

Ordinance 2006-16

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF EATONVILLE
ADDING A NEW SUBSECTION TO THE EATONVILLE MUNICIPAL CODE,
COMPREHENSIVE PLAN.**

WHEREAS, the Town Council of Eatonville finds it to be in the public interest to apply for and receive state and federal transportation grant funds to maintain and improve the transportation infrastructure of the Town; and

WHEREAS, for the Town of Eatonville to be eligible to receive state and federal transportation grant funds, the Town must encourage alternative modes of travel to the single-occupant vehicle in order to reduce energy consumption, air pollution, noise levels, carbon monoxide, and ozone; and

WHEREAS, the federal and state laws and regulations require the Town of Eatonville to make a commitment to alternative modes of travel in a policy statement contained in its Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Eatonville Comprehensive Plan does not contain such a policy statement on alternative modes of travel; and

WHEREAS, the Town immediately needs to begin the planning process to improve the rural corridor along SR-161 and the revitalization of the downtown with grant funds earmarked for the Town by the Puget Sound Regional Council and complete the planning process before the grant funds expire; and

WHEREAS, the Town adopted a revised comprehensive plan under Ordinance No. 2005-9 on July 11, 2005; and

WHEREAS, an emergency exists, allowing an amendment of the comprehensive plan under the terms of RCW 36.70A.130; now, therefore, the Eatonville Town Council adopts the following ordinance.

1. A new subsection 15.15.4 is added to the comprehensive plan, to read as follows:

The Town encourages alternative modes of travel to the single-occupant vehicle in order to reduce energy consumption air pollution and noise levels. Further, the Town's Transportation plans and programs shall be in conformity with the 1990 Clean Air Act amendments, and consistent with goals to reduce carbon monoxide and ozone levels to national air quality standards.

2. This ordinance is enacted to meet an emergency.

3. Only section 1 of this ordinance shall be codified.
This Ordinance shall take effect after its passage; approval and publication as required by law.

PASSED by the Town Council and approved by the Mayor of the Town of Eatonville, Washington, at a regular meeting thereof this 22nd day of May, 2006.



Tom Smallwood, Mayor

ATTEST:



Chrystal McGlone, Acting Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Robert Mack, Town Attorney