



# KOOTENAI COUNTY

## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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## County Bulletin

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### Community Development Deliberations Meeting Protocol

January 31, 2018 – The Commissioners appreciate all of the public interest in the Community Development Meeting to be held this Thursday (February 1, 2018). We do want to clarify the following:

1. Among other items, Thursday's meeting includes a Building Code Draft Status Update to establish the status of the Commissioners' building code proposals (current progress and estimation of a release date for any and all proposals). No Board deliberations or votes are anticipated at this time.
2. A full public hearing is tentatively scheduled for March 19, 2018. More information will be made available over the next two weeks regarding the hearing, including the release of draft proposals for public consideration.
3. Public comment at Thursday's meeting will be restricted to two minutes per speaker, related to the noticed topic only. Public testimony is not being accepted at this meeting regarding the general topic of building code adoption, as it is imperative to preserve the opportunity for the public at large to have an equal opportunity to comment on this issue through the established hearing process.
4. Comments submitted at this meeting are not considered part of the public hearing process. Once the draft proposals have been released and the public hearing has been formally noticed, details on how to submit comments for consideration at the formal hearing will be announced.
5. Due to space constraints, only a limited number of people will be able to attend our meeting this Thursday. We are securing a much larger venue on March 19<sup>th</sup> to assure that all interested members of the public can attend and provide testimony on this issue.

Again, we thank you for your interest in this important topic.

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