
Council Meeting Date: March 27, 2024

Agenda Item: V

KING COUNTY GROWTH MANAGEMENT PLANNING COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

AGENDA TITLE: Action Item: GMPC 2024 Work Plan
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PRESENTED BY: Interjurisdictional Staff Team (IJT)
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Today's Meeting

At today's meeting, the Growth Management Planning Council (GMPC) is scheduled to approve its work plan for 2024.

Overview

A draft 2024 work plan was prepared by the Interjurisdictional Staff Team (IJT) and discussed by the GMPC at its final meeting of 2023. The proposed 2024 work plan includes standard briefings, follow up work from 2023 topics, and some new topics.

Standard briefings

- Includes recurring topics such as biennial annexation updates, annual legislative session updates, and other updates of interest to the GMPC.

Follow-up on 2023 topics:

- **2024 King County Comprehensive Plan Update.** Any actions required in conjunction with the 2024 King County Comprehensive Plan Update, including review of any proposed urban growth area changes.
- **Affordable Housing Committee work.** Updates related to the work of the Affordable Housing Committee (AHC). AHC staff began reviewing draft Comprehensive Plans in the summer of 2023. As their review continues into 2024, staff will update the GMPC on key themes and trends; this could lead to the identification of additional issues for GMPC discussion.

New topics

- **Growth Target Reconciliation Process:** The CPPs direct how growth targets are to be considered in Comprehensive Plans, and provide for the creation of a coordinated countywide 'growth target reconciliation process.' Such a process could be developed in 2024 and implemented in 2025 after statutory updates to comprehensive plans are completed. This work plan item will require amendments to the CPPs.

- **Countywide Centers Designation:** The GMPC established a draft list of *candidate* Countywide Centers in 2020 to allow jurisdictions in King County to participate in federal transportation funding process coordinated through the Puget Sound Regional Council. At that time, GMPC directed that a final list of Countywide Centers be designated in 2025 after comprehensive plans are updated. The designation process would be established in 2024 and implemented in 2025. This work plan item will require amendments to the CPPs. This work will include consideration of any new *regional* centers that need to first be included in CPPs before they can be considered by the Puget Sound Regional Council.

The IJT will continue working to ensure that the GMPC's processes are consistent with state law and countywide policy related to tribal participation in countywide planning discussions. This may lead to future GMPC work plan items and discussions.

Shown on the following page is a proposed schedule for how these topics will be presented at the 2024 GMPC meetings.

Future Activity

If the workplan is approved, there is no additional activity on this topic.

For More Information

If members and/or their staff are interested in additional detail, please contact Ivan Miller, GMPC lead staff, at ivan.miller@kingcounty.gov or 206-263-8297.

Attachment

Proposed 2024 GMPC Workplan

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Date	Tentative Agenda Items
March 27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GMPC’s Affordable Housing Committee Update • Growth Target Reconciliation Process • Countywide Centers Designation Process • Legislative Session Wrap Up • Action: Approve GMPC 2024 Workplan
June 26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GMPC’s Affordable Housing Committee Update • Growth Targets Reconciliation Process • Countywide Centers Designation Process • GMA 10-Year Schedule • Annexation Work Plan Biennial Update
July 24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GMPC’s Affordable Housing Committee Update • Growth Targets Reconciliation Process • Countywide Centers Designation Process • Actions required in conjunction with the 2024 King County Comprehensive Plan Update, including any UGA Amendment Proposals (tentative, pending County Council action)
Sept. 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GMPC’s Affordable Housing Committee Update • Potential Action: Growth Targets Reconciliation Process (possible CPP Amendments) • Potential Action: Countywide Centers Designation Process (possible CPP Amendments) • Potential Action: Actions required in conjunction with the 2024 King County Comprehensive Plan Update, including any UGA Amendment Proposals (tentative, pending County Council action)
Oct. 23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GMPC’s Affordable Housing Committee Update • School Siting Coordination Report (CPP-PF-22) • Initial discussion of 2025 GMPC Workplan