

Envision Skagit 2060
Citizen Committee Meeting
Friday, January 21, 2011
Skagit County Administration Building – Continental Ave
Commissioners Hearing Room
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Agenda

- 8:30** **Welcome, Agenda Review, Introduction** (*Kirk Johnson*)
- 8:40** **Committee Business** (*all*)
- Approve Jan 6 meeting minutes
 - Meeting and retreat dates & changes
- 9:00 – 10:30** **Envision Skagit – Agricultural Issues**
- 9:00** **Overview of the Agriculture Scenario** (*Kirk Johnson*)
- major policy emphases, key indicators, Envision implementation
- 9:10** **Agriculture, Conservation and Development** (*Allen Rozema, Skagitonians to Preserve Farmland; Mike Shelby, Western Wa Agriculture Assoc.*)
- Necessary elements for ensuring Agriculture’s long-term well-being
 - Opportunities for cooperation and mutual gain
 - Possible unavoidable tradeoffs
- 9:30** **Discussion with the Citizen Committee** (*all*)
- 10:30** **Break**
- 10:45 – 12:15** **Envision Skagit – Forestry Issues**
- 10:45** **Overview of the Forestry Scenario** (*Kirk Johnson*)
- major policy emphases, key indicators, Envision implementation
- 10:55** **Forestry, Conservation and Development** (*Paul Kriegel, Goodyear Nelson; Steve Tift, Longview Timber; Kendra Smith, Forestry Advisory Board*)
- Necessary elements for ensuring forestry’s long-term well-being
 - Opportunities for cooperation & mutual gain
 - Possible unavoidable tradeoffs
- 11:15** **Discussion with the Citizen Committee** (*all*)
- 12:15** **Lunch** (*brown bag*)
- 1:00 – 3:00** **Envision Skagit – Ecosystem/Conservation Issues**
- 1:00** **Overview of the Ecosystem Scenario** (*Kirk Johnson, John Lombard*)

- Major policy emphases, key indicators, Envision implementation

1:20 Ecosystem Conservation, Natural Resource Industries and Development
(Bob Warriner, Wa Department of Fish and Wildlife; Martha Bray, Skagit Land Trust; Roger Fuller, The Nature Conservancy)

- Necessary elements for long-term ecological well-being
- Opportunities for cooperation and mutual gain
- Possible unavoidable tradeoffs

1:40 Discussion with the Citizen Committee *(all)*

3:00 Break

3:15 Citizen Committee Internal Discussion

- Biggest issues/concerns/thoughts on the table for you
- Tradeoffs – are they starting to be clearer

3:45 Public Outreach - Update

- Update and Status on Community meetings *(Kirk J. and Committee Members)*
- Update on Outreach Toolbox *(Kirk J)*
- Final Schedule for outreach meetings

4:15 Next Steps

4:30 Adjourn