

Historic Opportunity to Help Shape the Future of Okanogan County

DID YOU KNOW:

- The County Comprehensive Plan will serve as the blueprint for future growth and development in the Methow Valley and throughout Okanogan County?
- Did you know that the Okanogan County County-wide Comprehensive Plan was last updated in 1964?
- Did you know that the current Draft Comprehensive Plan includes several alternatives for addressing issues of interest identified by Methow Valley neighborhood groups including the preservation dark skies and maintaining productive agricultural lands?

These facts underscore the importance of taking the time to understand and participate in the update of the county-wide the Comprehensive Plan, Zoning Code, and other influential land use documents now under review.

The Okanogan County Planning Commission continues to take public input on each of these draft documents providing a historic opportunity to participate in the development of plans and codes that will serve as the blueprint for future land use here in the Methow Valley and throughout unincorporated Okanogan County. **Now is the time to let the Planning Commission know what is important to you.**

TO LEARN MORE:

- You can learn and review the draft documents at your convenience and learn of upcoming meetings by visiting the Planning Department web page at: <http://www.okanogancounty.org/planning/>
- You can view a letter from the Methow Conservancy sharing suggested Goals and Policies for the new Comprehensive Plan: http://www.methowconservancy.org/comp_plan_letter.pdf
- You can also view a recent comment letter shared by the Mazama Advisory Committee at their blog site: <http://mazamaadvisorycommittee.blogspot.com/>

Comments can be mailed to:
Okanogan County Planning Commission
c/o Comprehensive Plan Comments
123 5th Ave N Ste 130
Okanogan, WA 98840
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QUESTIONS: Executive Director Jason Paulsen continues to monitor and participate in the Comprehensive Plan update process and welcomes your questions at any time at 509-996-2870.

Thank you for taking the time to participate!