### Climate Legislative and Executive Workgroup Public Hearing #3 December 13, 2013, 2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

504 15<sup>th</sup> Avenue SW, State Capitol Campus, Olympia John L. O'Brien Building, House Hearing Room A

## DRAFT AGENDA AND HEARING INFORMATION

**Hearing Purpose:** This hearing is the third in a series of three public hearings hosted by Washington State's Climate Legislative and Executive Workgroup in order to:

- Hear the public's views on the Workgroup's draft proposals and potential policies and actions to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in Washington State.
- Offer a forum for the public to provide public comments.

Public comments will be recorded. This hearing is not designed for participants to come to agreement with the Workgroup or for debate amongst different interests.

## Agenda:

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. **Commenter Sign-up (Individual Commenters)** 

2:00 p.m. – 2:20 p.m. **Introductions & Opening Statements** 

2:20 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Panel Comments (20 minutes per panel)

3:00 p.m. – 4:55 p.m. **Individual Comments (2 minutes per person)** 

- What comments do you have on the Workgroup's draft proposals?
- Are there specific actions and policies that are:
  - o Not in the proposals that you would like to see implemented?
  - o In the proposals that you do not want to see implemented?
  - o In the proposals that you think are essential for meeting WA's greenhouse gas emissions targets?

4:55 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. **Next Steps** 

5:00 p.m. Adjourn

#### **General Information about the Panels:**

- **Panel Purpose:** To hear an organized presentation from community leaders that speak on behalf of constituents. There will be two panels.
- **Determining Panel Speakers:** Workgroup members have selected a lead person from the community to organize each panel. These individuals will select 3-6 speakers to serve on each panel in advance of the meeting.
- Panel speakers cannot receive a comment registration number.
- A coin toss determined which panel will speak first.

#### **General Information about Individual Comments:**

- **Sign up to speak:** Please sign up to have the opportunity to make a comment. Comment registration numbers will be available from 1:00 2:00 p.m. The facilitator will randomly select individuals who signed up to speak to provide comment. Registration numbers will not be available after 2:00 pm.
- Speakers may choose to have the facilitator read their comments out loud: If you prefer, you can write out your comment, provide it to the facilitator when it's your turn, and the facilitator will read it (for up to 2 minutes).
- The facilitator may interact with speakers to clarify: The facilitator may ask a clarifying question or remind the speaker about the time left to speak.
- **Hearing to be adjourned at 5:00 p.m.:** The hearing will be adjourned as close to 5:00 p.m. as possible.
- Email comments: Additional comments can be sent to the Workgroup via email until 5:00 p.m. on December 16, 2013: <a href="mailto:climateworkgroup@ecy.wa.gov">climateworkgroup@ecy.wa.gov</a>.

# **Ground Rules for a Productive Meeting:**

- **Share the air time:** Each person that chooses to provide a comment will have up to 2 minutes to speak. Each person may only speak once.
- Time cannot be delegated to others: As noted above, each person will have only 2 minutes to speak in order to give time to everyone that wishes to speak.
- When speaking, please:
  - o Be courteous and respectful
  - o Avoid personal attacks or accusations
  - o Refrain from grandstanding
  - o Do not interrupt when others are speaking
- **Direct comments to the Workgroup**: Please direct your comments to the Workgroup members or the facilitator, not to other participants at the meeting.
- Minimize showing signs of support for specific comments: This is not a session to show group preferences; rather it is intended to provide the Workgroup with ideas the public has on this topic.