



Executive Summary

Issue Title: Update to Countywide Planning Policies
Meeting Date: November 1, 2022
Time Required: 20 Minutes
Department: Department of Community Development (DCD)
Attendees: Colin Poff, Eric Baker

Action Requested at This Meeting: Planning Commission Work Study

Background:

In 2021, under County Ordinance # 601-2021, the Kitsap County Board of Commissioners adopted updates to the Countywide Planning Policies (CPPs). These CPPs were developed by the KRCC consistent with Vision 2050 and with state law changes that occurred since the CPPs were last updated in 2015. Proposed revisions were reviewed by several technical and policy committees. This was the first step towards changes needed in advance of the 2024 periodic update of comprehensive plans.

This CPP update includes evaluation and adoption of new growth targets for both population and employment growth targets to 2044. These growth targets are to comply with the Growth Management Act (GMA) and PSRC Vision 2050 Regional Plan.

Scope:

The scope of this update is limited to updates to the 2044 population and growth targets for Kitsap County and its incorporated cities.

Next Steps:

- November 15 - Planning Commission Hearing
- November TBD - Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing
- Adoption by Board in December 2022

Attachments:

- Draft Ordinance
- Kitsap Countywide Planning Policies – Updated Oct. 22 within Appendix B