



Western Interstate Commission
For Higher Education

SOUTHEAST KING COUNTY HIGHER EDUCATION NEEDS ASSESSMENT

Advisory Committee Meeting II

COVINGTON, WASHINGTON

AUGUST 31, 2016

Housekeeping

- Bathrooms
 - Out the back door to the right
 - Then your first left
- WiFi
 - Network: Covington_Guest
 - Password: CovingtonGuest

AGENDA

- Welcome & Introductions (9:00 – 9:15 AM)
- Meeting Goals (9:15 – 9:20 AM)
- Project Status Update (9:20 – 9:45 AM)
- Focus Group Discussion - Part I (9:45 – 10:45 AM)
- Break (10:45 – 11:00 AM)
- Focus Group Discussion - Part II (11:00 – 11:45 AM)
- Next Steps (11:45 AM – 12:00 PM)

WELCOME

Washington Student Achievement Council

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Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education

INTRODUCTIONS

Advisory Committee

MEETING GOALS

- Provide project status update
- Conduct focus group with Advisory Committee
- Confirm upcoming dates and locations

PROJECT STATUS

UPDATED PROJECT TIMELINE

	August	September	October	November	December
Stakeholder Interviews	Active	Active			
Data Collection	Active	Active			
Summarize & Interpret Findings		Active			
Draft Preliminary Report		Active			
Incorporate Feedback into Preliminary Report			Active		
Create Final Report				Active	
Incorporate Feedback into Final Report					Active

DATA UPDATE

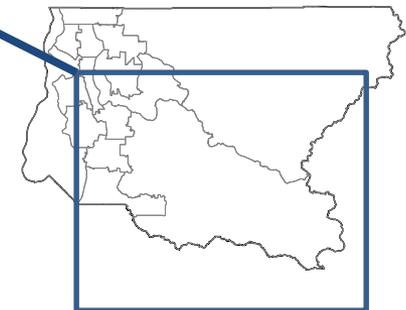
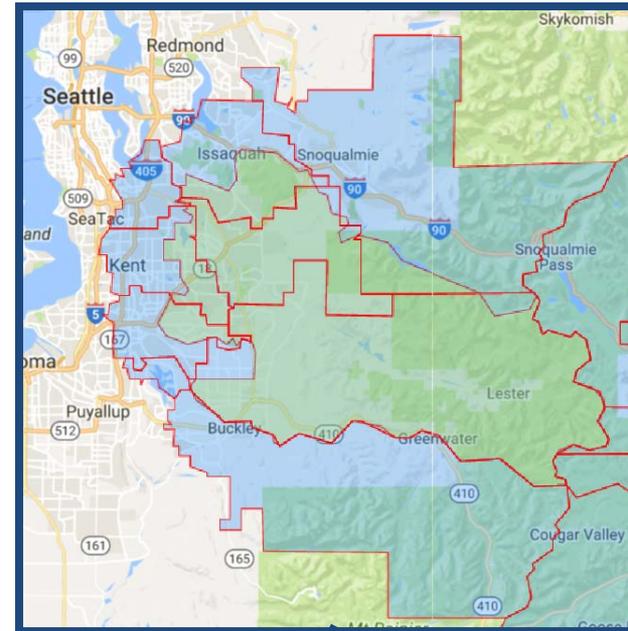
DATA STATUS

	Education	Economic Demand & Workforce Needs	Population
Education Research and Data Center	Matriculation patterns, majors, transfer patterns		
	STATUS: Requested		
State Board for Community and Technical Colleges	Majors, transfer patterns		
	STATUS: Received		
Burning Glass		Job openings (real time)	
		STATUS: Received	
Employment Security Department		Labor supply/demand reports	
		STATUS: Publicly Available	
Workforce Training and Education Coordinating Board		Workforce planning	
		STATUS: Publicly Available	
U.S. Census			Demographics, income, commuting
			STATUS: Publicly Available

DATA – EDUCATION (K-12)

Education Research Data Center

- High school graduates for:
 - Auburn School District (King County)
 - Enumclaw School District (King County)
 - Federal Way School District (King County)
 - Highline School District (King County)
 - Kent School District (King County)
 - Renton School District (King County)
 - Tahoma School District (King County)
 - White River School District (Pierce County)
 - Dieringer School District (Pierce County)
- Including:
 - Free /Reduced Price Lunch Status
 - Race/Ethnicity
 - Postsecondary institution in which enrolled
- Status: Anticipated mid-September



DATA – EDUCATION (POSTSECONDARY)

Education Research Data Center

For postsecondary institutions:

- Enrolling (collectively) 80% of the undergraduate students from the specified K-12 school districts.

Including:

- Pell Status
- Race/Ethnicity
- Major
- Transfer Patterns

Status: **Requested - anticipated**

Mid-September

State Board for Community and Technical Colleges

For students attending:

- Green River Community College
- Green River Community College - Kent Campus
- Highline College
- Pierce College – Puyallup
- Renton Technical College

Including:

- Pell Status
- Race/Ethnicity
- Major
- Transfer patterns

Status: **Received**

DATA – UPCOMING CONSIDERATIONS

- Burning Glass crosswalk
- Transportation
- Private postsecondary institutions
- Economic development

STAKEHOLDER INTERVIEWS

STAKEHOLDER SUGGESTIONS

Government	Employer/Workforce
Representative Pat Sullivan	Bill Robertson (MultiCare)
Senator Joe Fain	Eric Shinfeld (Seattle Chamber)
Mike Sando , City Council (Enumclaw)	Josh Lyons (Covington Chamber)
Chris Pasinetti , Community Development Director (Enumclaw)	Sam Pace (Washington Realtors)
Laura Philpot, Community Development Director (Maple Valley)	Colin Lund (Yarrow Bay)
Dow Constantine, Executive (King County)	Costco
Paige Shevlin, Workforce & Education Advisor (King County)	Amazon
Mayor & City Planner (Federal Way)	Boeing
Representative David Reichart	Joint Base Lewis-McChord
Puget Sound Regional Council	Master Builders Association
Margaret Harto (Covington)	Economic Development Commission
Richard Hart , Community Development Director (Covington)	Professional Standards Board
	Port of Seattle Economic Development Division
	Workforce GMA Growth Plan

STAKEHOLDER SUGGESTIONS

Education	Other
Jenée Myers Twitchell	Jim Tanasse (Rotary of Covington)
Moriah Martin (Kent School District)	
Rob Morrow /Lori Cloud (Tahoma School District)	
Joseph Martin (Muckleshoot Tribe)	
Renton Technical College	
Green River & Green River Kent Campus	
Highline Community College Immigration Center	
Kristen Avery & Mary Jean Ryan (Road Map Project/CCER)	
Hillary Loeb (Puget Sound ESD)	

INITIAL INTERVIEWS

- Senator Joe Fain
- Representative Pat Sullivan
- Moriah Martin (Kent School District)
- Jenée Myers Twitchell

SITE VISITS

- Renton Technical College
- Green River Community College
- Green River – Kent Campus

FOCUS GROUP DISCUSSION

Postsecondary Supply

- Adult Basic Education/English as Second Language
- Vocational Education/Applied Associates Degrees
- Transfer Degrees
- Baccalaureate Degrees
- Graduate Degrees

Postsecondary Demand

- Current high school students
- Recent high school graduates
- Adults with no college
- Adults with some college, no degree
- Degree holders seeking retraining/graduate degrees

Project Website

<http://www.wsac.wa.gov/higher-education-needs-assessment>

NEXT STEPS

- Upcoming activities
 - Ongoing data collection and analysis (September)
 - Business stakeholder interviews (September)
 - Draft preliminary report (September)

NEXT STEPS

- Meeting dates
 - October 6, 2016 – To be determined
 - October 27, 2016 – To be determined
 - November 18, 2016 – City of Covington
- Meeting locations