



2019-2020

Work Release Expansion Project

King County



Agenda

- Meeting Objectives:**
- ✓ Introductions
 - ✓ Understand where the DOC Work Release Expansion Project is in the process
 - ✓ Advisory Committee
 - ✓ Review location considerations
 - ✓ Review/develop communications plan draft
 - ✓ Closeout and follow-up

Time	Topic	Lead
5:30 – 5:40	Introductions	Michael Schindler
5:40 – 5:50	LAC Member Contacts	Michael Schindler
5:50 – 6:10	Consolidated Site Considerations	Michael Schindler
6:10 – 6:30	Update: Site Assessment	Gar Rodside
6:30 – 6:50	Update: LAC Data/Inquiries	Mark Kucza/Michael Schindler
6:50 – 7:15	Update: Communications Plan	Mark Kucza/Michael Schindler
7:15 – 7:30	Tasks for follow-up, next meeting details, closing	Michael Schindler



LAC Member Contacts

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Koroma	James			james02jrk@yahoo.com	
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Consolidated Siting Considerations

- **Close to services**
 - Substance Abuse Treatment
 - Mental Health
 - WorkSource, Laborworks

- **Close to Transportation**
 - Bus lines need to connect to other buses
 - Frequency of bus/transit options
 - Local & regional bus options

- **Walking distance to green space, proximity to parks, Outdoor space**
 - Existence of sidewalks or other walkable areas
 - Proximity to schools, single family residential area



Consolidated Siting Considerations Cont.

- **Shopping**
 - Clothing, Hygiene, Food, pharmacies
- **Building Security**
 - Security Lighting, methods to control movement
- **Building Requirements**
 - Meeting spaces/classroom areas for programming/presentations to residents, etc.
 - Parking (for staff and visitors)
 - Traffic
 - Backup systems for interruption such as power, water, gas, etc.
 - Resource room with computers, High speed internet (for communication, job searches, online application access, and other web-based services)
 - Storage for extra supplies (mattresses, linen, etc.), Secure resident property/evidence, Staff property
 - Exercise/fitness options
- **Other**
 - Minimize NIMBY issues



Site Review/Assessment update

- 3 properties in the Auburn area. These will probably require a "Conditional Use Permit" and we are currently researching requirements
- Location walk thru visits are very difficult right now and will be conducted as we are allowed access



Local Advisory Committee Data/Info Inquiries

- Are there any inquiries?
 - (e.g. current employer/employment specifics, etc...)
- Questions?



LAC Communication Plan

Communication plan considerations:

Franklyn Smith designated as lead on LAC Communication Plan. James Koroma will assist

- Inform the public that a Work Release facility actually reduces recidivism
- Need to address what type of participants will be residing at the Work Release (public will ask)
- NIMBY issues
- Allow community to be part of the messaging. Don't want to give the impression that we are operating in our own silo.
- Let the public know that Work Release participants are returning to this county because that is where their connections and support systems are



LAC Communication Plan

Examples of recommended communication methods:

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Who needs to be communicated to:

- Community groups who support clothing (Goodwill, Urban League, Salvation Army)
- Employers (second chance employers specifically)
- City government



Communication Plan

- Local Advisory Committee materials
 - DOC website: <https://doc.wa.gov/about/business/capital-planning/capacity-work-release.htm>
 - Materials available within 2 weeks



- Email questions

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Questions/Wrap-up

- Questions?
- Tasks for follow-up
- Next meeting
 - Tuesday, May 19, 5:30 – 7:30pm
 - Burien Library, Multipurpose Room
400 SW 152nd St, Burien, WA 98166
- Closing

