

NEWS RELEASE

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**MASON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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TO: KMAS, KRXY, SHELTON-MASON COUNTY JOURNAL, THE OLYMPIAN, SHELTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, NORTH MASON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, CITY OF SHELTON, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL, THE SUN

RE: Oakland Bay Clean Water District Advisory Committee Seeks Members

The Oakland Bay Clean Water District was formed in 2007 in response to degraded water quality at the north end of Oakland Bay. The goal of the district is to reduce water pollution and ensure that Oakland Bay remain safe for swimming, fishing and all activities important to the culture, heritage and economy of the area.

Currently the Advisory Committee of the district- a coalition of local citizens, agencies, organizations and businesses - meets on the first Wednesday of every month at the Shelton Civic Center from 9 am –12 noon. The Advisory Committee is seeking new members representing the business and shellfish growing community of Oakland Bay.

To learn more about how to become a member or for more information about the Oakland Bay Clean Water District Advisory Committee please contact Stephanie Kenny at Mason County Public Health smk@co.mason.wa.us, or 360-427-9670 ext. 581.


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