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Please join the King County Council at the Seattle Aquarium for a special Town Hall Meeting on creating "green-collar" jobs and building a productive, environmentally sustainable economy:

Creating a Green Economy

Monday, July 14
6:30 pm - Public Reception
7:00 to 8:30 pm - Program

Seattle Aquarium
1483 Alaskan Way, Pier 59
Seattle, WA 98101

Our community and nation stand on the brink of a great transformation: We must create an environmentally sustainable society, or face environmental catastrophe. This transformation – while challenging – will create enormous new opportunities in manufacturing, construction, research, and other fields.

Creating a green economy will spur new investment, create living-wage jobs, and help make our communities healthier. Seattle is a world leader in both innovative technology and environmental stewardship – and we are ready to embrace this great challenge and opportunity.

Please join us as we begin the dialogue on creating a green economy in our community. We'll have a panel discussion with leaders from the labor, education, civil rights, and environmental communities. There will be a briefing on proposed legislation and you will have an opportunity to share your ideas and provide public testimony.

We hope to see you there!

Sincerely,

Dow Constantine
Chair, Committee of the Whole

Larry Phillips
Councilmember, District 4

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