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**PORT TO AWARD EAST BAY INFRASTRUCTURE CONTRACT**

**1st Quarter Financial Report and Draft Resolution on the  
future of Capitol Lake are also on agenda**

The Port Commission will meet Monday, May 11, 5:30 p.m., in the LOTT Board Room, 111 Market St. NE, Olympia. Among the agenda items is the Commission's consideration of the proposed award of the East Bay Infrastructure Contract to Stan Palmer Construction.

Commissioners also will vote on a resolution proposing to increase Commissioners' compensation. The resolution, as drafted, would not implement the proposed change until 2012, at which time the current compensation of \$200 per month, which will have been in place for 20 years, would increase to \$400.00 per month.

Kevin Ferguson, Finance Director, will present the Port's First Quarter Financial results.

The Commission will discuss the Port staff's proposed draft of a Commission Resolution concerning the Capitol Lake Adaptive Management Plan.

The complete agenda for the May 11<sup>th</sup> meeting is available at <http://www.portolympia.com/commission/agenda>

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**About the Port of Olympia**

The southernmost deepwater port on Puget Sound, the Port of Olympia owns and operates an international shipping terminal that handles a range of breakbulk and project cargoes. The Port also owns and operates a regional airport, a 733-slip recreational marina and boat haulout/repair facility, and a real estate division. A community port, it generates an estimated 2,600 jobs in Thurston County.