

SUQUAMISH COMMUNITY ADVISORY COUNCIL

Thursday, April 4, 2024 @6:30 PM

In person – Suquamish Police Training Room

18490 Suquamish Way, Room 118B on the lower, west side of the building

There are parking spaces off of the driveway there on the lower level:

This meeting will ONLY be conducted in person

Opening Items:

6:30 PM:

Land Acknowledgement: We would like to begin by acknowledging that the land on which we gather is within the ancestral territory of the “People of Clear Salt Water” (Suquamish People). Expert fishermen, canoe builders and basket weavers, the Suquamish live in harmony with the lands and waterways along Washington’s Central Salish Sea as they have for thousands of years. Here, the Suquamish live and protect the land and waters of their ancestors for future generations as promised by the Point Elliott Treaty of 1855. “Every part of this soil is sacred in the estimation of my people. Every hillside, every valley, every plain and grove, has been hallowed by some sad or happy event in days long vanished.” Chief Seattle 1854.

- Brief introductions around the room
- Approval of meeting minutes for March
- Public Comments

Meeting Core:

6:45 PM: Police report with Sgt. Dean on speeding concerns, crime activity and Police Chief opening.

7:00 PM: Lynn Schorn, community member, presentation on ‘Share the Road’ bike corridors, as part of the ‘Linking Rural Communities’ program. This would entail additional signage and possible lowered speed limits on Lincoln Road, Stottlemeyer Road, Gunderson Road, Port Gamble-Suquamish Road and Columbia Street.

7:20 PM: Discussion with Kitsap County Public Works Transportation Planning Supervisor David Forte on community concerns regarding pedestrian safety and traffic calming –hearing community concerns, suggesting options and discussing realistically what the county can and cannot do.

7:45 PM: Updates and Future Activities

- County Comprehensive Plan – Commissioner next steps
- Suquamish Cleanup on April 20 at 9am at UCC
- Asphalt walkway deterioration/repair on Division Ave.

7:55 PM: Public Comments

8:00 PM: Adjourn – next meeting is May 2.