

AGENDA
SNOHOMISH SUSTAINABLE LANDS STRATEGY MEETING
Wednesday, September 7, 2022 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.



In-person meeting

1. PRE-MEETING (9:45-10:00)

Please arrive at the property early, get settled, visit with friends.

2. WELCOME AND AGENDA REVIEW (10:00-10:05)

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS/SHARING (10:05-10:15)

4. DISCUSSION TOPICS (10:15 – 11:25)

10:15-10:40	Legislative Outreach (Linda Lyshall and David Roberts) Summary: Discuss legislative outreach needs. Brainstorm key messages with the group.
	<i>Networking Break (10 minutes)</i>
10:50-11:20	Defining collaboration, cooperation, and Communication (David Roberts) Summary: Time to acknowledge the different approaches and opportunities SLS participants have for working together.

5. OCTOBER RETREAT OVERVIEW AND AGENDA ITEMS (11:20-11:30)

6. ADJOURN (11:30)



SLS Ground Rules

- Create an environment for open dialogue, stay in a place of asking questions and learning—to understand, to clarify and to introduce alternative perspectives.
- Ensure a balance of voices; Be aware of the amount of time and space you use to weigh in and create space for other voices to be heard.
- Proactively share perspectives and actively listen to others: **THINK – True Helpful Important Necessary and Kind**
- Be willing to work through, rather than avoid, conflict.
- Acknowledge that all partners bring legitimate purposes, goals, concerns and interests, whether or not there is agreement.
- Acknowledge that different organizations or agencies have different business models, decision-making requirements and obligations.
- Be transparent when a project directly or indirectly benefits you or your organization and recuse yourself from decision making when appropriate or requested by others.
- Ensure respectful meeting participation (i.e. turn phones off, arrive on time, speak one at a time, avoid sarcasm).
- Don't blame, criticize or talk about people when they are not at the table.
- When issues arise be clear on what you are asking and the preferred approach to following up on the concern.
- Create the proper forum and process for addressing community issues.
- Volunteer for tasks at hand.
- Have fun and bring a sense of humor!