

# PUBLIC PARTICIPATION APPENDIX

## I. INTRODUCTION

Kitsap County's Comprehensive Plan is founded on the goals, visions and input of the community and the many residents that were involved in its four year development. Involvement ranged from residents attending an open house, signing up to receive mailings, hundreds of letters, comment sheets and phone calls the planning department received, to attending the meetings of the Planning Commission and ultimately the Board of County Commissioners' public hearings.

## II. PHASE ONE

### **Growth Symposium, Community Plans and Citizen Advisory Committees**

Kitsap County conducted a Growth Management Symposium at the Kitsap Pavilion on October 13 and 14, 1990. The purpose of the Symposium was to:

- 1) Educate the community about growth and related planning issues in Kitsap County;
- 2) Develop a vision and guidelines for a growth management strategy in each of 10 identified key areas; and
- 3) Set forth a plan for post-Symposium action.

The visions and issues identified at the Symposium have guided the comprehensive plan development. As an aftermath of the Growth Management Symposium's energy and optimism for the future of Kitsap County and its communities, community and political leaders began focusing on the unique communities of unincorporated Kitsap, and consequently, began community planning efforts.

**Silverdale.** Silverdale was identified as the first of these communities where its residents became involved in planning efforts. On May 22, 1991, a Silverdale Summit, sponsored by local businesses, chamber of commerce and Kitsap County Department of Community Development (DCD), was held to "vision" the future of Silverdale. A citizen advisory committee was established from this Summit and the Silverdale Urban Design Study was developed and recommended for consideration in the countywide Comprehensive Plan by the Board of County Commissioners on March 22, 1993.

**Kingston.** Recognizing the dichotomy of an expanding urban center paired with idyllic rural characteristics, the Board of Commissioners decided that Kingston needed a community plan to guide and direct its anticipated growth. In September 1991, a 15-member citizen advisory committee was established to develop the Kingston Community Design Plan. The plan that was developed has guided the development of the Kingston Urban Growth Area, as well as the commercial and residential designations within.

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**Suquamish.** The community of Suquamish, already actively involved with land use, requested from the Board of Commissioners a community plan to define and improve its sense of community. January 1992 marked the starting point of development of the Suquamish Community Plan. This plan was recommended for consideration in the countywide comprehensive plan by the Board of County Commissioners of May 17, 1993.

**Hansville.** A similar occurrence in Hansville led to the beginning of the Hansville Community Plan in March 1992. That plan was recommended for consideration in the countywide comprehensive plan by the Board of County Commissioners on October 4, 1993.

**South Kitsap.** South Kitsap, with its characteristic and valued rural environment, posed an interesting challenge. A citizen advisory committee was formed to develop the South Kitsap Rural Design Study, which was recommended for consideration in the countywide Comprehensive Plan by the Board of County Commissioners on January 10, 1994.

**Special citizen advisory committees.** In addition to the citizen advisory committees which developed the above mentioned community plans, other citizen advisory committees were appointed to focus on various issues which would contribute to, if not become a part of, the countywide Comprehensive Plan. These citizen advisory committees are:

- # **Subarea Transportation Citizens Advisory Committee**, which worked with Public Works' transportation staff and consultants in developing a 20-year plan by identifying and prioritizing transportation improvements for 6, 12 and 20 years. This plan laid the basis for the Transportation Chapter.
- # **The Ground Water Advisory Committee**, which serves as a technical/citizen advisory committee through the Public Utility District #1 of Kitsap County, developed a 20-year Groundwater Management Plan to address water quantity and quality in Kitsap County. This committee was instrumental in providing data and guidance for the water resources sections in the comprehensive plans.
- # **The Parks Citizen Advisory Committee** worked with the Parks Department staff and consultants to develop a 20-year comprehensive plan which identifies park improvements, acquisitions and funding sources. This plan was used as the Parks and Recreation section of the Capital Facilities Chapter.
- # **The Open Space Council** supported DCD planning staff by writing the Open Space Goals and Policies and identifying areas to be included on the Open Space Overlay.
- # **The Solid Waste Citizen Advisory Committee** assisted Public Works' staff in writing the Solid Waste Management Plan, which was used as the Solid Waste Facilities plan in the Capital Facilities Chapter.
- # **The Rural Roundtable**, a citizen advisory committee appointed by the Board of County Commissioners, worked with staff to develop policies for the Interim Development Regulations for Resource Lands.

- # **The Kitsap County Planning Commission**, the most influential citizen advisory committee, served as the central citizen advisory committee which considered and made recommendations on the entire comprehensive plan.

### **III. PHASE TWO**

#### **Visioning**

“Visioning” -- or deciding on a common vision for the future -- was an important and essential component of the public involvement program and in the development of the comprehensive plan. Visioning provided opportunities for Kitsap County residents, Planning Commissioners and planning staff to interact and discuss the issues facing planning for Kitsap’s future. These discussions essentially began at the Growth Symposium, and continued for the next four years. The momentum generated from the Growth Symposium continued as requests for community plans came to the Board of Commissioners from all areas of the county. Each community which participated in developing a plan also developed a vision for its future, and its ideals and goals were reflected in each community’s design plan.

Beginning with the solid foundation of the articulated desires of the residents involved with the community plans, DCD begin a separate visioning process for the countywide comprehensive plan. This process began in August 1992, when three Comprehensive Plan Public Input Forums were held to discuss participants’ concerns and issues regarding future land use development. These meetings were followed by six more public input forums held October 20, 21, 22, 28, 29 and November 4, 1992. These meetings began by using the 13 goals outlined in the Growth Management Act as the “jumping off” point to discuss the future of Kitsap County and the hard issues which the comprehensive plan would have to address.

The public input gathered at these meetings as well as questionnaires distributed at these meetings and in subsequent outreach meetings, were used by planning staff to develop the framework of the comprehensive plan and, specifically, the goals and policies for the plan.

### **IV. PHASE THREE**

#### **Outreach**

The primary premise guiding the Kitsap County planning department’s outreach efforts was to make involvement in the comprehensive planning process as easy and accessible to those who want to participate. This was done, for example by having open houses at convenient locations, such as the local mall, and by attending established community/civic groups scheduled meetings.

Immediately after the visioning sessions, a letter was mailed to approximately 75 community and civic organizations requesting an invitation to attend a meeting to make a presentation on growth management, comprehensive planning and to answer questions, address concerns and, most importantly, to listen. The following organizations responded and presentations were made:

- January 5, 1993 – Seabeck Community Club
- January 7, 1993 – Save Long Lake Community Club
- January 8, 1993 – Holly Community Club
- January 21, 1993 – League of Women Voters of Kitsap

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January 28, 1993 – Silverdale Rotary

February 3, 1993 – Insurance Women of Kitsap

February 16, 1993 – Kingston Improvement Committee

February 16, 1993 – Bremerton Federated Women’s Club

February 18, 1993 – Kitsap Peninsula Women’s Club

February 22, 1993 – Kitsap Association of Realtors

February 22, 1993 – Save Poulsbo Area Action Committee for the Environment

February 23, 1993 – Suquamish Area Citizens Council

March 3, 1993 – League of Women Voters of Kitsap

March 3, 1993 – Poulsbo Chamber of Commerce

March 16, 1993 – Lone Rock Community Club

April 1, 1993 – Keyport Improvement Committee

In July 1993, the draft land use chapter was released for public review and requests for invitations to address community groups were made again. This time, the presentations focused on the land use chapter and map, the comprehensive plan development process, and answering questions and listening to citizen’s concerns and comments on the draft chapter. Open houses were also held to facilitate one-on-one conversations and to allow more flexible hours for citizens to become informed and offer input. Public Input sheets were developed at this time to easily submit questions, concerns, suggestions and request changes. Presentations made by planning staff were:

August 18, 1993 – South Kitsap Kiwanis

September 14, 1993 – Sunnyslope Neighborhood

September 21, 1993 – City of Bremerton Planning Commission

September 22, 1993 – League of Women Voters of Kitsap

September 22, 1993 – Silverdale Water District

September 30, 1993 – Olalla Community Council

October 1, 1993 – Holly Community Club

October 5, 1993 – Open House at Givens Community Center

October 6, 1993 – Poulsbo Chamber of Commerce

October 7, 1993 – Open House at Silverdale Community Center

October 12, 1993 – Open House at Poulsbo Fire Hall

October 18, 1993 – Wildcat Lake Community Club

October 19, 1993 – Hansville Community Club

October 21, 1994 – Public Input Forum - Givens Community Center

October 26, 1993 – Kitsap Land Owners Coalition

October 29, 1993 – Friends of Open Space

November 1, 1993 – City of Port Orchard City Council

November 3, 1993 – Public Input Forum - Silverdale Community Center

November 4, 1993 – Public Input Forum - North Kitsap High School

November 4, 1993 – City of Bainbridge Island City Council

November 4, 1993 – South Kitsap Chamber of Commerce

November 5, 1993 – Olympic View Community Club

November 10, 1993 – Audubon Society of Kitsap  
November 11, 1993 – Commercial Investment Brokers  
November 15, 1993 – Sunnyslope Community Club  
November 16, 1993 – Kingston Improvement Committee  
November 16, 1993 – Lone Rock Community Club  
November 18, 1993 – Indianola Beach Improvement Club/Land Trust  
November 20, 1993 – Open House at Kitsap Mall

December 1, 1993 – City of Bremerton City Council  
December 2, 1993 – Open House at Silverdale Community Center  
December 7, 1993 – Open House at Kingston Community Center  
December 15, 1993 – City of Poulsbo City Council

January 18, 1994 – Miller Bay/Suquamish Citizen Councils

February 7, 1994 – Chums of Barker Creek  
February 10, 1994 – West Bremerton Garden Club  
February 12, 1994 – Open House at Indianola  
February 22, 1994 – Port Orchard Rotary

March 18-20, 1994 – Open House at Kitsap Home Show  
March 22 and 24, 1994 – Open House on EIS Alternatives at Kitsap County Courthouse.

In addition to regular press releases, a growth management mailing list established in August 1992 was used to notify citizens of the opportunities for public comment and encourage their involvement. This mailing list topped at approximately 2,000 addresses which received meeting notices, newsletters and updates on the comprehensive planning process.

## **V. PHASE FOUR**

### **Planning Commission as GMA Citizen Advisory Committee**

In September 1992, the Board of County Commissioners established that the Kitsap County Planning Commission would serve as the central citizen advisory committee to direct and assist planning staff in developing the countywide Comprehensive Plan. (In addition to this new directive, the Planning Commission had been considering the community design plans, interim development regulations of critical areas/resources lands, and regular hearing issues such as open space taxation.)

Beginning January 1993, the Planning Commission began “educational sessions” which featured experts making presentations in each of the areas to be addressed in the comprehensive plan. These sessions were vital for the both the planing staff and commission to grasp and understand the complexity and interconnectedness of developing a comprehensive plan under growth management. As the planning staff was able to move forward in the development of the comprehensive plan, the educational sessions shifted from presentations by experts, to review and revisions of the elements of the comprehensive plan.

On June 8, 1994, the draft comprehensive plan was presented to the Planning Commission and the

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public. The following schedule outlines this 16-month process:

January 14, 1993 – Topics: forest soils, hydrology, geologic hazards

February 11, 1993 – Topics: aquifer recharge areas, soils (suitability for septic, agricultural and limitations)

March 11, 1993 – Topics: stormwater, floodplains, wetlands

April 8, 1993 – Topics: mineral resource lands, wildlife and habitat, fish and shellfish resources  
(This meeting also was videotaped by local cable public access channel and broadcast on cable television)

April 22, 1993 – Topics: sewer, water, storm water and solid waste facilities

May 13, 1993 – Topics: traffic circulation, transit

May 27, 1993 – Topics: transportation: marine, trails and bikeways, aviation; schools (This meeting was videotaped for broadcast on local cable television)

June 10, 1993 – Topics: utilities, fire facilities, hospitals, sheriff, libraries (This meeting was videotaped for broadcast on local cable television).

June 24, 1993 – Topics: park facilities, affordable housing, housing needs analysis

July 8, 1993 – Topics: existing land use development patterns

July 22, 1993 – Presentation of draft Land Use Chapter by planning staff

August 12, 1993 – Presentation of draft Land Use Chapter by planning staff

September 23, 1993 – Roundtable discussion on draft Land Use Chapter

October 14, 1993 – Review of draft Land Use Chapter designations: rural residential

October 28, 1993 – Review of draft Land Use Chapter designations: urban residential

November 18, 1993 – Review of draft Land Use Chapter designations: urban residential, commercial

November 30, 1993 – Discussion of Kingston Community Plan

January 13, 1994 – Review of draft Land Use Chapter designations: commercial

January 19, 1994 – Review of draft Land Use Chapter designations: industrial, business park designations, open space, special consideration areas, and fully contained communities

January 25, 1994 – Discussion of Kingston Community Plan

February 2, 1994 – Review of draft Land Use Chapter designations: forest lands, agricultural lands, mineral resource lands, rural resource and rural residential

February 22, 1994 – Discussion of Kingston Community Plan

February 16, 1994 – Review of draft Land Use Chapter designations: suburban residential, waterfront residential, village residential, urban low, medium and high residential

March 2, 1994 – Review of draft Land Use Chapter designations: commercial and business parks

March 9, 1994 – Review of draft Land Use Chapter designations: open space, special considerations symbol, fully contained communities; review of draft Rural Chapter

March 23, 1994 – Review of draft Housing Chapter; review of draft Economic Development Chapter

March 29, 1994 – Discussion of industrial and business park designations

April 6, 1994 – Review of draft Transportation Chapter; review of draft Utilities Chapter

April 13, 1994 – Continued review of draft Utilities Chapter and draft Transportation Chapter

April 26, 1994 – Second review of draft Utilities Chapter and draft Transportation Chapter

April 20, 1994 – Second review of draft Housing Chapter, draft Rural Chapter and draft Economic Development Chapter

May 4, 1994 – Discussion of draft Economic Development Chapter, review of Natural Systems Chapter

May 11, 1994 – Review of Capital Facilities Chapter

May 18, 1994 – Third review of draft Transportation Chapter; review of revised draft Land Use Chapter

May 31, 1994 – Review draft Park and Recreation plan; second review of Housing Chapter, Capital Facilities Chapter and Natural Systems Chapter; review of revised draft Land Use Chapter

## **VI. PHASE FIVE**

### **Public Hearings**

As the final phase of the public participation program, the required public hearings set forth the procedures for “official” public comment opportunities. To facilitate verbal opportunities, an ambitious hearing scheduled was set:

June 8, 1994 – Central Kitsap

June 15, 1994 – South Kitsap

June 22, 1994 – Central Kitsap

June 28, 1994 – South Kitsap

July 6, 1994 – North Kitsap

July 18, 1994 – Central Kitsap

July 20, 1994 – North Kitsap

Study Sessions for the Planning Commission were held July 26 and 27. On August 3, 1994, the Planning Commission recommended the Comprehensive Plan to the Board of County Commissioners. A written comment procedure was established to respond to the influx of requests for consideration and changes to the Comprehensive Plan. Two types of written comments were submitted to the Planning Commission: requests for consideration of a general nature, and site-specific requests for designation changes. The requests of a general nature were compiled and submitted to the Planning Commission as public input. For the site-specific requests, a file was established and a staff report and recommendation was prepared for each request received prior to the beginning of the public hearing process. The Planning Commission received approximately 150 requests for consideration. The Board of County Commissioners held three public hearings on the Planning Commission recommended Draft Comprehensive Plan:

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September 12, 1994 – North Kitsap  
September 19, 1994 – Central Kitsap  
September 21, 1994 – South Kitsap

On September 26, 1994 the Board of Commissioners remanded portions of the draft Comprehensive Plan with proposed revisions back to the Planning Commission for its consideration and recommendations. The Planning Commission then held public hearings on these remanded portions and the proposed revisions the Board made.

October 5, 1994 – South Kitsap  
October 6, 1994 – South Kitsap  
October 11, 1994 – North Kitsap  
October 13, 1994 – Central Kitsap

On October 17, 1994 the Planning Commission sent forward their recommendations on the remanded portions of the draft Comprehensive Plan. The Board of County Commissioners took action on October 19, 1994 to approve the Kitsap County Draft Comprehensive Plan. The plan was sent to Washington State Department of Community Trade and Economic Development for the 60-day review period mandated by the Growth Management Act. The County Commissioners subsequently adopted the plan on December 29, 1994.

## **VII. PHASE SIX**

### **Redevelopment of Comprehensive Plan and Implementing Development Regulations**

On October 6, 1995, the Central Puget Sound Growth Management Hearings Board declared the Kitsap County Comprehensive Plan and implementing development regulations invalid. Following that decision, DCD began to rewrite the Comprehensive Plan in order to gain approval of the Growth Management Hearings Board. This phase also included extensive public involvement in the form of public hearings, educational workshops and public outreach meetings. The following is a partial listing of public steps taken in the redevelopment of the comprehensive plan:

#### **October 1995**

- # October 23, 1995 – Board of County Commissioners adopted Emergency Interim Zoning Ordinance, Emergency Interim Zoning Map, Emergency Interim Urban Growth Boundaries and an Emergency Interim Critical Areas Ordinance.

#### **November 1995**

- # November 6, 1995 – Joint Board of County Commissioners/Planning Commission public hearing on Interim Urban Growth Areas.
- # November 13, 1995 – Board of County Commissioners public hearing on Interim Urban Growth Areas.
- # November 28, 1995 – Planning Commission public hearing on the Interim Zoning Ordinance, Interim Zoning Map and Interim Critical Areas Ordinance.
- # November 30, 1995 – Planning Commission decision only meeting on the Interim Zoning Ordinance, Interim Zoning Map and Interim Critical Areas Ordinance.



**December 1995**

- # December 4, 1995 – Board of County Commissioners public hearing on Interim Urban Growth Areas.
- # December 4, 1995 – Staff attends a GMA forum at Silverdale sponsored by the Realtors Association.
- # December 8, 1995 – Study session with the Board of Commissioners regarding requested changes to the Interim Urban Growth Areas.
- # December 18, 1995 – Board of County Commissioners public hearing on Planning Commission recommended Interim Zoning Ordinance, Interim Zoning Map and Interim Critical Areas Ordinance.
- # December 19, 1995 – Board of County Commissioners public hearing on potential changes to the Interim Urban Growth Areas.

**January 1996**

- # January 6, 1996 – Staff attended the Voices of Kitsap opening meeting at Keyport.
- # January 8, 1996 – Board of County Commissioners adopted Interim Zoning Ordinance, Interim Zoning Map and Interim Critical Areas Ordinance. Interim Urban Growth Areas became effective.
- # January 11, 1996 – Staff attended the Public Workshop on Capital Facilities and Land Use at Silverdale.
- # January 13, 1996 – Staff attended the North Kitsap Voices of Kitsap meeting.
- # January 24, 1996 – Staff attended the Central Kitsap Kiwanis meeting.
- # January 25, 1996 – Staff attended the Silverdale Chamber of Commerce meeting.
- # January 25, 1996 – Staff attended the Public Workshop on Capital Facilities and Land Use at Silverdale.
- # January 27, 1996 – Staff attended both the Central Kitsap and South Kitsap Voices of Kitsap meeting.

**February 1996**

- # February 1, 1996 – Staff attended the Public Workshop on Capital Facilities and Land Use at Silverdale.
- # February 3, 1996 – Staff attended the Voices of Kitsap wrap up session at Keyport.
- # February 8, 1996 – Staff attended the Public Workshop on Capital Facilities and Land Use at Silverdale.
- # February 13, 1996 – Staff attended the Society of Engineers meeting.
- # February 13, 1996 – Staff attended the Manufactured Park Association meeting.
- # February 14, 1996 – A January 25, 1996 open letter to property owners from the Board of County Commissioners was mailed to all property owners in the County (approximately 95,000).
- # February 15, 1996 – Staff attended the Public Workshop on Capital Facilities and Land Use at Silverdale.
- # February 16, 1996 – Staff attended a public presentation by the League of Women Voters on the Voices of Kitsap process.
- # February 21, 1996 – Planning Commission study session, discussed status of revision and received Voice's of Kitsap report from the League of Women Voters.
- # February 22, 1996 – Staff attended the Public Workshop on Capital Facilities and Land Use at Silverdale.
- # February 22, 1996 – Revised Draft Capital Facilities Plan released to the public.

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- # February 23, 1996 – Revised Working Draft of Comprehensive Plan Text mailed to Cities, Tribe, CTED, Press, Planning Commission Members and Board of Commissioners & Key Staff.
- # February 26, 1996 – Revised Working Draft of Comprehensive Plan Text made available to the public.
- # February 26, 1996 – Staff attends the Port Orchard City Council meeting.
- # February 27, 1996 – Presentation to the County Employees Association regarding GMA and the Comprehensive Plan.
- # February 27, 1996 – Joint public hearing with the Board of County Commissioners and Planning Commission at Keyport.
- # February 28, 1996 – Joint public hearing with the Board of County Commissioners and Planning Commission at the Presidents Hall.
- # February 29, 1996 – Joint public hearing with the Board of County Commissioners and Planning Commission at Givens Community Center.

### **March 1996**

- # March 4, 1996 – Joint public hearing with the Board of County Commissioners and Planning Commission at the Presidents Hall.
- # March 5, 1996 – Planning Commission Study Session at Parks Department Conference Room.
- # March 7, 1996 – Staff attended the Public Workshop on Capital Facilities and Land Use at Silverdale.
- # March 12, 1996 – Staff presentation to Kitsap County Assessors Department at Givens Community Center.
- # March 12, 1996 – Planning Commission Study Session at Givens Community Center.
- # March 13, 1996 – Staff made a presentation to the Commercial Real Estate Brokers Association.
- # March 13, 1996 – Staff attends a meeting on the Werner Road area in Bremerton regarding Comprehensive Planning and annexation.
- # March 14, 1996 – Planning Commission Study Session at Parks Department Conference Room.
- # March 15-17, 1996 – Staffed a booth at the Kitsap County Homeshow held at the Pavilion.
- # March 18, 1996 – Planning Commission Study Session at Parks Department Conference Room.
- # March 19, 1996 – Planning Commission Study Session at Parks Department Conference Room.

### **April 1996**

- # April 2, 1996 – Planning Commission Study Session at Parks Department Conference Room.
- # April 3, 1996 – Planning Commission Study Session at Parks Department Conference Room.
- # April 9, 1996 – Staff made a GMA presentation to the Rural Development Committee at the WSU Cooperative Extension.
- # April 9, 1996 – Staff attended the Economic Development Council Annual Meeting at Keyport, maps were displayed.
- # April 10, 1996 – Staff made a presentation on GMA to a class at Gordon Elementary in Kingston.
- # April 12, 1996 – Planning Commission Study Session at Parks Department Conference Room.
- # April 15, 1996 – Staff mailed a card to all on the GMA mailing list noting the revised Planning Commission schedule including hearing dates.
- # April 16, 1996 – Staff mailed notice to all the property owners in the vicinity of Lider Lake notifying them of the proposed Light Industrial designation and upcoming hearing on April 27, 1996.
- # April 19, 1996 – Planning Commission revisions to the January 8, 1996 alternative plan and map

made available to the public.

- # April 19, 1996 – Summary of the Planning Commission Revised Working Draft of Comprehensive Plan Text mailed to Cities, Tribe, CTED, Press, Planning Commission Members and Board of Commissioners & Key Staff.
- # April 22, 1996 – Summary of the Planning Commission Revised Working Draft of Comprehensive Plan Text and Map hand delivered to the libraries for reference.
- # April 23, 1996 – The Planning Commission Revised Working Draft of Comprehensive Plan Map mailed to Cities, Tribes and CTED.
- # April 27, 1996 – Planning Commission public hearing on the proposed revisions to the January 8, 1996 alternative plan and map.
- # April 30, 1996 – Presentation to the County Employees Association regarding GMA and the Comprehensive Plan.
- # April 30, 1996 – Deadline for submitting written testimony to the Planning Commission.

**May 1996**

- # May 2, 1996 – Planning Commission Study Session at County Courthouse.
- # May 3, 1996 – Planning Commission decision only hearing at County Courthouse regarding recommended plan.
- # May 13, 1996 – Planning Commission recommended comprehensive plan presented by the Chairperson to the Board of County Commissioners at County Courthouse.
- # May 15, 1996 – The Planning Commission Recommended Comprehensive Plan and Map dated May 3, 1996 mailed to Cities, Tribes, KRC and CTED; also placed in the libraries and DCD annexes for public review.
- # May 22, 1996 – Notification of upcoming Board of County Commissioner public hearings on the recommended Planning Commission Plan mailed to GMA mailing list, agency mailing list & site specific mailing list (total approximately 1,900).
- # May 28, 1996 – Hearings Board issues a finding of noncompliance and makes a contingent recommendation of sanctions if plan and development regulations not completed by September 3, 1996 (Case No. 95-3-0039).
- # May 29, 1996 – Staff made a GMA presentation to the Port Orchard Kiwanis.

**June 1996**

- # June 3, 1996 – Board of County Commissioners Hearing on the PC recommended Comprehensive Plan at Givens Community Center.
- # June 4, 1996 – Board of County Commissioners Hearing on the PC recommended Comprehensive Plan at Silverdale Community Center.
- # June 5, 1996 – Board of County Commissioners Hearing on the PC recommended Comprehensive Plan at Keyport.
- # June 17, 1996 – Staff made a presentation on GMA issues to ‘Leadership Kitsap’ group at Givens.
- # June 19, 1996 – Written comment deadline for the Board of County Commissioners review of the Planning Commission Recommendation.
- # June 19, 1996 - Maggie Brown, a media relations/communications consultant, begin reviewing the May 3, 1996 Planning Commission recommended comprehensive plan with the intent of preparing recommendations for content organization, page design/layout and overall editing. Such recommendations are not to be of a substantive nature.
- # June 21, 1996 - the Kitsap County Comprehensive Plan Environmental Impact Statement

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Addendum was released for public review.

- # June 24, 1996 - Board of County Commissioners hearing to identify significant remand items for further Planning Commission review.
- # June 25, 1996 - Planning Commission regular monthly meeting. Presentation by Chuck Shank and KJSA Staff on progress of the Transportation Element.

### **July 1996**

- # July 1, 1996 - Continuation of Board of County Commissioners June 24, 1996 hearing to identify significant remand items for further Planning Commission review.
- # July 3, 1996 - Informational post cards were mailed to the GMA mailing list including the Cities, Tribes, KRC, CTED, and interested others (approximately 2,000 cards) containing the Kitsap County Planning Commission schedule through August 6, 1996.
- # July 7, 1996 - Interim Urban Growth Areas, Zoning Map, Zoning Ordinance and Critical Areas Ordinance as adopted on January 8, 1996 expire.
- # July 8, 1996 - The Board of County Commissioners approved contract number KC 250-96 for Maggie Brown for preparing recommendations for content organization, page design/layout and overall editing of the comprehensive plan. Said contract covers the period from June 19, 1996 to no later than August 15, 1996 with July 15, 1996, or there about, being the anticipated date of completion.
- # July 8, 1996 - The Board of County Commissioners held a public hearing and renewed for a six month period, without alteration (except for the Port Gamble Area), the Interim Ordinances adopted on January 8, 1996 relating to Interim Urban Growth Areas, Critical Areas, Zoning and Zoning Map. The Interim Urban Growth Area for the Port Gamble area was not renewed and was zoned Rural Medium (RM) by this action. On July 16, 1996 the public notice of these actions will be published initiating the 60-day appeal period.
- # July 9, 1996 - The Staff Working Draft of the Zoning Ordinance was made available.
- # July 10, 1996 - The Chair of the Planning Commission and County Staff met with representatives of the Port Orchard City Council, the City Engineer and the City Planner to discuss remand issues as they related to the City of Port Orchard Urban Growth Boundary.
- # July 12, 1996 - The appeal period for the Addendum to the EIS expires (One appeal was filed by Zane Thomas & KCRP).
- # July 15, 1996 - Compliance Status Report due to the Hearings Board (Case No. 95-3-0039).
- # July 16, 1996 - Planning Commission public hearing on the Board of County Commissioners remand items.
- # July 17, 1996 - Notice of the availability of the Staff Draft of the Zoning Ordinance was mailed to the Cities, Tribes, KRC, CTED and interested others.
- # July 18, 1996 - Planning Commission study session on the Transportation Element with Public Works Staff and KJSA, interactive with the public allowed to participate.
- # July 23, 1996 - The three South Kitsap Planning Commissioners, the Port Orchard City Engineer, the City Planner, and DCD staff went on a site inspection of the Sidney/Sedgewick area.
- # July 23, 1996 - Planning Commission study session on the Staff Draft Zoning Ordinance and remand issues including a discussion with representatives of the City of Port Orchard City Council; the public was allowed to participate in Zoning Ordinance discussion.
- # July 25, 1996 - Rough Draft of the Transportation Element available to the public.
- # July 29, 1996 - Edited and reformatted version of the Planning Commission recommended comprehensive plan available.

- # July 29, 1996 - Approximately 2,000 informational post cards were mailed to the GMA mailing list including the Cities, Tribes, KRC, CTED, and others notifying them of the Planning Commission and the Board of County Commissioners hearings schedule (July 23rd through August 19, 1996).
- # July 30, 1996 - Planning Commission public hearing on the Draft Zoning Ordinance and Binding Site Plan Ordinance, continued study session on remand items and draft zoning ordinance.

**August 1996**

- # August 1, 1996 - Written comment deadline for remand items and Draft Zoning Ordinance; final draft of the Transportation Element made available.
- # August 12, 1996 - The Kitsap County Board of Commissioners adopt Resolution No. 266-1996 revising the Comprehensive Plan schedule.
- # August 13, 1996 - The (Revised) Draft Section of the Transportation Element produced by KJS Associates, Inc. (dated August 11, 1996) is available at the Department of Community Development.
- # August 15, 1996 - Kitsap County notifies the Hearings Board of the revised schedule for adopting a Comprehensive Plan.
- # August 15, 1996 - Approximately 2,000 informational post cards were mailed to the GMA mailing list including the Cities, Tribes, KRC, CTED, and others notifying them of the Planning Commission and the Board of County Commissioners revised hearings schedule (August 13 through December 2, 1996).
- # August 24, 1996 - Staff makes a GMA presentation to the Library Board.
- # August 27, 1996 - The Kitsap County Planning Commission holds a morning and evening meeting to take public testimony on the August 11th version of the Transportation Element. Also, deadline for submitting written comments regarding transportation. Presentations by Craig Stone (DOT) regarding transportation issues and Randy Young regarding the Fiscal Impact analysis for the three alternatives.

**September 1996**

- # September 3, 1996 - Hearings Board deadline for adopting a fully complete comprehensive plan and implementing development regulations (Case No. 95-3-0039).
- # September 4, 1996 - Planning Commission decision only hearing on the Transportation Element.
- # September 13, 1996 - The Central Puget Sound Growth Management Hearings Board issues a Notice of Second Compliance Hearing and Briefing Schedule for Case No. 95-3-0039C.
- # September 16, 1996 - Board of County Commissioners public hearing on Planning Commission recommendation on remand items, transportation element, zoning ordinance and EIS Addendum appeal.
- # September 19, 1996 - Staff makes a GMA presentation to the Lockheed/Martin Management Association from Subase Bangor.
- # September 23, 1996 - Written comment deadline for the Board of County Commissioners regarding the Planning Commission recommendation on remand items, transportation element, zoning ordinance and EIS Addendum appeal.
- # September 30, 1996 - Anticipated Date of Approval Pending State Review - Board of County Commissioners decision on Planning Commission recommendation on remand items, transportation element, zoning ordinance and EIS Addendum appeal including tentative adoption of a complete Kitsap County Comprehensive Plan pending the 60 day review by State agencies.  
**NOTE THIS DECISION ONLY HEARING WAS POSTPONED UNTIL OCTOBER 7, 1996.**

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### **October 1996**

- # October 7, 1996 - Board of County Commissioners decision on Planning Commission recommendation on remand items, transportation element, zoning ordinance and EIS Addendum appeal including tentative approval of a complete Kitsap County Comprehensive Plan pending the 60 day review by State agencies.
- # October 9, 1996 - The Comprehensive Plan is delivered to CTED to initiate the mandatory, 60-day review period.
- # October 16, 1996 - CTED acknowledges receipt of the Comprehensive Plan and suggests that State Agencies comments may be forwarded to the County around November 14, 1996.
- # October 29, 1996. - Regular monthly Planning Commission meeting at the Courthouse, study session with DCD staff regarding the draft Critical Areas Ordinance, Planning Commission members given a copy of the draft Critical Areas Ordinance. Copies of the draft Critical Areas Ordinance available at the Department of Community Development Office in Port Orchard.
- # October 31, 1996 - Copies of the draft Zoning Ordinance and draft Zoning Map available at the Department of Community Development Office in Port Orchard. Copies mailed to Planning Commissioners, Cities, Tribes, CTED, KRC, County Commissioners & Interested Others.

### **November 1996**

- # November 1, 1996 - CTED acknowledges receipt of the draft Critical Areas Ordinance, draft Zoning Ordinance and draft Zoning Map to implement the Comprehensive Plan. "CTED has no comments at this time."
- # November 7, 1996 - Staff attends a neighborhood meeting regarding the DNR Illahee property.
- # November, 14, 1996 - Anticipated date for receiving State Agency comment regarding the Comprehensive Plan (per October 16, 1996 CTED correspondence).
- # November 15, 1996 - End of the 30 day written comment period for the Supplemental EIS prepared for the Comprehensive Plan.
- # November 18, 1996 - Planning Commission study session with DCD staff regarding the draft Zoning Ordinance and draft Zoning Map. Continued study session with DCD staff regarding the draft Critical Areas Ordinance.
- # November 19, 1996 - Planning Commission public hearing on the draft Critical Areas Ordinance.
- # November 25, 1996 - Planning Commission public hearing on the draft Zoning Ordinance and draft Zoning Map.
- # November 26, 1996 - Deadline for the submission of written comments regarding the draft Critical Areas Ordinance, draft Zoning Ordinance and draft Zoning Map to the Planning Commission.

### **December 1996**

- # December 2, 1996 - Final to the Supplemental EIS prepared for the Comprehensive Plan issued, beginning of 7 day waiting period before final action can be taken.
- # December 3, 1996 - Planning Commission decision only hearing on the Critical Areas Ordinance, Zoning Ordinance and Zoning Map to implement the Comprehensive Plan.
- # December 4, 1996 - Summary of state agency comments received from CTED.
- # December 9, 1996 - Planning Commission Chair presents the recommendations on the Critical Areas Ordinance, Zoning Ordinance and Zoning Map to implement the Comprehensive Plan to the Board of Commissioners - hearing continued to December 23, 1996.
- # December 9, 1996 - Board of County Commissioners set date of December 23, 1996 to consider extending the interim ordinances (Zoning, Critical Areas & Interim UGA's).

- # December 9, 1996 - Board of Commissioners reviewed the state agency comments in a public hearing - hearing continued to December 23, 1996.
- # December 11, 1996 - Planning Commission work study session of the Draft Critical Areas Ordinance - continued to January 2, 1997.
- # December 12, 1996 - Planning Commission work study session of the Draft Zoning Ordinance - continued to January 2, 1997.
- # December 17, 1996 - Deadline for submitting written comment to the Board of Commissioners regarding the state agency comments.
- # December 23, 1996, the Kitsap County Commissioners held a public hearing to consider renewing for a period of six months the interim ordinances relating to zoning, critical areas and interim urban growth areas; held a public hearing to consider the state agency comments on the revised Comprehensive Plan and to adopt the Plan.

**January 1997**

- # January 2, 1997 - Planning Commission work study session on the Zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances - continued to January 8, 1997.
- # January 8, 1997 - Planning Commission work study session on the Zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances.
- # January 10, 1997 - Planning Commission anticipated decision only hearing on the Zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances.
- # January 17, 1997 - Planning Commission deadline for recommending a revised Critical Areas Ordinance and Zoning Ordinance to implement the Comprehensive Plan.
- # January 28, 1997 - Planning Commission public hearing on the Wireless Communication Facilities Ordinance.

**February 1997**

- # February 11, 1997 - Planning Commission study session and decision only hearing on the Wireless Communication Facilities Ordinance.
- # February 19, 1997 - Joint work study session with the Board of County Commissioners and the Planning Commission regarding the January 10, 1997 recommended Zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances.
- # February 20, 1997 - At the pre-hearing conference before the Central Puget Sound Growth Management Hearings Board, an offer to entertain potential settlement proposals was extended to all parties by the County.
- # February 24, 1997 - Public Hearing, Planning Commission recommended January 10, 1997 Zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances presented to the Board of County Commissioners.

**March 1997**

- # March 4, 1997 - Written comments due to the Board of County Commissioners regarding the Planning Commission recommended January 10, 1997 Zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances.
- # March 5, 1997 - Staff work study session regarding the Planning Commission recommended January 10, 1997 Zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances.
- # March 6, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners work study session regarding the Planning Commission recommended January 10, 1997 zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances.
- # March 10, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners public hearing regarding the Planning Commission recommended January 10, 1997 Zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances.
- # March 20, 1997 - Hearings Board consolidation hearing. End document room.

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### **April 1997**

- # April 14, 1997 - The Board of County Commissioners hold a decision only hearing regarding the Wireless Communication Facilities Ordinance.
- # April 22, 1997 - The Board of County Commissioners issue a press release outlining the process for identifying potential modifications to the December 23, 1996 Comprehensive Plan.
- # April 29, 1997 - The County issued an invitation to all parties to discuss issues.
- # April 30 - May 5, 1997 - The County meets with the following parties/representatives to discuss possible settlement issues: David Bricklin, Kitsap Land Owners Coalition, Jim Tracy, McCormick Land Company, 1000 Friends of Washington, Economic Development Council, Association to Protect Anderson Creek, Union River Basin Protection Association, State of Washington (CTED and DOE), Jim Lindsey, City of Bremerton, and The Suquamish Tribe.

### **May 1997**

- # May 6, 1997 - The Board of County Commissioners issued a press release regarding the process and the meetings held to date.
- # May 7, 1997 - The Kitsap County Board of Commissioners identified eleven (11) issues as potential changes to the Comprehensive Plan to be considered.
- # May 9, 1997 - Approximately 2,000 flyers were mailed to interested persons (GMA mailing list). As part of the information dissemination process on the issues, advertisements were taken out in both the weekly and daily newspapers, the legal notice was published, a pre-recorded information telephone number was put in place, and advertisements were placed on the local information television channels.
- # May 12, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners work study session regarding the Planning Commission recommended January 10, 1997 Zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances.
- # May 19, 1997 - A joint Board of County Commissioners/Planning Commission public hearing was held in Central Kitsap to take testimony on the issues. Approximately 100 people attended this hearing with 22 speaking. As part of the process of gathering public input, at each hearing, members of the public were given four 'dots' and allowed to prioritize their opinions on the issues.
- # May 21, 1997 - A joint Board of County Commissioners/Planning Commission public hearing was held in South Kitsap to take testimony on the issues. Approximately 100 people attended this hearing, with 32 people speaking.
- # May 22, 1997 - A joint Board of County Commissioners/Planning Commission public hearing was held in North Kitsap to take testimony on the issues. Approximately 80 people attended this hearing, with 40 people speaking. Written comment was due at the conclusion of this hearing.
- # May 23, 1997 - Copies of the written input (approximately 90 letters were received) were delivered to the members of the Planning Commission.
- # May 27, 1997 - The Planning Commission met at the Courthouse to discuss the issues and forward a recommendation to the Board of Commissioners. The Planning Commission opted to table the matter indefinitely.

### **June 1997**

- # June 2, 1997 - Following a report from the Chair of the Planning Commission regarding the issues, the Board of Commissioners approved a motion to make no changes to the December 23, 1996 Comprehensive Plan.
- # June 16, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners set public hearings date of June 30, 1997 to consider extending the interim zoning, critical areas and zoning ordinances for an additional six months.



- # June 30, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners public hearing to consider extending the interim zoning, critical areas and zoning ordinances for an additional six months.

**July 1997**

- # July 8, 1997 - Interim Zoning, Critical Areas Ordinances and Maps renewed for a period of six months.
- # July 15, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners Study Session on the Zoning and Critical Areas Ordinances.
- # July 16, 1997 - Second Compliance Hearing before the Central Puget Sound Growth Management Hearings Board.
- # July 21, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners review Critical Areas Ordinance, pgs. 1-46.
- July 28, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners Study Session regarding Critical Areas Ordinance
- # July 29, 1997 - Planning Commission Study Session at County Courthouse.

**August 1997**

- # August 6, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners Study Session regarding Critical Areas Ordinance
- # August 13, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners Study Session regarding Zoning Ordinance
- # August 21, 1997 - Planning Commission Study Session
- # August 26, 1997 - Planning Commission meeting regarding mapping errors on Interim Zoning map.

**September 1997**

- # September 8, 1997 - Central Puget Sound Growth Management Hearings Board Decision issued.
- # September 9, 1997 - Kitsap County receives the Growth Hearings Board Decision. Finding of Noncompliance and Determination of Invalidity in the Bremerton and Order Dismissing Port Gamble.
- # September 10, 1997 and September 12, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners review of the Growth Management Hearings Board decision.
- # September 15, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners Study Session regarding the Comprehensive Plan.
- # September 24, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners Study Session on Zoning Ordinances.
- # September 29, 1997 - Staff meets with Comprehensive Plan consultant, Richard Weinman of Huckell/Weinman and Associates.

**October 1997**

- # October 6, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners Comprehensive Plan discussion.
- # October 9, 1997 - City of Port Orchard meeting regarding Urban Growth Area.
- # October 13, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners Study Session regarding the Critical Areas Ordinance. Staff meeting with Richard Weinman.
- # October 27, 1997 - Planning Commission meets with Richard Weinman. Public Informational Meeting, 7:00 p.m. regarding Comprehensive Plan and Urban Growth Areas.

**November 1997**

- # November 5, 1997 - Richard Weinman makes a presentation to the Kitsap Regional Coordinating Council regarding Urban Growth Areas.

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- # November 8, 1997 - Staff attends Port Orchard City Council Retreat.
- # November 10, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners hearing on Interim Critical Areas Ordinance revisions.

### **December 1997**

- # December 1, 1997 - Cities meet with County consultant Richard Weinman to discuss location and size of possible Urban Growth Areas.
- # December 4, 1997 - Richard Weinman makes a presentation to the Port Orchard Chamber of Commerce.
- # December 11, 1997 - County Releases the Draft Urban Residential Land Capacity Analysis Issue Paper.
- # December 18, 1997 - Board of County Commissioners and Planning Commission joint Work Study Session regarding Holding Capacity Issue Paper.
- # December 30, 1997 - Staff mails postcard to public regarding upcoming events for Comprehensive Plan.

### **January 1998**

- # January 5, 1998 - Interim ordinances renewed for six months by the Board of County Commissioners. Meeting of the Silverdale Growth Management Advisory Committee (SGMAC). McCormick Land Co. meeting to discuss the potential annexation/incorporation of McCormick Woods.
- # January 7, 1998 - Slide show presentation by William Kreager and public meeting regarding Urban Residential Land Capacity Analysis Issue Paper.
- # January 8, 1998 - Meeting of SGMAC.
- # January 9, 1998 - Progress report to the Growth Management Hearings Board on the status of the Comprehensive Plan due.
- # January 13, 1998 - Meeting of SGMAC.
- # January 15, 1998 - Presentation regarding changes to the State's Growth Management Act (ESB 6094) by Keith Dearborn and Loren Dunn. Meeting of Silverdale Growth Management Advisory Committee. Staff meeting with City of Poulsbo staff re: Urban Growth Areas.
- # January 20, 1998 - Planning Commission Public Hearing regarding the Urban Residential Land Capacity Analysis Issue Paper. Meeting of SGMAC.
- # January 21, 1998 - Meeting of SGMAC.
- # January 22, 1998 - Planning Commission Public Hearing regarding the Urban Residential Land Capacity Analysis Issue Paper.
- # January 27, 1998 - Planning Commission Study Session/Decision-Only Public Hearing re: Urban Issue Paper.
- # January 29, 1998 - Staff meeting with City of Bremerton to discuss UGA's.
- # January 30, 1998 - 60 day notice of intent to adopt sent to CTED. Rural Element Issue Paper available.

### **February 1998**

- # February 2, 1998 - Commercial/Industrial Land Capacity Issue Paper available.
- # February 3, 1998 - Commissioner and staff attend Port Orchard City Council meeting to discuss UGA's. February 4, 1998 - Board of Commissioners/Planning Commission Joint Work Study Session on the Rural Element Issue Paper.
- # February 5, 1998 - Staff meet with Port Orchard city staff to discuss UGA's - urban character.

- # February 9, 1998 - Board of Commissioners decision only hearing re: amendments to CAO. Two Rural Workshops with Tom Phillips.
- # February 11, 1998 - Innovative Development presentation by Randall Arendt re: rural preservation. February 12, 1998 - Staff meeting with City of Port Orchard staff re: Urban Growth Areas.
- # February 13, 1998 - Richard Weinman and staff meet with City of Bremerton to discuss UGA's. Richard and staff meet with Silverdale group to discuss UGA's.
- # February 17, 1998 - Planning Commission Public Hearing followed by a Decision Only Hearing re: Rural Issue Paper.
- # February 18, 1998 - Staff presentation to League of Women Voters re: Commercial and Industrial Lands Issue Paper. Silverdale Growth Management Advisory Committee meeting re: Commercial and Industrial land.
- # February 20, 1998 - Release draft development regulations: Zoning, Critical Areas Ordinance, Concurrency Ordinance, Shoreline Master Program, and Procedural Code.
- # February 24, 1998 - Board of Commissioners/Planning Commission Joint Public Input Meeting re: Commercial/Industrial Issue Paper.
- # February 25, 1998 - Board of Commissioners/Planning Commission Joint Work Study Session re: Development Regulations. Staff presentation re: Commercial and Industrial Land Issue Paper - Chamber of Commerce.

**March 1998**

- # March 3, 1998 - Board of Commissioners/Planning Commission Joint Work Study Session re: Transportation & Capital Facilities Plan. Staff attends a City of Bremerton Sheridan Heights neighborhood meeting re: UGA annexation.
- # March 4, 1998 - Kitsap County Information Kiosk re: Comprehensive Plan at the Silverdale Mall opens.
- # March 5, 1998 - Board of County Commissioners attend Port Orchard Chamber of Commerce luncheon meeting.
- # March 6, 1998 - Board of County Commissioners and staff meeting with City of Bremerton to discuss Urban Growth Areas.
- # March 7, 1998 - Commissioner Charlotte Garrido spends the day meeting the public at the Kitsap County Information Kiosk at the Silverdale Mall.
- # March 13-15, 1998 - Kitsap County DCD staff a booth at the annual Home Show.
- # March 14, 1998 - Commissioners spend the day meeting the public at the Kitsap County Information Kiosk at the Silverdale Mall.
- # March 15, 1998 - Kitsap County Administrator Malcolm Fleming attends a meeting of the Association to Protect Anderson Creek.
- # March 17, 1998 - Board of Commissioners and DCD staff attend a joint meeting with the cities to discuss Urban Growth Area issues.
- # March 18, 1998 - Notice of EIS Addendum published. Planning Commission Decision Only hearing re: Commercial/Industrial Issues.
- # March 20, 1998 - Staff draft of the Comprehensive Plan released, including CFP & Transportation. Revised Development Regulations released.
- # March 21, 1998 - Commissioners spend the day meeting the public at the Kitsap County Information Kiosk at the Silverdale Mall.
- # March 23, 1998 - Joint BOCC/PC Work Study Session re: Comprehensive Plan & Development Regulations.

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- # March 25, 1998 - Commissioner Garrido and Administrator Fleming meet with the City of Port Orchard to discuss UGAs. Commissioner Garrido and staff attend meeting of McCormick Woods Homeowners Association re: UGA issues.
- # March 26, 1998 - Written testimony re: Comprehensive Plan & Development Regulations due by 4:30 at the Department of Community Development.
- # March 28, 1998 - Open Houses with Planning Commission, Staff, and Commissioners in North Kitsap at the Poulsbo City Council Chambers, Central Kitsap at the Silverdale Mall County Information Kiosk, and South Kitsap at Givens Community Center in the Cascade Room.
- # March 30, 1998 - Commissioner Garrido and staff attend a meeting to discuss Banner Forest Issues.
- # March 31, 1998 - Planning Commission Public Hearing re: Comprehensive Plan and Development Regulations.

**April 1998**

- # April 1, 1998 - Planning Decision Public Hearing re: Comprehensive Plan and Development Regulations.
- # April 3, 1998 - Hearings Board Deadline for adoption of a Comprehensive Plan, Planning Commission Decision Only Hearing re: Development Regulations.
- # April 7, 1998 - Motion for extension submitted to Hearings Board.
- # April 8, 1998 - Motion for extension granted by Hearings Board.
- # April 11, 1998 - 2nd EIS Addendum released.
- # April 20, 1998 - Planning Commission, Public Hearing & Decision re: Transportation Concurrency Ordinance.
- # April 22, 1998 - Staff presentation at the East Bremerton Rotary Meeting re: the Comprehensive Plan.
- # April 24, 1998 - End of Appeal Period for EIS 2nd Addendum.
- # April 27, 1998 - Board of Commissioners Public Hearing and Decision re: SEPA appeals.
- # April 28, 1998 - Planning Commission Public Hearing re: an ordinance designating new Interim Urban Growth Areas (IUGAs), and Board of Commissioners Public Hearing re: Planning Commission recommended Comprehensive Plan and Development Regulations. Written testimony due by the end of the hearing.
- # April 30, 1998 - Board of Commissioners Decision Only Hearing re: Planning Commission recommended Comprehensive Plan and Development Regulations.

**May 1998**

- # May 4, 1998 - Board of County Commissioners, Public Hearing re: adoption of the Comprehensive Plan and Development Regulations (continued to May 7, 1998).
- # May 7, 1998 - Board of County Commissioners, Continuation of Public Hearing re: adoption of the Comprehensive Plan and Development Regulations.

**October 1998**

- # October 9, 1998 - Release of Environment International's report "Kitsap County and the GMA: Defining Forest Resource Choices".

**November 1998**

- # November 5, 1998 - Board of County Commissioners/ Planning Commission, Joint Study Session re: Presentation of Environment International's report "Kitsap County and the GMA: Defining Forest Resource Choices" and discussion of criteria for designation of forest resource lands.
- # November 10, 1998 - Planning Commission, Public Hearing and Decision re: criteria for designation of forest resource lands (continued to November 17, 1998).
- # November 17, 1998 - Planning Commission, Public Hearing and Decision re: criteria for designation of forest resource lands.
- # November 30, 1998 - Board of County Commissioners, Public Hearing and Decision re: Planning Commission Recommendation on criteria for designation of forest resource lands (continued to December 3, 1998).

**December 1998**

- # December 3, 1998 - Board of County Commissioners, Public Hearing and Decision re: adoption

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of Ordinance No. 228-1998 establishing the criteria for designation of forest resource lands.