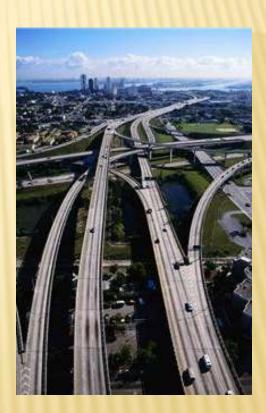


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# Main Drivers of the Update

- New household and employment forecasts (2035)
  - Drive Transportation and Land Use Elements
- Changes to Housing Element requirements
- GMA requirement
- New policies required (GMA):
  - Reduce greenhouse gas emissions
  - Promote walking and physical activity
  - Address the effects of climate change





## **Outline of the Schedule**

# By end of **December 2014** have

- all elements drafted
- Reviewed by Planning Commission
- Reviewed by the public
- Endorsed by Council

Use 1<sup>st</sup> half 2015 for Council Review and action.

Deadline: June 30, 2015 (June 23)





# 2012 - 2013: Lay the Foundation

- Develop Scope of Work
  - Review checklists from Growth Management Services & PSRC
- Incorporate new growth forecasts
- Process Census data
- Update the land capacity analysis





## 2014: Draft Amendments & Review

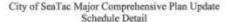
- Draft amendments to all Plan Elements
- Review with Planning Commission and City Council

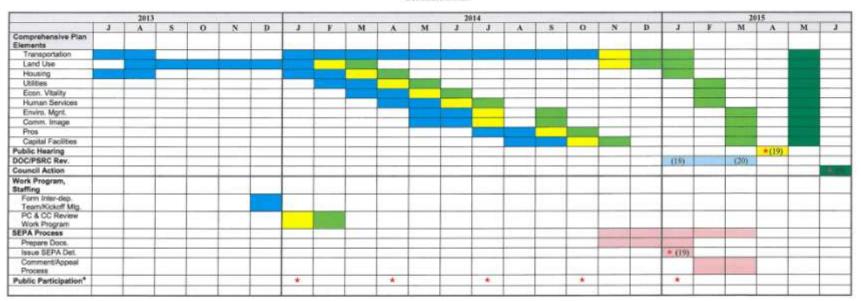


- Coordinate with Public Works:
  - Update of Comprehensive Transportation Plan



## **Draft Review Schedule**





DOCPSRCM/SDOT-A
Review
Staff Consultant
Planning Commission
Review
Council
Review/Endorsament
SEPA Process
(#): Specific Date

\* Public Participation Event - Details TBD

December 19, 2013 Draft



# Public Involvement Program (Draft)

- Project <u>webpage</u> for Major
   Comprehensive Plan Update
  - Questionnaire
  - Citizen comment portal
  - Public event information





## Public Involvement Program (Cont.)

- Presentations to business groups (ongoing)
  - SWKC Chamber's SeaTacBusiness Committee
  - Hotel-Motel Tax AdvisoryCommittee
- Community meetings
  - Neighborhood groups
  - School events



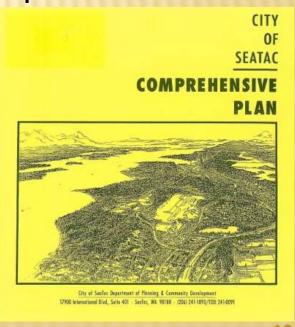


# **Questions? Comments?**



## Why a Major Update of the Comprehensive Plan?

- GMA requires periodic update every 7 years
  - Annual amendments <u>not</u> required-City's choice
- Incorporate new growth "targets" through 2031
- Incorporate Comprehensive Transportation Plan update
  - Public works





## What is Our Work Plan for 2013?

- Coordinate Land Use and TransportationElement amendments
- Develop Housing amendments based on 2012 affordable housing work
- Coordinate Human Services
   Amendments with Housing amendments
- Begin Public Involvement Process

