



Food System Committee

April 8, 2024

1:00-4:00PM

509 Girard Street in the Health Department Admin Conference Room

**This is a special meeting of the Food System Committee. It will function in a retreat format.

| Topic | Time |
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| Welcome and Settling In | 1:00 |
| Approve minutes and review agenda and goals for the day | 1:15 |
| Review purpose and functions of the food system committee | 1:25 |
| Determining an organizing structure | 1:35 |
| Stretch break | 2:30 |
| Assigning roles within organizing structure | 2:40 |
| Creating a committee workplan for the next 12-18 months | 3:00 |
| Next Steps and Closing | 3:45 |
| Close | 4:00 |

Tribal Land Acknowledgement

“I would like to begin by acknowledging that we gather today on the ancestral homelands of the Coast Salish Peoples, who have lived in the Salish Sea basin, throughout the San Juan Islands and the North Cascades watershed, from time immemorial. Please join me in expressing our deepest respect and gratitude for our indigenous neighbors, the Lummi Nation and Nooksack Tribe, for their enduring care and protection of our shared lands and waterways.”