

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND PUBLIC COMMENTS
ON DRAFTED REVISIONS TO THE FLOOD DAMAGE PREVENTIVE ORDINANCE**

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to RCW 36.18.040(3) and RCW 36.32.120(7), a public hearing will be held on Monday, May 6, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. in the County Commissioners Chambers of the Jefferson County Courthouse, 1820 Jefferson Street, Port Townsend, WA for the purpose of taking oral and written testimony regarding an Ordinance which would, if enacted, repeal the existing Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance (as codified in Chapter 15.15 JCC) and replace with an updated Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance. The updated ordinance requires the county to use an updated Flood Insurance Survey for Jefferson County and revised Flood Insurance Rate Maps beginning on June 7, 2019. In addition to the May 13, 2019 Public Hearing, written testimony may also be submitted any time beginning May 1, 2019 and must be received by the County no later than the close of the public hearing, addressed to the BoCC at P.O. Box 1220, Port Townsend, WA 98368 or by email at jeffbocc@co.jefferson.wa.us unless extended by the Board of County Commissioners.

The proposed revisions to the Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance include the following sections of Chapter 15.15 JCC:

- 15.15.010 Statutory authorization – Revised
- 15.15.aaa Severability - New
- 15.15.bbb General exemptions - New
- 15.15.020 Findings of fact – Revised
- 15.15.030 Statement of purpose – Revised
- 15.15.040 Methods of reducing flood losses – Unchanged
- 15.15.050 Definitions - Revised
- 15.15.060 General provisions - Revised
- 15.15.070 Administration - Revised
- 15.15.080 Provisions for flood hazard reductions -Revised.

The public can view the text the proposed revisions to the ordinance on-line at <http://test.co.jefferson.wa.us/WebLinkExternal/0/fol/2041537/Row1.aspx>

Signed this 29th day of April 2019
/S/Kate Dean, Chair
Jefferson County Board of Commissioners