

# ***Skagit County Forest Advisory Board***

**Skagit County, Washington**

**Wednesday, May 6, 2026**

**Meeting Time:** 7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

**Meeting Location:** *Skagit County Administration Building, Commissioner's Meeting Room  
1800 Continental Place, Mount Vernon, Washington*

**OR** Join Zoom Meeting

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## **Meeting Agenda:**

7:00 Call to Order/Introductions

7:02 Approval of:

- Previous Forest Advisory Board Meeting Minutes/Summary
- Proposed Meeting Agenda

7:05 Public Comments/Correspondence Received

7:25 Discussion/Action Items:

- Education
  - April 17, 2026, Board of County Commissioners Forestry Tour (Joel Dryden)
  - June 26, 2026, Annual Woods Tour (Snohomish County/Arlington) (Jessica Espy)
  - July 14-16, Teacher Workshop (Nick Kunz)
  - September 22, 2026, DNR Forest Health Advisory Committee Tour (Nick Kunz)
- Reconveyance
  - Meeting with Board of County Commissioners
- Legislative Update
- Permits - Overload Vehicle Permit Discussion/Update
- State Lands/BNR Updates/Sustainable Harvest
- WFFA/WFPA/Lawsuit Type Np Rule
  - Amicus Brief Update
- Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest Draft Environmental Assessment (EA), Forestwide Thinning Treatments Project (FWT)
- Blanchard Mountain
- Timber/Fish/Wildlife Updates/Other
- Charter, Bylaws, Operating Procedures
- Strategic Plan and Work Plan

8:15 Presentation and Discussion, Department of Natural Resources, Northwest Region Staff

- Laurie Bergvall, Chris Hankey, Mark Arneson, and Cory McDonald

8:55 Other Business and Wrap-up

9:00 Adjourn

**NEXT MEETING:** Wednesday, June 3, 2026, 7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.