

**FRANKLIN COUNTY  
PLANNING COMMISSION  
AGENDA**

**REGULAR MEETING:** September 6, 2011 - 7:00 P.M.  
**COMMISSIONER'S MEETING ROOM**  
**Franklin County Courthouse**  
**Entrance at Main Door – 1016 North 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Pasco, WA**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**ROLL CALL**

**DECLARATION OF QUORUM**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

**OPEN PLANNING COMMISSION**

**ITEM #1 – Workshop – House Bill 1886 – Voluntary Stewardship Program.** This is a Workshop to examine the impacts and options associated with HB 1886, the Voluntary Stewardship Program. The Voluntary Stewardship Program became effective by the Legislature on July 22, 2011. All Counties have six (6) months from the effective date of the legislation to opt-in to the Program, if they wish to. The Program grants Counties an alternative process as a means to protect Critical Areas in areas used for agricultural activities.

Choosing to not opt-in to the Program would require the County to amend its Critical Area Ordinance by July 22, 2013. The County would be required to ensure compliance with the Growth Management Act and Critical Area legislation as it relates to agricultural activities within designated critical areas.

- A. Open Workshop
  - 1. Staff Presentation
  - 2. Public Comment
- B. Close Workshop
- C. Planning Commission Discussion
- D. Recommendation

**OTHER BUSINESS**

- 1. Results from Planning Commission Case Files of June 7, 2011.
- 2. Planning Commission Agenda Items for October 4, 2011.
- 3. Current Planning Commission Members/Districts/Terms:

	<b>Member</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
a.	Lois Hanses	Columbia River West Area	6/12/2013
b.	Gary Bosch	Riverview/Pasco UGAB	12/11/2012
c.	Burl Booker	Connell/Kahlotus Area (Combined)	12/07/2011
d.	Claude Pierret	Snake River Area	5/04/2015
e.	Brent Stenson	Riverview/Pasco UGAB	1/31/2015
f.	David Piovesan	Basin City Area	4/22/2014
g.	Melinda Didier	Eltopia Area	3/1/2014

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