

**SAN JUAN COUNTY (SJC), WASHINGTON
WORKSHOP MINUTES**

**COUNTY COUNCIL
June 13, 2011
SPECIAL MEETING**

Monday, June 13, 2011 – Legislative Hearing Room, Friday Harbor, WA

8:45 AM SPECIAL MEETING

Council Chair Lovel Pratt called the special meeting to order at 8:45 am. Council Members present: Vice-Chair Patty Miller, Howard (Howie) Rosenfeld, Richard Fralick, Jamie Stephens and Rich Peterson; County Administrator Pete Rose, Clerk to the Council Ingrid Gabriel, Deputy Clerk Maureen See, and interested members of the public.

PRE-WORKSHOP DISCUSSION:

Chair Pratt opened the meeting, and turned it over to Solid Waste Subcommittee Chair Patty Miller to begin a review of new solid waste services information.

CRITICAL AREAS ORDINANCE (CAO) WORKSHOP

9:09 AM Scientist Consultants and Staff Recommendations re: CAO Regulations –
Janice Biletnikoff, Planner III; Dr. Paul Adamus, Wetland Scientist and Wildlife Biologist; Dan Nickel, Principal/Environmental Engineer, The Watershed Company (via teleconference).

Ms. Pratt thanked the participants and the audience for attending the workshop. She explained that the Council would be reviewing the scientist consultants and staff recommendations regarding the CAO update by section, and that the Council would then provide policy direction to inform the drafting of the CAO update which will then be reviewed by the Planning Commission.

Public comments on all sections were offered by: John Evans, Gordy Peterson

Discussion followed on the planning goals, specifically related to the regulations. Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Jon Cain answered questions from the Council.

9:33 Frequently Flooded Section

No public comments were offered. Janice Biletnikoff, Community Development and Planning (CDPD) Planner III and Rene Beliveau, CDPD Director presented the Section and answered the Council's questions.

After discussion, Ms. Pratt summarized Council's policy direction.

9:53 Geohazard Section

Public comment was offered by: Kyle Loring. Ms. Biletnikoff and Mr. Beliveau presented the Section and answered the Council's questions.

After discussion, Ms. Pratt summarized Council's policy direction.

11:10 AM General Section

Public comments were offered by: Tim Blanchard, Kyle Loring. Ms. Biletnikoff and Mr. Cain presented the Section and answered the Council's questions.

After discussion, Ms. Pratt summarized the Council's policy direction.

12:04 PM BREAK FOR LUNCH

1:03 PM RECONVENE

Council discussion on the General Section continued.

2:08 PM Wetland Section

Public comments were offered by: Janet Alderton, Bill Wright, Tim Blanchard, Kyle Loring. Dr. Paul Adamus presented the Section and answered the Council's questions.

After discussion, Ms. Pratt summarized the Council's policy direction.

4:36 PM ADJOURNED

These Minutes were approved and signed on July 12, 2011. The original document is retained in the Council's permanent proceedings file. Attest: Ingrid Gabriel, Council Clerk.