

## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

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### **Notice of Joint Public Hearing of Planning Commission and County Council on Proposed Amendments to the San Juan County Code Regarding Wireless Communication Facilities**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the San Juan County Council and the Planning Commission will conduct a joint public hearing for the purpose of receiving testimony on a proposed Ordinance amending San Juan County Code provisions for wireless communication facilities & updating & clarifying existing terms & requirements.

The joint public hearing will be held in the Council Hearing Room at 55 Second Street, Friday Harbor, Washington on Monday, February 27, 2012 beginning at 9:00 am. At the hearing, members of the public will be invited to speak and/or provide written statements regarding the proposed Ordinance. At the conclusion of the public testimony portion of the hearing the County Council will recess its hearing and the Planning Commission will proceed to deliberate on this subject so that it may submit a report and recommendation to the County Council. The hearing may be continued from time to time and place to place as may be desired by the Council and/or the Planning Commission without additional written notice.

**A summary** of the proposed Ordinance follows although all persons are encouraged to read the ordinance. The proposed ordinance amends and adds definitions to SJCC 18.20 including a definition for joint use wireless facilities; modifies the land use tables 3.1, 3.2 and makes joint use wireless facilities an allowable use in certain districts and changes the types of review in other districts, amends the use table for the Deer Harbor Hamlet amends Allowable Uses & Land Use Permit Requirements in Orcas Village Activity Center (SJCC 18.30.430 & Table 3.10); adds a new section to SJCC 18.40 entitled “Regulations for Personal Wireless Service Facilities” with exemptions for temporary wireless facility, some amateur radio and certain joint use wireless facilities; amends permit procedures for discretionary uses (SJCC 18.80.090); updates terms & clarifies existing procedures and requirements in the above sections and makes other changes for consistency and clarity.

All persons wishing to be heard on this matter are encouraged to attend. Written comments may be submitted in advance of the hearing by mail or at the hearing by delivery in person. Delivery of written comments in advance of the hearing is strongly encouraged by providing 21 copies to the Clerk of the San Juan County Council at 55 Second Street, Friday Harbor or mail to 355 Court Street#1, Friday Harbor, WA 98250. The Ordinance/Resolution is filed at the Office of the County Council, 55 Second Street, Friday Harbor, WA 98250 and may be inspected and copies obtained at the Council offices during each business day between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Copies of the ordinance are available from the County web site at [www.sanjuanco.com](http://www.sanjuanco.com). A copy of the proposed Ordinance/Resolution will be mailed without charge upon request. For more information please contact the Ingrid Gabriel, Clerk of the County Council at 360-370-7470; [ingridg@sanjuanco.com](mailto:ingridg@sanjuanco.com) and/or Shireene Hale, Planning Coordinator at [shireeneh@sanjuanco.com](mailto:shireeneh@sanjuanco.com).