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Growth plan deliberations to resume September 18

Vancouver, WA – The Board of Clark County Commissioners will continue deliberations regarding the Comprehensive Growth Management Plan at 10 a.m. September 18 on the sixth floor of the Public Service Center, 1300 Franklin St., Vancouver.

The Board will discuss a proposed ordinance to change the plan and consider appeals concerning the county's work on the growth plan as it relates to the State Environmental Policy Act. (*The growth plan is on the Board's agenda for September 11, but only for the purpose of continuing the discussion until September 18.*)

Formal action on the proposed ordinance and growth plan changes currently is scheduled for September 25 at 10 a.m., also at the Public Service Center. Action items will include changes to urban growth boundaries, zoning in newly designated urban areas, written planning policies and development regulations included in Title 40 of the Clark County Code.

An extensive series of public meetings and hearings to examine the growth plan began in 2005 and continued through July 5, 2007, when the Board closed public testimony.

The "BOCC Tentative Land Use Map – August 14, 2007" and written policies contained in the "20-Year Comprehensive Growth Management Plan – August 2007" are the key elements of the proposed plan changes. For more information, please visit the county Web site at www.clark.wa.gov/longrangeplan/review/ or call (360) 397-2280, ext. 4558.

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