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**Winter Quarter 2026**

**January 29 & 30, 2026    ▪    South Puget Sound Community College**

4200 Capital Blvd, Tumwater, WA | Rooms 322 and 323

**Day 1 – Thursday, January 29**

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| 9:30 AM  | <b>Sign-in / Coffee / Meet and Greet</b>   |
| 10:00 AM | <b>Greetings and Welcome:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Opening Remarks / Roll Call</li> <li>Campus Welcome</li> </ul>  |
| 10:30 AM | <b>SSEM Council Business Meeting:</b><br><b>Reports</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chair's Report</li> <li>State Report</li> </ul>   |
| 10:45 AM | <b>Break</b>   |
| 11:00 AM | <b>Presentation (<i>pending</i>)</b>   |
| 12:00 PM | <b>Lunch (hosted) and networking</b>   |
| 1:00 PM  | <b><u>TRAINING:</u></b><br><b>Live Tabletop Exercise</b><br><b><i>Developed and facilitated by Raquel (Rocky) Vernola</i></b><br><br>This interactive session provides participants with a hands-on opportunity to role-play and practice emergency management through a realistic, scenario-based exercise. |
| 5:00 PM  | <b>Meeting Adjourns</b>  |
| 6:30 PM* | No Host Group Dinner / **may include special guest (optional)  |

**\*Agenda times and topics subject to change pending confirmation.**



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**Day 2 – Friday, January 30**

8:00 AM	Breakfast (hosted)
8:15 AM	Sign-in / Networking
8:30 AM	<b>SSEMC Work Planning Session</b> <b>Round Table Updates</b>
12:30 PM	Adjournment