



LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of County Commissioners will hold a public hearing in the Commissioners' Hearing Room, County Administration Building, 1800 Continental Place, Mount Vernon, WA, on Tuesday, September 22, 2026, at 8:30 a.m., or as soon thereafter as possible, for the purpose of considering public comment on the proposed 2027 Guemes Island Ferry fare schedule amending and/or superseding Skagit County Resolution Numbers R20230152, R20250015, R20250259, and R20260089 including, but not limited to, higher fares to increase system revenue.

Participation in the public hearing will be in person in the Commissioners Hearing Room or by computer, tablet or smartphone: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87180001980?pwd=eEVGUkx-Z3NkQkhYSnhB-MEo2RTQrdz09>

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The public hearing will provide an opportunity to hear from Skagit County staff and for members of the public to provide public comment. A copy of the full text of the proposed resolutions will be mailed upon request, and a draft of the proposed rate schedule will be posted to the ferry webpage in advance of the public hearing: <https://www.skagitcounty.net/Departments/publicworksferry/main.htm>

Public comment will end with the close of the public hearing September 22, 2026. Public comment can be submitted any time beforehand by email at ferrycomments@co.skagit.wa.us or by mail to 1800 Continental Place, Suite 100, Mount Vernon, WA 98273. The subject line shall read, "Ferry 2027 Fare Proposal" and the body of the email should contain the comments rather than sending them as an attachment.

This proposal may be approved, modified, or rejected by the Board of Skagit County Commissioners. Your views for or against this matter are invited by attendance, representation, or letter. For questions regarding this proposal, please contact Ferry Division Manager, Captain Rachel Rowe at (360) 416-1466.

Skagit County ensures full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 by prohibiting discrimination against any person on the basis of race, color, national origin or sex in the provision of benefits and services resulting from the federally assisted programs and activities. For questions regarding Skagit County's Title VI Program, you may contact the Public Works Department's Title VI Coordinator, Michael See, at (360) 416-1400.

Notice given by order of the Board of Skagit County Commissioners this, 31st date of August, 2026.

Clerk of the Board

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