

SEPA RULE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
AGENDA

FEBRUARY 14, 2013 – 9:00 AM TO 1:00PM
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY HQ
300 Desmond Drive
Olympia, Washington, 98504

For Those Participating By Phone:

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Objectives for this meeting:

- **Hear two presentations:**
 - *Cultural/Historic Resources laws and regulations (cultural/historic members)*
 - *Difficulties between GMA and SEPA (city and county members)*
- **Delve into the major topics for 2013 rule amendment (phase 2)**

9:00am: Welcome & Introductions (Neil Aaland)

9:10am: Review and discuss topics for Phase 2 rulemaking (all)

The Advisory Committee decided in January that, rather than assigning each meeting to one or two topics, all topics would be on the schedule and a portion of each meeting will be devoted to each. As topics warrant, separate conference calls may be established to have a further discussion on a particular topic.

½ hour during the meeting will be devoted to each of the major topics. Major topics are:

1. *Cultural/Historic Preservation. Mary Thompson agreed to organize a presentation to the committee on the various laws and regulations that address Cultural/Historic Preservation in Washington State. (Note: the ½ hour for this topic will NOT include the presentation)*
2. *Public Notice*
3. *GMA/SEPA integration. Presentation by city and county members on the issues related to further GMA/SEPA integration. (Note: the ½ hour for this topic will NOT include the presentation)*
4. *Categorical exemptions (further updating, exceptions to exemptions, other topics)*
5. *Environmental checklist*

10:30am: Break

10:45am: Continue discussion

12:00 noon – 12:10 pm: Break for Caucusing (if requested)

12:45 pm: Public Comment

1:00: Adjourn

Attachments:

- Submittals from members (homework assignment)

Next meeting (second Thursday of each month):

9⁰⁰ to 1:00 - March 14, 2013