

2016 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE

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WORK CONTINUES TO UPDATE THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

King County departments have been hard at work over the past few months reviewing the Comprehensive Plan and considering changes to address <u>Council Motion 14351</u>, the adopted Scope of Work. As noted in the May e-newsletter, the motion identified a number of specific <u>land use proposals</u>, a wide variety of policy topics and a small set of potential code amendments.

COMMUNITY MEETINGS SCHEDULED FOR PUBLIC REVIEW DRAFT

King County will release the 2016 Comprehensive Plan Public Review Draft on **November 6, 2015**, via the County's <u>website</u> and through an email notice sent to the mailing list (note: If you are receiving this e-newsletter, you are already on the mailing list). Following release, the County has scheduled four community meetings to share the draft Plan and listen to community comments.

- Vashon/Maury Island
 Monday, November 9
 6:30 to 8:30 PM
 McMurray Middle School
 9329 Cemetery Road SW, Vashon
- Four Creeks/Maple Valley/SE King County Tuesday, November 17
 6:30 to 8:30 PM
 Maple Valley Sheriff Precinct 3
 22300 SE 231st, King County

- West Hill/North Highline/West King
 Thursday, Nov. 19
 6:30 to 8:30 PM
 Fire District 20 Administration Building
 12424 76th Avenue South, Skyway
- Snoqualmie Valley/Bear Creek-Sammamish Wednesday, December 2 6:30 to 8:30 PM Fall City Fire Station No. 27 4301 334th Place SE, Fall City

The Public Comment Period will continue until **January 6, 2016**. After this, departments will finalize the "Executive Recommended Draft" and transmit to the County Council on **March 1, 2016**.

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN DOCKET REQUESTS



In addition to Motion 14351, the update responds to requests submitted through the Docket Process. Required by the Growth Management Act, the Docket allows citizens to <u>request changes</u> to the Plan, land use designations or development regulations.

If the docket requires a change to a land use designation, those who submitted the docket are referred to the second step, which is the process for obtaining a site-specific land use amendment (the same applies for rezone requests). **The 2015 requests are found here.**

Per the King County Code, the Executive will transmit the "Executive Docket Report" to the County Council on the first business day of December. Prior to that, responses will be provided to those who submitted the Docket requests.

GET INVOLVED!

If you are interested in meeting with County staff to discuss the update, email to compplan@kingcounty.gov. And, feel free to share this email and have others join the mailing list and the update process.



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