



WATER RECREATION RULE REVISION

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BACKGROUND

Board filed CR-101 to initiate rulemaking in December 2016

Consider amending:

Chapter 246-260 WAC, Water recreation facilities

Chapter 246-262 WAC, Water recreation contact facilities

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WHY?

RCW 70.90.120review and consider most recent version of Model Aquatic Health Code (MAHC) (updated in 2023)

- Keep pace with technology
- Address designated swim areas
- Consolidate chapters for usability





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Next Steps



CROSSWALK

- Reconcile MAHC & WAC
- Identify discrepancies



TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- Comprised of SMEs in WAC 246-260-191
- Address discrepancies



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- Consolidate chapters
- Consider adopting MAHC

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Timeline Summer – Winter 2023 TAC meetings Draft rules **SBOH** update Informal comment period Complete rule analysis Spring 2024 SBOH briefing File CR-102

Formal public comment period

SBOH public hearing

Questions?



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