



# Skagit County Planning & Development Services

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## Memorandum

To: Board of County Commissioners  
From: Dale Pernula, AICP, Director  
Re: Draft Interim Ordinance O20150001  
Date: February 27, 2015

### Background

On February 12, the Department released its Memo on Public Comments and Possible Paths Forward on Marijuana Facilities. The Board of Commissioners met on Tuesday, February 17 at 2 pm to discuss the memo and the Board's preferred path forward. The Board directed the Department to draft a revised interim ordinance implementing the recommendations in its February 12 memo, but allowing no hazardous chemical processing in Ag-NRL, and only closed-loop processing systems in the other zones where processing is allowed. The draft ordinance will be posted to the Department website as soon as it is available. The Board is scheduled to take action on the interim ordinance on Tuesday, March 3 at 1:30 pm.

### Potential Adoption Schedule

The schedule below is consistent with the Department's recommended path for County adoption of permanent regulations.

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Item</i>
✓	December 4, 2013	Department issues Guidance Memo
✓	December 15, 2014	Board adopts interim ordinance O20140008
✓	December 22, 2014	Board adopts interim ordinance O20140009
✓	February 17	Board decides path forward
▶	Tuesday, March 3	Board adopts revised interim ordinance
	Early March	Department releases proposed code amendments for public comment
	Tuesday, April 7	Planning Commission public hearing at 6 pm
	Thursday, April 9	Written comment period ends
	Tuesday, April 21	Planning Commission deliberates and forwards recommendation
	Tuesday, April 28	Board adopts permanent ordinance and repeals interim ordinance

### For More Information

Please visit the Department website at [www.skagitcounty.net/planning](http://www.skagitcounty.net/planning) and click on "I-502 Marijuana Implementation."