OFP Update
Introduction of Kate Delavan

WSCC - Regular Business Meeting
July 18, 2020

Ron Shultz, WSCC Policy Director
Introducing Kate Delavan as the new Program Coordinator of the Office of Farmland Preservation.

Kate joined the Commission in June 2020. She comes to us most recently from PCC Farmland Trust where she worked on farmland preservation issues including conservation easements. While in this role she also worked closely with the Pierce Conservation District on the Puyallup RCPP, so she is very familiar with conservation districts and their role in farmland preservation.

Kate also brings a broad understanding of food systems to her work, with experience in farmland conservation transactions and policy, land-use planning, farmers markets, food assistance programs, and the grocery industry. Kate holds a B.S. in Global Business from the University of Redlands and a Master's in Public Administration from the University of Washington. She enjoys gardening, cooking, and exploring Washington's scenic and wild places.

Kate is a member of AgForestry class 42.

Please join us in welcoming Kate to the conservation family!