

“Programs, Partners & Politics” Conservation Commission Work Session

Hilton Garden Inn Olympia
2101 Henderson Park Lane Southeast, Olympia, WA 98501
Wednesday, March 20, 2019 – 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Work Session Purpose:

- An opportunity for agency and organization Directors to discuss with our Commission Members topics of mutual interest and how we can continue to strengthen our partnership relationship into the future for conservation of natural resources in Washington State.

Time	Duration	Activities	Outcomes & Notes
1:00 pm	15 minutes	Opening Comments, Session Purpose & Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Opening comments by Commission Chair Kropf and Interim Executive Director Robinson ▪ Review of workshop purpose and agenda 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Participant’s knowledge of work session purpose & topics
1:15 pm	30 minutes	Department of Ecology – Maia Bellon <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Brief opening statement on ECY relationship with the Commission and local Conservation Districts ▪ Topics for discussion - irrigation efficiencies, joint trainings with ECY and CD Staff, new ideas on buffers, legislation, other 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ECY working relations with Conservation Commission and Conservation Districts
1:45 pm	30 minutes	WA Department of Agriculture – Evan Sheffels <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Brief opening statement on WSDA relationship with the Commission and local Conservation Districts ▪ Topics for discussion - Dairy Nutrient Management Program, VSP, Soils Health, legislation, other 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ WSDA working relations with Conservation Commission and Conservation Districts
2:15 pm	15 minutes	Break	
2:30 pm	30 minutes	WA Department of Natural Resources – Tom Bugert <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Brief opening statement on DNR relationship with the Commission and local Conservation Districts ▪ Topics for discussion - Fire wise, CDs possible role in responses right after a fire, legislation, other 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ DNR working relations with Conservation Commission and Conservation Districts

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3:00 pm	30 minutes	Recreation Conservation Office – Kaleen Cottingham <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Brief opening statement on RCO relationship with the Commission and local Conservation Districts ▪ Topics for discussion - culvert replacements, any changes in the process for grant applications by local conservation districts, legislation, other 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ RCO working relations with Conservation Commission and Conservation Districts
3:30 pm	30 minutes	WA Department of Fish & Wildlife – Jeffrey Davis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Brief opening statement on WDFW relationship with the Commission and local Conservation Districts ▪ Topics for discussion – joint projects , project permitting, priority areas, sharing resources, legislation, other 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ WDFW working relations with Conservation Commission and Conservation Districts
4:00 pm	50 minutes	Water Temperature Trading <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Jay Gordon and guests share proposal for Water Temperature Trading ▪ Questions and discussion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Information on Water Temperature Trading proposal
4:50 pm	10 minutes	Closing Comments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Chair Kropf and Interim Executive Director Robinson closing comments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Closing Comments
5:00 pm		Adjourn	