

On May 18, 2004 the Anderson Island Citizens' Advisory Board was established by vote of the Pierce County Council, ordinance no. 2004-25. The members of the Anderson Island Citizens' Advisory Board (AICAB) represent the residents of Anderson Island and serve in an advisory capacity to the Pierce County Council and Pierce County Executive on issues falling under Pierce County's jurisdiction that could have a potential impact on the Island. Issues include, but are not limited to, land use, environmental regulations, infrastructure, schools, ferry service, and public safety. The goal of the AICAB is to ensure that all views are considered by conveying Island viewpoints and opinions, including minority views, on significant issues affecting the Island.

The duties of the AICAB members as set forth in Pierce County ordinance No. 2004-25 include:

- A. Provide a forum for Island residents, property owners and business owners to communicate concerns;**
- B. Articulate issues of concern and forward to the Pierce County Council and/or the Pierce County Executive;**
- C. Devise a recommended plan of action for resolution of Island concerns;**
- D. Update Island residents, property owners and business owners regarding issues of concern and Pierce County's responses;**
- E. Invite Pierce County representatives to participate in regular "town hall" type meetings to discuss Island concerns; and**
- F. Forward recommendations and suggested solutions to the appropriate Pierce County official(s).**

The AICAB consists of 10 voting members, (appointed by the Pierce County Executive and confirmed by the Pierce County Council), drawn from each of the following Island organizations: Anderson Island Association, Anderson Island Community Club, Anderson Island Historical Society, Anderson Island Elementary School Booster Club, Anderson Island Park and Recreation District, Anderson Island Fire and Rescue District, Anderson Island Quality of Life Committee, Anderson Island Crime Task Force, Tanner Electric Cooperative, and Riviera Community Club.

The AICAB meets monthly on the second Friday of the month at 7:30pm at the Anderson Island Community Clubhouse. Public attendance is encouraged. We also invite you to send comments to the AICAB on the Speak Up Forms located in the AICAB box at the Island General Store. Meetings may get cancelled but quarterly meetings will only be cancelled when absolutely necessary. Quarterly meetings are the monthly meetings in January, April, July and October.

Minutes from the AICAB quarterly meetings will be made available online at www.aicab.org as soon as they have been reviewed by all AICAB members.