



## Social Equity in Cannabis Task Force

Notice of Public Meeting

Tuesday July 27, 2021

9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

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### Public Comment:

- If you would like to give public comment, please plan to do so during the scheduled public comment period (see agenda).
- You can also submit written public comments at: [healthequity@sboh.wa.gov](mailto:healthequity@sboh.wa.gov). Written comments received by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Friday, July 23 will be provided to members before the public meeting. Comments received after that time will be available to members after the meeting or at the next public meeting.

Time	Agenda Item	Speaker
9:00 a.m.	Call to Order & Introductions	Representative Morgan, Task Force Chair
9:15 a.m.	1. Approval of Agenda --Possible Action	Representative Morgan, Task Force Chair
9:20 a.m.	2. Approval of May 25, 2021 Meeting Minutes --Possible Action	Representative Morgan, Task Force Chair
9:25 a.m.	3. Public Comment	Representative Morgan, Task Force Chair
10:00 a.m.	4. Update—Technical Assistance & Mentorship Workgroup	Tamara Berkley, Workgroup Co-Lead Raft Hollingsworth, Workgroup Co-Lead
10:30 a.m.	Break	

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10:40 a.m.	5. Update—Disproportionately Impacted Communities Workgroup	Cherie MacLeod, Workgroup Co-Lead Christopher Poulos, Workgroup Co-Lead
11:10 a.m.	6. Update—Licensing Workgroup	Monica Martinez, Workgroup Co-Lead Michelle Merriweather, Workgroup Co-Lead
11:40 a.m.	7. Discussion—Overall Goals for Creating an Equitable Cannabis Industry. (5 min will be reserved for public comment)	Cherie MacCleod, Task Force Member Michelle Merriweather, Task Force Member
12:10 p.m.	8. Next Steps	Representative Morgan, Task Force Chair Ollie Garrett, Task Force Member Anzhane Slaughter, Task Force Staff
12:30 p.m.	Good of the Order & Adjournment	Representative Morgan, Task Force Chair

### Important Information to Know:

- The public is encouraged to participate. You are not required to provide your name. If you wish to remain anonymous, you can label yourself as ‘Public Participant’ when you sign in.
- Any recordings, including the chat box transcript are kept as public records.
- Please note that this event will be recorded and livestreamed by [TVW](#).
- Times listed in this agenda are estimates only. The Task Force may choose to alter the order of the agenda.
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- We may experience some issues. Please be patient with us.