

Executive Committee Meeting – Agenda

Wednesday, December 15, 2021, 3:00 p.m.

Call-in: 1-253-215-8782, Meeting ID: 895 1175 7968, Passcode: 746185

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Call to Order, Introductions, Consent Items	Kyler

- Attendees
 - EC Members: Kyler, Robie, Albert, Pat, Meghan,
 Tom, Martha, Molly, Donya, Caroline
 - o WSBA Liaison: Carolyn
 - o Mid-Year Co-Chairs: Jake, David
- Presentation of November Minutes

Caroline

- o Albert moved to approve; Martha seconded.
- No objections; adopted.

Meghan

- Review Section Financials
 - o Stay tuned: WSBA is processing budgets

Carolyn

Sub-committee Updates and Assignments

- Mid-Year CLE
 - Welcome Co-Chairs!

- Donya, Co-Chairs
- Potential Speakers/Topics Discussion
 - Housing crisis: interplay between land use law and land use decisions
 - Ethics for environmental consultants working with attorneys (Donya)
 - Business use of city sidewalks during covid; permitting; ADA concerns (Kyler)
 - Environmental justice; HEAL Act
 - Climate initiatives and rulemakings:
 CCA, CFS, HFCs (Meghan, Caroline)
 - State Legislative update
 - Case law updates, including ELUHO
 - Federal environmental update (Martha)
 - NW Ports Clean Air Strategy (Tom)
 - Columbia River dams/fisheries (Pat)
 - Infrastructure bill(s) and permitting
 - WDFW wolf management (Martha)
 - Short-term rentals and housing supply



- Negotiations in Columbia River Treaty with Canada (Albert, Pat)
- Gas stations on wheels (Albert)
- Potential PSCAA speakers: Craig Kenworthy (ED), Jennifer Dold (GC)
- Potential Keynotes: Governor Inslee, Senator Carlyle, Rep. Fitzgibbon
- Suncadia In Person or Virtual
 - Plan to offer remote option for faculty
 - Kyler and Donya talked to WSBA
 - We are under contract, in the second-to-last phase of cancellation options
 - If cancelled within 90 days, we would have to repay 80% of the aggregate room commitment, 40% of food/beverage commitment, 40% of meeting/event space rental
 - Potential disagreement with WBSA about interpretation of contract's force majeure provision
 - RPPT and Family Law Sections are planning to have in-person Mid-Years in June/July
 - Survey membership to gauge interest in attending in-person, revisit cancellation
 - Kyler to send edits to WSBA
 - WSBA to send survey in January
 - Potential hybrid with opportunities for regional/local in-person gatherings (Tom)
- Mini-CLE Update
 - December 1
 - Neil Wise: Zoom hearings before the ELUHO and other legal issues
 - Lawson Fite: Offshore wind permitting
 - December 14
 - Robert Grant & Brad Roberts: first conviction under Animal Trafficking Act
 - Martha Wehling: Ethics in transition
 - O Both went very well and had about 80 attendees
 - Thanks to Martha for organizing!

Martha



• Communications and Website

o Postpone to next month's call

Articles/Blog

o Postpone to next month's call

• Law School Outreach

UW ELS Pro Bono Project/Partnership

 Proposal re: Environmental or Land Use Law Review Article Award

- Albert circulated draft proposal by email
- Footnotes in draft proposal are questions for us to consider and resolve
- EC homework: review and come to next month's call prepared to discuss and vote
- Legislative Update
 - o N/A, short session begins in January

Martha

Donya/Molly

Donya

Albert

WSBA/BOG and Section Liaison Updates • WSBA Legislative Primer this Friday, 10-11:30am	Carolyn
Old Business	

• Bylaws Modification Status

Postpone to next month's call

Pat, Tom, Kyler

New Business

- 2022 Bylaws Review
 - o Postpone to next month's call