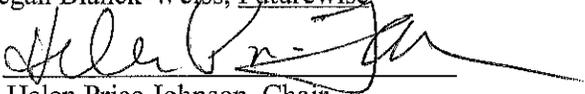




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October 3, 2012

TO: Everett Herald  
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FROM:   
Helen Price Johnson, Chair  
Board of Island County Commissioners

RE: **NOTICE OF SPECIAL SESSIONS**

The Board of Island County Commissioners will meet in Special Sessions as indicated below for the purpose of conducting public meetings/workshops on the comprehensive update of the Shoreline Master Program as recommended by the Island County Planning Commission, in compliance with the Shoreline Management Act and 2003 current state shoreline management guidelines.

- Tuesday, October 9, 2012 at 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
Freeland Trinity Lutheran Church, Grigware Hall  
18341 State Route 525  
Freeland, WA
- Tuesday, October 16, 2012 at 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.  
Camano Senior Community Center  
606 Arrowhead Road  
Camano Island WA

The update includes revised goals and policies that will amend the shoreline element of the comprehensive plan; revised shoreline environment designations; a restoration plan; and an amendment to replace the existing Chapters 16.21 and Chapter 17.05 ICC in its entirety with a new Chapter 17.05A ICC, to be known as the Shoreline Master Program Regulations and Procedures.

HPJ:dt

cc: Kelly Emerson, Member  
Angie Homola, Member  
Elaine Marlow, Clerk of the Board  
Robert Pederson, Director, Planning & Community Development  
Karen Stewart, SMP Coordinator/Planner

*Arrangements to reasonably accommodate special needs, including handicap accessibility or an interpreter, will be made upon receiving 24-hour advance notice by calling: (360) 678-7919 from North Whidbey, (360) 629-4522 Ext #7919 from Camano Island or (360) 321-5111 Ext #7919 from South Whidbey.*