

## **Media Advisory – March 17, 2008**

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### **Climate-change committee to begin meetings**

The inaugural meeting of the Snohomish County Green Ribbon Climate Task Force is scheduled for Monday, March 24.

Appointed by County Executive Aaron Reardon, the task force is a group of community members and leaders, whose purpose is to develop a plan for adapting to climate change and reducing community-wide greenhouse-gas emissions 20 percent below year 2000 levels by the year 2020.

The group typically will meet the fourth Monday of each month through the end of 2008.

Members of the group represent organizations and local governments including Built Green, the Everett Clinic, Puget Sound Energy, Community Transit, Climate Solutions, Puget Sound Clean Air Agency, the Port of Everett, Washington Trucking Association, Comcast, Sno/Sky Agricultural Alliance, Pacific Northwest Regional Council of Carpenters, Cedar Grove Composting, the Snohomish County PUD, Johns Monroe Mitsunaga PLLC, the Tulalip Tribes, the city of Everett and the city of Edmonds

Also serving from the Snohomish County Council are Dave Somers and Mike Cooper.

Meetings will be from 1 to 4 p.m. in the First Floor Conference Room of the East Administration Building, 3000 Rockefeller Ave., Everett.

All meetings of the task force are open to the public. For more information, visit [www.snoco.org](http://www.snoco.org) and search “Green Ribbon Climate Task Force.”

