



Lake Whatcom Policy Group Agenda

Garden Room, Whatcom County Civic Center Building
 322 N. Commercial Street, Bellingham, WA, 98225
 July 14, 2014, 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM

Meeting Chair: Barry Buchanan, Whatcom County Council

Topic	Lead	Mins.
1. Planning Horizon and Preferred Funding Scenarios - <i>Continued</i>		
<p>Goal: <i>Provide recommendation on a planning horizon for meeting expected TMDL phosphorus reduction target, and identify preferred funding scenarios.</i></p>	Policy Makers	45
2. Homeowner Incentive Program (HIP) Policy and Budget Issues		
<p>Goal: <i>Review and clarify HIP budget/policy issues to enable program expansion:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Long-term HIP funding sources; ◦ Principles for equitable funding among jurisdictions. <p>Questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Should public funds be used for private property improvements? ◦ What can be done to increase participation of high-impact properties? ◦ Should the program be expanded to provide assistance to new development? ◦ What are the limits of a purely voluntary program? Should there be a base level of required participation? 	Staff and Policy Makers	50
3. Next meeting topic		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Identify topic for next meeting 	Staff and Policy Makers	10
<p>Next Meeting: Monday September 15, 2014, 1:30 PM, Garden Room, Whatcom County Civic Center Building, 322 N. Commercial St.</p>		