

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
2007 BUDGET AND TAX LEVIES
BEFORE THE BOARD OF THURSTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

PURPOSE: On November 19, 2007, the Board of County Commissioners (Board) will place on file Thurston County's preliminary budget for 2008. The Board shall meet on December 3, 2007, beginning at 6:00 p.m., for the purpose of holding a public hearing to receive public comment on the County's 2008 preliminary budget, revenues, expenditures, and proposed tax levies.

1. The proposed limit factor for the 2007 County General property tax levy is 101.0% of the highest lawful levy allowed in previous years. The proposed County General property tax levy for 2007 is in the estimated amount of \$30,154,374.85, which includes an administrative refund levy in the amount of \$78,747.54.
2. The proposed limit factor for the 2007 Roads District property tax levy is 101.0% of the highest lawful levy allowed in previous years. The proposed Roads District property tax levy for 2007 is in the estimated amount of \$18,104,684.77, which includes an administrative refund levy in the amount of \$32,248.10, and unused levy capacity from previous years in the amount of \$43,636.42.
3. The proposed limit factor for the 2007 Medic One property tax levy is 101.0% of the highest lawful levy allowed in previous years. The proposed Medic One property tax levy for 2007 is in the estimated amount of \$8,349,806.26, which includes an administrative refund levy in the amount of \$21,044.10, and unused levy capacity from previous years in the amount of \$2,379.08.
4. The proposed limit factor for the 2007 Conservation Futures property tax levy is 101.0% of the highest lawful levy allowed in previous years. The proposed Conservation Futures property tax levy for 2007 is in the estimated amount of \$1,056,066.91, which includes an administrative refund levy in the amount of \$2,662.39.

Anyone interested may appear and be heard. Citizens with disabilities requiring special accommodation at the hearing should call LaBonita Bowmar at (360) 786-5440 or the County's TDD line at (360) 754-2933 by November 20, 2007.

HEARING

DATE: December 3, 2007

TIME: 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Thurston County Courthouse
2000 Lakeridge Drive SW
Building One, Room 280
Olympia, WA 98502

CONTACT: John Bartz, Budget Director, 360-754-2959

Dated: November 5, 2007

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
Thurston County, WA

BY: _____
Clerk of the Board

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