

RCW 36.70A.720 — Work plan

In developing and implementing the work plan, the watershed group must:

EXISTING INFORMATION AND RESOURCE CONDITION

(a) Review and incorporate applicable

- water quality data and plans,
- watershed management data and plans,
- farmland protection data and plans, and
- species recovery data and plans;

(h) Incorporate into the work plan existing development regulations relied upon to achieve the goals and benchmarks for protection;

(e) Create measurable benchmarks that, within ten years after the receipt of funding, are designed to result in

(i) the protection of critical area functions and values and

(ii) the enhancement of critical area functions and values through voluntary, incentive-based measures;

PARTICIPATION AND LANDOWNER OUTREACH

(b) Seek input from tribes, agencies, and stakeholders;

(d) Ensure outreach and technical assistance is provided to agricultural operators in the watershed;

(f) Designate the entity or entities that will provide technical assistance;

(g) Work with the entity providing technical assistance to ensure that individual stewardship plans contribute to the goals and benchmarks of the work plan;

(c) Goals for participation by agricultural operators conducting commercial and noncommercial agricultural activities in the watershed necessary to meet the protection and enhancement benchmarks of the work plan;

MONITORING AND REPORTING

- (i) Establish baseline monitoring for:
 - (i) Participation activities and implementation of the voluntary stewardship plans and projects;
 - (ii) stewardship activities; and
 - (iii) the effects on critical areas and agriculture relevant to the protection and enhancement benchmarks developed for the watershed;

- (j) Conduct periodic evaluations, institute adaptive management, and provide a written report of the status of plans and accomplishments to the county and to the commission within sixty days after the end of each biennium;

- (k) Assist state agencies in their monitoring programs; and

- (l) Satisfy any other reporting requirements of the program.