

Shoreline and Coastal Planners Group Meeting Fall Meeting October 20, 2016



Cultural Resources: Planning and Permitting in the Shoreline

Bellingham Public Library Central Branch 210 Central Ave. Bellingham, WA

AGENDA

9:00 – 9:30 AM	Registration	
9:30 – 9:45 AM	Introductions	15 min
9:45 – 10:15 AM	What are Cultural Resources? Dennis Lewarch, Suquamish Tribe Stephenie Kramer, Willamette Cultural Resources Associates	30 min
10:15 – 10:55 AM	Regulatory and Legal issues Randal Perry, U.S. Army Corp of Engineers Lance Wollwage, WA Department of Archeology and Historic Preserv	40 min vation
10:55 – 11:10 AM	BREAK	
11:10 – 11:30 AM	SMA Planning Opportunities Tim Gates, WA Department of Ecology	20 min
11:30 – 12:30 PM	Permit Process: Using Permits for Conditions PANEL DISCUSSION: Andrew Hicks, Whatcom County Garth Baldwin, Drayton Archeology Randal Perry, U.S. Army Corp of Engineers Lena Tso, Lummi Tribe Lance Wollwage, WA Department of Archeology and Historic Preserv Randi Thurston, WA Department of Fish and Wildlife Maurice Major, WA Department of Natural Resources	60 min vation
12:30 – 12:40	Update on HPA Rules Randi Thurston, WA Department of Fish and Wildlife	10 min
12:40 – 1:20 PM	LUNCH (BROWN BAG)	40 min
1:20 – 1:50	CASE STUDY Scott Williams, WA State Department of Transportation	30 min
1:50 - 3:20	Field Trip – Carpool to Site Todd Koetje, WWU Sarah Campbell, WWU	90 min
3:20 – 3:30	Wrap Up (in Field)	15 min

SPEAKER BIOS

Garth Baldwin, M.A., RPA, Principal of Drayton Archaeology, has been working along the Northwest Coast for 17 years and since 2004 has been a Principal Investigator. As the owner of Drayton, he has overseen the completion of over 700 cultural resources projects. Garth's experience also includes three years as the Highways and Local Programs (H&LP) Principal Archaeologist at Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT).

Sarah Campbell is a professor of anthropology at Western Washington University. She specializes in Pacific Northwest prehistory, hunter-gatherer adaptations, and archaeological methods and theory. Sarah co-led the field investigation of the Woodstock Farm.

Tim Gates has worked for 26 years in shoreline and growth management planning in Washington State. He is currently Shoreline Policy Lead at the Department of Ecology. Prior to this position Tim provided an intersection between the Growth Management Act and the Shoreline Management Act working as a Senior Planner with the Washington State Department of Commerce.

Andrew Hicks is the shoreline administrator for Whatcom County. Previously, Andrew served as a land use planner in Whatcom County. He started his career in Island County as a land use planner where he worked on in all aspects of planning.

Dennis Lewarch is the Tribal Historic Preservation Officer, Suquamish Tribe and has 45 years' experience as a professional archaeologist. He has conducted archaeological investigations throughout the United States and Mexico, where he worked in the private sector for engineering firms, and taught archaeology and cultural resources management. He created the Suquamish Archaeology and Historic Preservation Program in 2008 and serves as the Program Manager, overseeing a team that includes a professional archaeologist and a Tribal traditional heritage specialist.

Maurice Major is the Department of Natural Resource's archaeologist for Aquatic, Recreation, and Conservation lands. He has been working with archaeology and contemporary cultural resource issues in Hawai`i and Washington State for over 25 years.

Todd Koetje is an Associate Professor or Archeology and Chair of the Anthropology Department at Western Washington University. He co-led the field investigation of the Woodstock Farm in 2010.

Stephenie Kramer is a consulting archaeologist and project manager at Willamette Cultural Resources Associates (WillametteCRA) in Seattle. Prior to WillametteCRA, Stephenie was the Assistant State Archaeologist at Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation (DAHP) for 14 years. While at DAHP she reviewed projects and issued excavations permits on both public and private lands under the Shoreline Management Act, Forest Practices Act, and the Governor's Executive Order 05-05

Randal Perry has been with the Regulatory Branch of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers since September of 2001 and has worked at the Bellingham field office since January of 2010.

Randi Thurston began her career with Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife in 2001 when she was hired as a habitat biologist covering the marine waters of Kitsap and Jefferson counties. Randi is currently the Habitat Program Protection Division Manager. She oversees the department's oil spill team and the regulatory services and SEPA sections.

Lena Tso is the Lummi tribal historic preservation officer and she has been in this field for 11 years. Lena is an enrolled member of the Lummi nation.

Scott Williams is the Cultural Resources Program Manager at WSDOT. He has over thirty years of experience in the field of historic preservation and cultural resources management working for state, federal, and private agencies in Washington, Oregon, and the Pacific Northwest.

Lance Wollwage is Assistant State Archaeologist for the State of Washington, working at DAHP. His responsibilities include issuing archaeological excavation permits and investigating illegal disturbances of archaeological sites and resources.



