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Comments: Who is the Clallam County Planning Commission, what is their purpose in this update process? I express they are failing at their mission to address this update; there is enough evidence they are not publicly, at least openly, representing all the citizens of this county: specifically the citizens of WRIA 20. Zero open publically known activity since April of 2016. But yet they appear to still be "step" in the process and it sounds like they may hold a public hearing in WRIA 18 in the few months to come...APPEARS because that isn't even openly public. The SMP web site pretty much calls for citizens to tune in to the PC, a site that hasn't been updated since May 2015, but yet nothing in the materials openly public from the PC to show they have even considered the update since April 2016. Maybe even better evidence of this failure for openly public is the very bylaws they claim to operate under: Not made available what they were forecasted to consider at their public meeting on 18 Jan 2017, not included in the meeting packet made available on the web site but referenced in the meeting packet apparently provided to the members themselves. Even the web site doesn't have a current version of the bylaws, dated 2014.

So I am calling in to question and approaching a vote of no confidence this standing Planning Commission is operating in the roll of representing all the citizens of this county. It would be appropriate therefore for the BOCC to begin considering other applicable processes when it comes to an appointed commission's roll in the SMP update. I don't have confidence and therefore do not consent to the authority the PC may have the appearance of having on this update matter; per the state's constitution.