



Vashon-Maury Community Council Meeting January 18, 2024

Location: Land Trust Building and on Zoom
Land Trust Building
10014 SW Bank Rd, Vashon, WA 98070, USA

Meeting called to order by Diane Emerson at 7:02 pm, Quorum attained.

Board Members present: Diane Emerson, Debra Gussin, John Affolter, Ben Carr, Rick Shrum (via zoom), Jessica Anakar (via zoom), and Jamilla Stigall (via zoom)

Minutes from December meeting approved at 7:09pm

Democratic Rules of Order
<https://www.democraticrules.com/>

Zoom recording:
https://us06web.zoom.us/rec/share/4sX1w68FGMItdtEq19ThBi8l22nza9EQ4Bu_SsvlUmC9NV58FsEVjNkQ3N6zS4P.lpXBirbUj8WFVDgg

Passcode: @ec@E50

After a couple of months, this recording will be moved to our YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/@vashon-maurycommunity3890>

Guests Include: John Taylor (King County Dept of Local Services), Linda Olsen (PSE), Michelle Cooke (PSE), Shawn Greniger (PSE), Lynsey Gilreath, Heather Wohldman (PSE), Karen Brubeck (PSE), Sgt. Chris Leyba (Sheriff's Dept)

Community Happenings

1. Theater Fest
2. MLK Day

7:14

PSE

Puget Sound Energy on Tree Wire, Vegetation Management and Easements. [Background info on vegetation management here](#) , [Energy Landscaping here](#). And [PSE Easements here](#). [PSE Example Overhead Easement here](#). And the overall [Powerpoint presentation here](#)

1. Vashon Maury tree wire projects
2. PSE Facts
3. www.pse.com
4. Tree wire
5. Benefits
6. Past Vashon Projects
7. Current Vashon-Maury Island Projects
8. Easements
9. Hazards and non-compatible trees
10. Questions

7:49

Do we have enough water? (Mary Bruno)

<https://www.vashonbeachcomber.com/news/does-vashon-have-enough-water/>

1. Building affordable housing and protecting water supply
2. Ground Water Committee Report
3. Questions

8:00

Roads Update. Jake Jacobovitch took photos of the alley behind the Pharmacy, and other problematic locations:

- a. <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1dzkoNI02m2fNHBp5LhAK9ahGgv5f76x1?usp=sharing>

John Taylor, Director of the Department of Local Services

www.kingcounty.gov/localservices

Comprehensive Plan for Vashon

- b. Vashon Town Planning Committee
- c. David Vogal (Chair)
 - i. Holding meeting Monday January 29th, 7-9pm
 - ii. Review county executives' proposal for the comprehensive plan as it affects Vashon town
 - iii. Dsvogal.atty@gmail.com

8:10

Justin Hirsch

1. Ferry Update
 - a. Service contingency plan

- b. 3 boat service restored minimum of 4 years
- 2. 2 Boat Schedules
 - a. Problems
 - b. Revision
 - c. Lack of resources
 - d. Marine traffic
- 3. Medical Preference Loading System
- 4. Fautleroy Terminal Project
- 5. Questions
 - a. Additional ferry service and communication with Vashon FAC (Bernie)?
- 6. Additional Info
 - a. WSF Community Participation page:
 - i. <https://wsdot.wa.gov/travel/washington-state-ferries/about-us/community-participation>
 - b. V-MCC Ferry Resources page:
 - i. <https://www.v-mcc.org/post/ferry-resources-from-washington-state-ferries>
 - c. Fautleroy Ferry Terminal project:
 - i. <https://wsdot.wa.gov/construction-planning/major-projects/sr-160-fautleroy-terminal-trestle-transfer-span-replacement>
 - d. Vashon Ferry Advisory Committee email: VashonFAC@gmail.com

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Emily Scott Vashon Foodbank Update

- 1. Foodbank
 - a. <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1VhfZ7EtegPww5-TKvkr4dcGII3N7PJJJA/view?usp=sharing>
 - b. Mission
 - c. Impact
- 2. Sunrise Ridge
 - a. History
 - b. Challenges
- 3. Long Term Vision
 - a. Relocation
 - i. Vashon United Methodist Church
 - b. Construction
 - c. Funds

8:50

Volunteer Appreciation

Community Announcements

1. Affordable Housing Committee January 25th meeting
2. Sotheby's (Jeff)
 - a. Gentrification concern

Open Discussion

Jenny Bell wants V-MCC to pursue PSE Issues as Community

- a. Motion: That V-MCC create an advisory committee to learn more about the Puget Sound Energy tree wire project and make recommendations for any appropriate action that the V-MCC should take.
- b. Motion made and seconded
- c. Motion will be discussed, and vote to take place at February 15th meeting

Next meeting February 15th, 2024

Meeting Adjourned

Minutes By Jamilla Stigall