



2025 Annual Conference Agenda

Wednesday, April 23	
1:00 – 3:30 pm	Mobile Workshop: Apples and Agritourism
2:00 – 3:30 pm	Mobile Workshop: Historic Walking Tour of Downtown Chelan
4:00 – 6:00 pm	Registration
4:00 – 6:30 pm	Short Course on Local Planning
6:30 – 8:30 pm	Annual Conference Welcome Reception and Joint APA/PAW Awards Awards Program begins at 7:00 pm

Thursday, April 24		
7:00 – 8:00 am	Registration & Breakfast (provided) <i>Campbell's Ballroom</i>	
8:00 – 8:15 am	2025 PAW Annual Conference Welcome	
Location	Ballroom	East/West Room
Track	Grassroots	Fundamentals
8:15 – 9:15 am	A Highway Runs Through It: Land Use Planning Around I-5	Using the Campsite Rule to Transform Your Department
9:15 – 9:30 am	Break	
9:30 – 10:30 am	Downtown Chelan Enhancement Project—Imagine Chelan	New Housing Requirements: What Have We Gotten Ourselves Into?
10:30 – 10:45 am	Break	
10:45 – 11:45 am	Community-Driven Planning in Packwood	The Planner and Hearing Examiner: Competing or Complementary Roles?
11:45 am – 1:30 pm	Lunch (provided) PAW General Membership Meeting Plenary Presentation: The Time to End Sprawl is Now	
1:30 – 1:45 pm	Break	



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1:45 – 2:45 pm	Affordable Housing for the Long Haul: A Community-Led Approach	Built to Weather the Storm: How to Construct a Conflict-Resistant Presentation
2:45 – 3:00 pm	Break	
3:00 – 4:00 pm	Rooted in Community: Code Updates to Encourage Community-Based Behavioral Health Facilities	Balance Growth and Critical Areas Protection: CAO Updates in 2025 and Beyond
6:30 – 7:30 pm	Planning Trivia	

Friday, April 25		
6:00 am	Morning Run	
7:00 – 8:00 am	Breakfast (provided)	
Location	Ballroom	East/West Room
Track	Grassroots	Fundamentals
8:00 – 9:00 am	The Philosophy and Poetry of Tactical Urbanism	Shoreline Management Act Rulemaking: Overview and Discussion
9:00 – 9:30 am	Break/Check out (by 11 am)	
9:30 – 10:30 am	Stacking Housing Construction Incentives: How Municipalities Can Build Ladders Over Housing Barriers	What Every Planner Needs to Know About the Growth Management Hearings Board
10:30 – 10:45 am	Break/Check out (by 11 am)	
10:45 – 11:00 am	Basket Drawing	
11:00 am–12:00 pm	Case Law Update	
12:00 – 12:15 pm	Closing Remarks See you in Chelan next year for PAW's Annual Conference on April 22-24, 2026!!	