GOAL 1: CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT:

Hood River County supports and utilizes the following types of citizen involvement.

- A. Planning Commission;
- *B. Special or single-function citizen advisory committees as follows:
 - 1. Forestry Advisory Committee;
 - 2. Public Works Advisory Committee;
 - 3. Building Department Board of Appeals;
 - 4. Parks and Recreation Committee;
 - 5. Historical Museum Board;
 - 6. Budget Committee;
 - 7. Hood River Overall Economic Development Committee;
 - 8. Farm Use Committee;
 - 9. Fair Board;
 - 10. Board of Equalization.
- **C. Advisory Committees from other organizations in which the County has membership as follows:
 - 1. Mid Columbia Economic Development District Board of Directors;
 - 2. Mid-Columbia Council of Governments;
 - 3. The Inter-agency Technical Resource Advisory Committee for the Mt. Hood Inter-agency Plan.
 - 4. Oregon Association of Counties.

* Overall the County has (18) established Citizens Advisory Committees (County Administrative Code), however only those directly or indirectly involved in land use were listed above. A complete list is presented in the Background Report.

Background Report: Goal 1: Citizen Involvement

^{**} Board of Commissioners members are involved in (9) Committees, however, only those directly involved in land use planning were listed. A complete list is presented in the Background Document.

- 5. Columbia River Gorge Commission
- D. Public notices, hearing procedures and referrals.
- E. During development of the Comprehensive Plan (years 1973-1980) Citizen Advisory Committees represented the following geographical areas:
 - 1. Dee
 - 2. Mt. Hood
 - 3. Odell
 - 4. Pine Grove
 - 5. City/Westside Area
 - 6. Upper Hood River Valley
 - 7. Columbia Gorge Area
- F. Hood River County has consistently sought wide participation in the various advisory groups by publicly announcing vacancies through the media and other means.