

# **Planning Commission Executive Summary**

**Issue Title:** 2019 Annual Comprehensive Plan Amendments

Meeting Date: December 17, 2019

Time Required: 2.5 hours

**Department:** Department of Community Development (DCD)

**Attendees:** Dave Ward, Peter Best, Darren Gurnee

## **Action Requested at This Meeting:**

Conduct a work study session on the following four amendments:

• Centers - Revised

Clarifying Edits - Revised

• Downtown Kingston (Phase 2)

• Dickey Pit Site-Specific (CPA 18-00495)

#### **Background**

- On 11/26/2018, the Board of County Commissioners reviewed a catalog of proposed amendments and decided to open an annual Comprehensive Plan amendment process for 2019. The scope for the amendment process is defined through a docket resolution.
- The initial docket resolution (Res. No. 227-2018, adopted on 12/19/2018) determined which County-sponsored amendments would be developed in 2019 as well as what types of applications would be accepted from interested parties.
- A revised application was submitted for the deferred site-specific amendment (CPA 18-00495) listed in the initial docket. No additional applications were received.
- On 4/24/2019, the Board reviewed the status of all amendments, considered potential changes to the docket, and adopted a final docket resolution (Res. No. 069-2019).
- On 5/14/2019, the Planning Commission was briefed on the final docket.
- On 7/2/2019, the Planning Commission conducted a work study session and, on 7/17/2019, the Board conducted a work study session to assist the Department in scoping the amendment to KCC 21.08 (Comprehensive Plan Amendment Process).
- On 8/20/2019, the Planning Commission conducted its first work study to consider four of the 2019 amendments, including:
  - Clarifying Edits
  - o MRO Zone Clean-up
  - o Centers
  - Silverdale/Kingston UGA Association & Future Incorporation
- On 8/21/2019, the Board adopt a revised final docket resolution (Res. No. 133-2019) adding the Downtown Kingston (Phase 2) amendment.
- On 9/18/2019, the Board directed the Department to work with the Dickey Pit site-specific amendment (CPA 18-00495) applicant regarding SEPA issues of concern. The applicant submitted a revised proposal on 10/4/2019.

 On 11/4/2019, the Board unhitched the amendment to update KCC 21.08 (Comprehensive Plan Amendment Process) from the annual batch process [per the exception in KCC 21.08.040(B)(9)] due to workload and scheduling considerations.

## **Public Outreach & Engagement**

The Department maintains an Online Open House (http://tinyurl.com/kitsap2019cpa) for this process, which provides:

- A page explaining this annual amendment process.
- A page dedicated to facilitating public participation in the process.
- A page containing current and archived documents.

Public notices and announcements are being distributed for the following:

- Open houses in North, Central, and South Kitsap
- Planning Commission public hearing on 1/7/2020
- Public comment period closing on 1/8/2020

## **Schedule**

An updated meeting schedule for the rest of the process is provided as Attachment 2.

## **Work Study Materials**

Revisions have been made to the Centers and Clarifying edits amendments since your work study in August. Attached are revised staff reports with a summary of the revisions on page 1. The Department is finalizing staff reports for the Downtown Kingston (Phase 2) and Dickey Pit Site-Specific amendments. Therefore, the proposed amendments (Attachment A to the staff reports) are attached for your review prior to work study and the Department will provide the entire staff report to the Commission when it becomes available.

#### **Attachments**

- 1. Binder Table of Contents (Rev2, 12/10/2019 with removal & insertion instructions)
- 2. Schedule
- Revised Final Docket Resolution No. 133-2019
- 4. Revised Staff Report Centers (Rev2, 10/7/2019)
- 5. Revised Staff Report Clarifying Edits (Rev1, 10/15/2019)
- 6. Proposed Amendment Downtown Kingston (Phase 2)
- 7. Proposed Amendment Dickey Pit Site-Specific

<u>Note</u>: There is a large volume of documents to manage because the Comprehensive Plan amendments need to be considered as a batch. To keep it all organized, the Department will provide documents:

- In hardcopy to those Planning Commissioners who have requested a binder.
- Electronically via the 2019 Comprehensive Plan Amendment <u>Documents page</u>, which is organized and labelled to mirror the tabs in the hardcopy binders.

A hardcopy binder is available for the public to review in the Department's Permit Center located on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Kitsap County Administration Building (619 Division St, Port Orchard).