

Executive Summary

Issue Title:	Silverdale Center Plan Outreach
Meeting Date:	July 15, 2025
Time Required:	60 Minutes
Department:	Department of Community Development
Attendees:	Rafe Wysham, Scott Diener, Jim Rogers

Action Requested At This Meeting: No action necessary – review and comment on outreach efforts. This briefing is informational only.

Background:

The current Silverdale Center Plan was updated as part of the 2024 Comprehensive Plan update, but greater detail is needed, in a completely refreshed and improved Subarea Plan, including more detail related to 'regional growth centers' development, public investment, transportation improvements, design standards, and development code. The evolution of the Silverdale Regional Center is a key aspect of the County and Regional Growth Strategy.

Public Engagement:

Kitsap County seeks to equitably and inclusively involve a diverse population, particularly historically underserved communities, in shaping the Silverdale Center Plan. By integrating public input, the County aims to better understand and address the potential impacts of the plan, ensuring that public concerns and ideas inform decisions made by elected officials. Although County staff cannot create policies, their role is to provide elected officials with a comprehensive context grounded in public perspectives.

Intent:

Kitsap County Department of Community Development intends to use multiple public engagement and outreach efforts to gather the most comprehensive and up-to-date visioning and design concepts from the public and use that information to develop a Silverdale Center Plan that will guide the development of Silverdale into an active and vibrant 24/7 community. This briefing is an overview of that outreach effort to date.

Attachments:

- Presentation
- Community Engagement Plan
- Workshop 1 Packet
- Public Survey Results Writeup