



Notice of Public Hearing

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Proposal Name: Updated Public Participation Plan for the Anacortes Shoreline Master Program (SMP) Periodic Update
Documents Available At: <https://www.anacorteswa.gov/1095/SMP-Update>

Public Hearing Date: Tuesday, May 12, 2026 at 6:00 PM

Public Hearing Body: Anacortes Planning Commission
City Hall Council Chambers

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Proposal Description(s):

The Shoreline Management Act (SMA) requires the City of Anacortes to conduct a periodic review and update of its Shoreline Master Program every 10 years. The City initiated this periodic update in 2019; however, adoption was delayed. The City is now reinitiating the update process and revising the Public Participation Plan (PPP) to guide the remaining steps through adoption.

The Public Participation Plan outlines how the City will provide for early and continuous public participation throughout the review and update process. The draft PPP includes public participation goals, anticipated audiences and partners, communication tools, outreach methods, and a preliminary schedule.

For more information about the Anacortes Shoreline Master Program and the update process, visit: <https://www.anacorteswa.gov/1095/SMP-Update>

How to Comment

Comments are accepted via email, paper, or verbally at the public hearing.

Email comments are preferred and may be sent to LibbyB@anacorteswa.gov.

Paper comments may be mailed or delivered to:

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<https://www.anacorteswa.gov/700/Meeting-Documents-and-Video>

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