certain comprehensive plan amendments once the County adopts the growth management monitoring and indicators program mandated by Chapter 2 of the County's Comprehensive Plan. While certain Comprehensive Plan amendments from the 2001 and 2002 dockets are allowed to be processed, they shall not include the following:

- a. Requests to add new rural Commercial/Industrial lands;
- b. Requests to add property to Municipal Urban Growth Areas;
- c. Requests to add increased density to any lands on Fidalgo Island;
- d. Requests to change the boundary to or change uses within the Big Lake Rural Village.

Ordinance No. O20030001 was adopted as an interim ordinance pursuant to RCW 36.70A.390, and will remain in effect until July 9, 2003, unless it is readopted, amended, or repealed prior to that time.

Copies of Ordinance No. O20030001 are available at the Skagit County Planning and Permit Center, 200 West Washington Street, Mount Vernon, WA 98273, (360) 336-9410, or on the Skagit County website at www.skagitcounty.net, under the County Commissioners Office heading.

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