

KING COUNTY RURAL FOREST COMMISSION

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 2024

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

ONLINE

MEMBER		MEMBER	
LAURIE BENSON, CHAIR		JON MATSON	
WENDY DAVIS, VICE CHAIR		ERIC OIEN	
JEFF BOYCE		VACANT	
WYATT GOLDING		VACANT	
STEVE HORTON		NEW RANGER USFS (EX OFFICIO)	
LI HSI		BRETT ANDERSON KCD (EX OFFICIO)	
MARI KNUTSON		SARAH STEWART WSUE (EX OFFICIO)	
CINDY SPIRY			
TOM AMOROSE			

MEETING AGENDA

9:00 5 min	Call to Order • Roll call	Laurie Benson, RFC Chair
9:05 45-min	KCD Rate Renewal	Rosa Méndez-Perez, KCD Executive Director and Mark Dostal, KCD Engagement Program Manager
9:50 10-min	Discussion and possible motion on RFC letter of support for KCD Rates and Charges renewal	Laurie Benson, RFC Chair
10:00 10-min	Break	
10:10 5-min	Review and Motion to approve RFC Meeting Minutes -March 21, 2024	Laurie Benson, RFC Chair
10:15 45-min	NNRG Funding for Climate-Friendly Forestry Program/Opportunities (new program)	Jaal Mann, NNRG Lead Forester and Matthew Schmidt, NNRG Planning Forester
11:00 30-min	RFC Recruitment – status, reappointments, new applicant introduction	Wendy Sammarco, KC Staff
11:30 5-min	Public Comment	Laurie Benson, RFC Chair
11:35 20-min	Agency Updates --DNR --KCD --WSU Extension --DNRP (Water and Land & Parks) --Snoqualmie Tribe --GRC	Laurie Benson, RFC Chair
11:55 5-min	Concerns of the Commissioners	Laurie Benson, RFC Chair
12:00	Concluding Remarks and Adjournment	Laurie Benson, RFC Chair

Next Meeting: July 18, Field Trip/Tour