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**AGENDA**

Date: May 1, 2006

To: Foothills Subarea Plan Advisory Committee

From: Matt W. Aamot, Whatcom County Planning & Development

The Foothills Subarea Plan Advisory Committee will meet on Wednesday May 3, 2006 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Kendall Elementary School, 7547 Kendall Rd. The agenda will involve:

1. Sign in & determination of quorum.
2. Public comment period.
  - *Estimated time allotment: 10 minutes. Complete by 6:40 p.m.*
3. Advisory committee review of draft business rules.
  - *Estimated time allotment: 20 minutes. Complete by 7:00 p.m.*
4. Advisory committee review of public participation program. Specifically, consider whether postcards should be mailed to landowners and residents (i.e. renters), the timeframe for holding “vision week” workshops, and the timeframe and potential issues addressed by the questionnaire.
  - *Estimated time allotment: 40 minutes. Complete by 7:40 p.m.*
5. Advisory committee review of draft Introduction and Population Projections chapter and identification of background information, historical trends/issues that have influenced land use and development in the subarea, and population projection issues (including the cost of presentations by ECONorthwest and Professor McLaughlin).

- *Estimated time allotment: 30 minutes. Complete by 8:10 p.m., with understanding that this agenda item will also be discussed at future meetings.*
6. Opportunity for committee members to raise issues or discuss matters not on the agenda.
    - *Estimated time allotment: 10 minutes. Complete by 8:20 p.m.*
  7. Public comment period.
    - *Estimated time allotment: 10 minutes. Complete by 8:30 p.m.*
  8. Adjournment.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (360) 676-6907.

CC: Tim Hostetler, Washington State Department of Transportation  
Rick Nicholson, Whatcom Transportation Authority  
Richard Gantman, Mt. Baker School District Superintendent  
Cliff Langley, Whatcom County Sheriff's Office  
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