

# **Whatcom County Council Committee of the Whole**

**COUNTY COURTHOUSE  
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## **Meeting Agenda**

**Tuesday, March 24, 2026**

**1 PM**

**Hybrid Meeting - Council Chambers**

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### **COUNCILMEMBERS**

Elizabeth Boyle  
Barry Buchanan  
Ben Elenbaas  
Kaylee Galloway  
Jessica Rienstra  
Jon Scanlon  
Mark Stremler

### **CLERK OF THE COUNCIL**

Cathy Halka, AICP, CMC

## **Call To Order**

## **Roll Call**

## **Announcements**

If you require special assistance to participate, please contact the Council Office at 360-778-5010 at least 96 hours in advance. Assistive listening devices are available in Council Chambers, and live captions are available through Zoom for those participating remotely. This committee meeting is also noticed as a meeting of the Whatcom County Council, with the agenda limited to committee business.

## **Committee Discussion**

1. [AB2026-037](#) Update on 2026 State Legislative Session
2. [AB2026-218](#) Discussion and preliminary Council direction on Whatcom County Comprehensive Plan Chapter 6, Transportation  
**CONTINUED FROM 3.17.2026**
3. [AB2026-216](#) Discussion and preliminary Council direction on Whatcom County Comprehensive Plan Chapter 4, Capital Facilities  
**CONTINUED FROM 3.17.2026**
4. [AB2026-217](#) Discussion and preliminary Council direction on Whatcom County Comprehensive Plan Chapter 5, Utilities  
**CONTINUED FROM 3.17.2026**
5. [AB2026-231](#) Discussion and preliminary Council direction on Whatcom County Comprehensive Plan Chapter 7, Economic Development  
**CONTINUED FROM 3.17.2026**
6. [AB2026-249](#) Discussion regarding schedule for Council review of the comprehensive plan update

## **Items Added by Revision**

## **Other Business**

## **Adjournment**