NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Skagit County Hearing Examiner will hold a public hearing on **Wednesday**, **March 7**, **2012** in the Board of County Commissioners Hearing Room, 1800 Continental Place, Mount Vernon, Washington, at the hour of **9:00 a.m**. or soon thereafter, for the purpose of determining the following:

A. <u>Special Use Permit PL11-0177</u> submitted by Stephanie Poor to allow for an overnight boarding/training dog kennel (TMS K-9 Connection). The facility will include 14 indoor/outdoor kennels and a 70' x 130' enclosed play yard. In addition to training boarding dogs, private training sessions will occur. <u>Variance Request PL11-0391</u> is to allow for the fenced play yard for the overnight boarding/training dog kennel (TMS K-9 Connection) to be within the 50-foot required setback. The proposed project is located at 13133 Thompson Road, Anacortes, WA 98221; within a portion of the N ½ of the NW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Section 09, Township 34 North, Range 02 East, W.M., Skagit County, WA. P# 20226 Staff Contact: Marge Swint, Senior Planner

Your views for or against the requests are invited either by attendance, representation or letter. Comments and/or facsimiles must be received by this office no later than 4:30 p.m. **Tuesday, March 6, 2012** or be presented at the public hearing.