



Timber Advisory Committee
Thursday, March 3, 2022 at 1:00 pm
338 W. First Street, Port Angeles, WA 98362
Via Zoom & In-Person

On March 24, 2020 a new Governor's proclamation went into effect regarding public meetings. By order of Washington State Governor Jay Inslee, Proclamation 20-28.15, the Timber Advisory Committee meeting will be available to the public both in-person and remotely via Zoom.

Meeting Minutes

Joe Murray	Chris Hartman	Joe Murray	Matt Comisky
Riley Fogarty	Grant Munro	Wes Romberg	
Bill Peach	Connie Beauvais	Bill Hermann	

I. Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance

Joe Murray called the meeting to order at 1:04 pm.

II. Public Comment Session

None.

III. Approval of the Previous TAC meeting minutes

- A. Minutes from February 3, 2022 meeting
Wes Romberg moved to approve the minutes, Riley Fogarty seconded the motion, the vote was called for and passed unanimously.

IV. New Business

- A. Election of Officers
The group discussed officers. Bill Hermann made a motion to have Joe Murray remain the Chair, Wes Romberg seconded the motion, the vote was called for and passed unanimously. Grant Munro made a motion to have Riley Fogarty remain the Vice Chair, Wes Romberg seconded the motion, the vote was called for and passed unanimously. Chris Hartman made a motion to have Braedi Joutsen be the Secretary, Riley Fogarty seconded the motion, the vote was called for and passed unanimously.



- B. Other areas of concern for the industry that TAC should be aware of or discuss further

Connie Beauvais added this item on to the agenda and asked that it remain a permanent agenda item as things come up throughout the year, the group agreed. Joe Muarry brought up the issue regarding possible Forest Practice policy changes on the non-fish streams to leave additional buffers on these streams and logging.

V. Old Business

- A. WSDOT Project of Industry Concern

1. Extended closure of Highway 112/Proposed Letter

Colleen McAleer of the Clallam County EDC led a discussion regarding a discussion on the issues with Highway 112. The TAC agreed unanimously that the proposed letter regarding Highway 112 should get submitted to the Port Commission to have them sign and then forward to various government delegates and officials.

2. Proposed round about at Palo Alto & Happy Valley roads

Connie Beauvais led a discussion on updates with the proposed roundabouts at these roads.

- B. DNR Update & New West End Sawmill – Bill Peach

Bill Peach provided the group with an update on the two new mills out in Forks. One has been publicly announced with a job fair. The other facility has been planned but has not been publicly announced, they're still in negotiations to acquire the site.

- C. AFRC Update

Matt Comisky provided the group with an update on current happenings with AFRC and the Department of Natural Resources.

VI. Public Comment Session

None.



VII. Next Meeting – [April 7, 2022 at 1:00 p.m.]

A. Next meeting topics and agenda

VIII. Adjourn

Joe Murray adjourned the meeting at 2:37 pm.