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PORT OF OLYMPIA INVITES APPLICATIONS FOR CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Port of Olympia Commission is seeking applicants to fill a vacancy on the Planning and Advisory Committee (PAC). The Commission will make one three-year appointment.

The Planning and Advisory Committee is composed of 12 volunteer citizen members and generally meets eight times per year. The committee was formed in 1994 as an outcome of the Port's strategic planning process and provides advice and assistance on a variety of issues and projects. For example, in 2005, the PAC conducted a review of how the Port achieved the goals of the 1995 Comprehensive Plan.

Current PAC members include Rodney Edgbert, Bill Garson, Darlene Kemery, Keith Laws, Patti Moore, Lyle Morse, Kevin Partlow, Drew Phillips, Joe Raudebaugh, Jim Smego, Len Trautman and Darrel Webster.

Applicants must be Thurston County residents. For additional information and an application form, please call 360-528-8005 or visit the Port's website at www.portolympia.com.

The application deadline is Friday, May 12, 2006.

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