

**BEFORE THE WESTERN WASHINGTON GROWTH
MANAGEMENT HEARINGS BOARD**

COTTON CORPORATION, INC.,)	
)	No. 98-2-0017
Petitioner,)	
)	COMPLIANCE
v.)	ORDER
)	
JEFFERSON COUNTY,)	
)	
Respondent.)	
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On January 3, 2000, we received a letter from Jefferson County requesting a finding of compliance. Also supplied were copies of Resolution #92-99 adopted November 4, 1999, in response to the noncompliance aspects of the County's comprehensive plan (CP) set forth in our final decision and order dated April 5, 1999.

We notified all parties that a telephonic hearing would be held January 20, 2000. We established a deadline of January 18, 2000, for challenges to the requested order of compliance. No material was received from petitioners or any other interested party.

Participating in the January 20, 2000, telephonic conference were Board members William H. Nielsen and Nan A. Henriksen. Present for Jefferson County were Deputy Prosecuting Attorney David W. Alvarez and Special Counsel Mark Johnson.

At the hearing it was determined that the publication date of the notice of action concerning adoption of Resolution #92-99 occurred November 10, 1999. Under the terms of #92-99 the Resolution became effective November 15, 1999. No challenges were filed within the 60-day period required by RCW 36.70A.290(2).

We find that with the adoption of Resolution #92-99 amending the CP that Jefferson County is in compliance with the goals and requirements of the Growth Management Act.

This is a Final Order under RCW 36.70A.300(5) for purposes of appeal.

Pursuant to WAC 242-02-832(1), a motion for reconsideration may be filed within ten days of issuance of this final decision.

So ORDERED this 25th day of January, 2000

WESTERN WASHINGTON GROWTH MANAGEMENT HEARINGS BOARD

William H. Nielsen
Board Member

Nan A. Henriksen
Board Member