

LAND USE COMMITTEE
FEBRUARY 6, 2020
3:30 P.M. – 3:50 P.M.

COUNCIL PRESENT: COUNCILMEMBER COX (CHAIR), DEPUTY MAYOR PRATT,
COUNCILMEMBER GREENSTEIN

STAFF PRESENT: SCOTT SPENCE, DAVE SCHNEIDER, RICK WALK, RYAN ANDREWS,
JESSICA BRANDT, PERI EDMONDS

ACTION: APPROVE LAND USE COMMITTEE AGENDA
MOTION: MOTION MADE, SECONDED, AND CARRIED BY COUNCILMEMBERS GREENSTEIN
AND DEPUTY MAYOR PRATT

ACTION: APPOINT COUNCILMEMBER COX AS CHAIR OF THE LAND USE COMMITTEE
MOTION: MOTION MADE, SECONDED, AND CARRIED BY COUNCILMEMBERS GREENSTEIN
AND DEPUTY MAYOR PRATT

SHORELINE MASTER PROGRAM – PERIODIC UPDATE

STAFF: RYAN ANDREWS, PLANNING MANAGER
JESSICA BRANDT, ASSOCIATE PLANNER
ACTION: INFORMATION ONLY

Staff provided an update to the City's Shoreline Master Program (SMP). The SMP has been on the Community & Economic Development Department's work plan since last year, per a state-mandated periodic review.

The Washington State Shoreline Management Act requires that Cities and Counties review and revise their SMP, if needed, on an eight-year schedule established by the State Legislature. Starting in December 2019, Lacey started the periodic review of its SMP.

Lacey adopted its first SMP in 2011 with other background documents including a Shoreline Restoration Plan and the Cumulative Impacts Analysis for Lacey's Shorelines. The City completed a minor update in 2015 to comply with state changes to wetlands regulations.

Department of Ecology requires a Public Participation Plan, in order to describe how the City will encourage early and continuous public participation throughout the process of reviewing the SMP. The Plan is a working document and will be adjusted as needed to provide for the greatest and broadest public participation.

Staff will begin the public outreach in spring 2020, followed by drafting the proposed changes, environmental review, and a public open house. In the summer and fall 2020, the Planning Commission and Department of Ecology will review the changes, and submitted to the City Council for review.