Planning staff doing exactly the opposite as directed

County Councilors learned today in a work session on the county’s 20-year Land Use Plan that the clear direction given by the Board on July 15, 2015, was ignored.

Do not include anything in the Comp Plan that is not required by the state. Do not embed any unnecessary social engineering policies in the Comp Plan. In particular, do not include the Growing Healthier Report and do not include the Aging Readiness Plan.

You can hear the Board reject the Planning Staff’s push to include those documents beginning at the 47:47 mark of the July 2015 audio recording: https://www.clark.wa.gov/sites/files/the-gnd/WS_071515_MP3

After that clear direction 9 months ago, the planning staff revealed that they’ve continued to push their social engineering policies as evidenced by today’s presentation that dedicated 3 slides to specifically include those rejected documents by name under the headlines of “What’s New.”

See pages 14, 16 and 18 of their presentation today: https://www.clark.wa.gov/sites/files/042716WS_FINAL_REV1.pdf

When challenged today about doing the opposite of the Board’s direction, the planning director argued that they were not directed to remove those social engineering documents.

The slides also claim that the documents were officially added to the Comp Plan in 2012. So far, it appears that the minutes of the 2012 meetings do not support that claim.

Once again, the citizens are shown that the Planning staff continues to push a version of the Comp Plan upon the people in contradiction to the clear directions given by the Citizen Representatives - their County Councilors.

The Planning Director and 2 Prosecuting Attorneys are already being investigated for allegedly making other false and misleading statements to the citizens and their public servants on the Comp Plan - a gross misdemeanor under RCW 9A 76 175.

"A person who knowingly makes a false or misleading material statement to a public servant is guilty of a gross misdemeanor. "Material statement" means a written or oral statement reasonably likely to be relied upon by a public servant in the discharge of his or her official powers or duties." http://app.leg.wa.gov/rcw/default.aspx?cite=9A 76 175

Today’s recorded meeting adds another chapter to that investigation.
Housing Element

What’s new?

Include policies that were recommended from the Aging Readiness Plan and Growing Healthier Report both approved in 2012.

Stephanie Chavez, Douglas Kazda and 10 others

David Clark Well, of course! The planners are zealots that have a mission to reshape society to become "sustainable" which in their perverted view of reality means get people to waste time, money and energy on mass transit instead of driving their fast, convenient cars, abandon their wasteful home on a 1/4 acre lot in favor of a more expensive tiny condo, and walk to work, to shopping and to most other activities. This has been proven to work in Vancouver BC's high rise district where a condo, the size of an average home, only costs about 2MILLION dollars. The planners don't care how many people get hurt with their plans

Don Railsback The developers who benefit from restrictive land use policies by greatly raising the artificially high prices of their land are controlling things. Marc Boldt, Jeanne Stewart and Julie Olson are just their sock puppets

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