

KitsapCounty

PLANNING COMMISSION

Executive Summary

Issue Title: Kitsap County Affordable Housing: Department of Community Development and Department of Human Services

Meeting Date: 07/21/2026

Time Required: 45 minutes

Attendees:

Heather Cleveland, Long Range Planner; Garrett Ballew, Long Range Planner; Bonnie Tufts, Program Manager (CDBG/HOME); Joel Warren, Program Supervisor (CIAH); Carl Borg, Program Manager (Housing & Homelessness)

Action Requested at this Meeting:

None - information only

Background: Kitsap County adopted the 2024 Comprehensive Plan in December 2024, establishing a policy framework to accommodate projected population growth and address identified housing needs. The Comprehensive Plan includes strategies to support a range of housing types, including emergency shelters, permanent supportive housing, and housing affordable to households across varying income levels.

The purpose of this briefing is to provide the Board with an overview of the roles, responsibilities, programs, and ongoing initiatives of two County departments that support implementation of the Comprehensive Plan's housing policies. The briefing also establishes a framework for ongoing interdepartmental coordination and future progress reports related to housing implementation and other Comprehensive Plan elements.

Attachments:

Presentation

