NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE LEWIS COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND INTENT TO ADOPT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON, BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS will hold a public hearing on September 23, 2025 to receive public testimony on Ordinance 1367 to adopt the Lewis County Comprehensive Plan Periodic Update.

The hearing will take place at or after 10 a.m. in the Commissioners' Hearing Room on the second floor of the Historic Courthouse in Chehalis, Washington. Interested parties are encouraged to check the Commissioners' Business Meeting agenda for the Zoom log-in details. The agenda will be posted at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting on the Lewis County Agendas & Calendar webpage.

The public hearing will consider adoption of the following:

Volume 1 – Lewis County Comprehensive Plan

Volume 2 – Zoning Designations

Volume 3 – Development Regulations

Volume 5 – Supporting Documents

All materials are available at https://lewiscountywa.gov/departments/community-development/comprehensive-plan-and-development-regulation-amendments/comprehensive-plan-periodic-update/. Please note, Volume 4 — Critical Areas Ordinance will be the subject of a separate ordinance and public hearing.

Details about the proposal will be available online at the agenda link provided above. Please select the agenda for September 2 (Notice) or September 23 (Hearing) to see the draft ordinance. The draft is subject to change before or at the hearing. If you wish to receive a paper copy of the proposal, contact Mindy Brooks at mindy.brooks@lewiscountywa.gov or (360)740-2610.

During the hearing, individuals will be invited to speak and/or provide written statements regarding the proposal. All individuals wishing to speak are encouraged to attend. Written comments may be submitted beginning on September 2, 2025 through 4:00pm on September 22, 2025 by emailing Mindy Brooks, Director, at mindy.brooks@lewiscountywa.gov or postal mail to Department of Community Development, c/o Mindy Brooks, 351 NW North Street, Chehalis, WA 98532.

To sign up for Community Development email announcements, please visit: http://lewiscountywa.gov/communitydevelopment/receive-email-announcements

The meeting site is barrier free. People needing special assistance or accommodations should contact Rieva Lester at 360.740.1419 at the Community Development Department 72 hours in advance of the meeting.