

## Summary – Historic preservation organizations listening session 1

**Meeting date: Thursday, Feb. 20, 1 p.m.**

**Location: 1500 Jefferson, Olympia**

DES provided an update on the rulemaking process, shared a rulemaking process map, and shared that concepts for future phases on the process map will be influenced by what DES hears at listening sessions and may be updated.

### **DES asked historic preservation organizations what is important to them and what questions they have. Group discussed:**

- The importance of actions that could impact the ground
- There are numerous archeological sites along Deschutes Parkway
- Future activities that may have an impact on the site
- Issues with sewage dumping and enforcement
- Availability of restrooms in the area
- Concerns related to digging in wooded areas
- Impacts of camping on hardscape areas like roads vs forested areas
- Shoreline areas as a focal point for archeology

### **DES asked for thoughts and advice regarding additional engagements and information to consider. Group discussed:**

- Engagements with long-term parkers
- Legal issues related to impacting archeological sites
- How to obtain archeological surveys