



City of Enumclaw and Department of Ecology

Shoreline Master Program Periodic Review Public Comment Period and Public Hearing

Subject: The City of Enumclaw (City) and Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) are seeking comments on the Enumclaw Shoreline Master Program (SMP) periodic review and proposed SMP amendments. The joint local/state public comment period will run from April 17, 2019 through May 17, 2019 at 5:00 pm.

Authority for the periodic review is based on Washington's Shoreline Management Act (Ch. 90.58 RCW) and related rules. These amendments were developed by the City to comply with WAC 173-26-090, which requires all local governments to review their SMPs on an eight-year schedule set in state law, and revise it if necessary. The review ensures the SMP keeps up with changes in state law, changes in other City plans and regulations, and other changed circumstances. The City of Enumclaw has elected to use the optional joint review process to combine the local and Ecology comment periods, as allowed under WAC 173-26-104. No additional comment period will occur during the state review process. Comments provided to the City will be reviewed by both the City of Enumclaw and Ecology. There is no need to send comments directly to Ecology.

Comments may be submitted to: City of Enumclaw, 1309 Myrtle Avenue, WA 98022 ATTN: Chris Pasinetti or emailed to cpasinetti@ci.enumclaw.wa.us

Comments can also be made in person during the public hearing noted below.

Joint Public Hearing with the Enumclaw Planning Commission is to be held April 25, 2019, at 7:00 pm at Enumclaw City Hall, 1339 Griffin Avenue, Enumclaw, WA 98022

Comments are due by May 17, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.

Documents are available for review at: <http://cityofenumclaw.net/221/Shoreline-Master-Program-Update> and at the Community Development office located at 1309 Myrtle Avenue, Enumclaw, WA 98022

At the conclusion of the comment period, the City will prepare a response to comments and determine whether changes are needed. Public comments and City responses will be shared with Ecology. After local adoption, the SMP amendment will be formally submitted to Ecology for final action per WAC 173-26-104 and WAC 173-26-110. Ecology will review amendments for consistency with state laws and rules. Ecology may either approve the program as adopted, or may recommend changes.