



# ADVISORY BOARD

## Low-carbon Energy Project Siting Improvement Study

### Advisory Board Meeting

February 9, 2022

### Topic: Pre-Application Assistance and Information

#### Meeting Objectives

- Provide overview of state pre-application resources
- Understand pre-application needs and potential solutions from member perspectives

#### Agenda

1:00-1:10 PM	<b>Welcome and Meeting Overview</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Welcome</li><li>• Meeting overview and logistics: <i>Tom Beierle, Ross Strategic</i></li><li>• Proposed topics and approach for 2022 Advisory Board meetings</li><li>• Refresh on scoping comments from the Advisory Board on pre-application assistance and information</li><li>• Quick ice breaker</li></ul>
1:10-1:20 PM	<b>State Updates</b>
1:20-1:40 PM	<b>State Agency Pre-Application Resources</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• State agency permitting process improvements for pre-application phase, <i>Diane Butorac, ECY</i></li><li>• Permitting resources, <i>Shanelle Pierce or Kelly Craig, Office for Regulatory Innovation and Assistance (ORIA)</i></li><li>• Q&amp;A</li></ul>
1:40-2:00 PM	<b>Insights from Applicants</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Brief presentations from Advisory Board members that have applied for low-carbon facility permits in Washington: <i>What has your organization done to prepare for siting, environmental review, and permitting in Washington? What lessons have you learned?</i></li></ul>
2:00-2:40 PM	<b>Advisory Board Discussion—Breakout sessions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• For those that have applied for permits, what do you wish you had known ahead of time?</li><li>• What would it take for applicants to provide more detail on proposals early in the process?</li><li>• For environmental reviews and permits, what do you wish had happened earlier in the process?</li></ul>

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2:40-2:45 PM	<b><i>Wrap up and Next Steps</i></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Follow-up from today</li><li>• Next meeting (March 16): <i>Local government, Growth Management Act, and planned actions</i></li></ul>
2:45-3:00 PM	<b>Public Comment</b>