



CITY OF EDGEWOOD

STUDY SESSION MEETING AGENDA SUMMARY

Tuesday, February 7, 2023 – 7:00 PM ♦ City Hall – 2224 104th Avenue East ♦ Edgewood, WA

1 CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Eidinger called the meeting to order at 7:00pm and led the attendees in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Councilmember Day, Councilmember Creley, Deputy Mayor Tomin, Councilmember West, Councilmember Keith, Councilmember Buckley, Councilmember Lowry **Staff Present:** Assistant City Administrator Dave Gray, City Clerk/HR Director Rachel Pitzel, Community & Economic Development Director Lauren Balisky, IT Director Matthew Ray, Public Works Director Jeremy Metzler, Chief Mark Berry

2 COUNCIL BUSINESS

A. Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (Trainings, Planning, etc.)

Councilmember Lowry discussed his takeaways from the training with Be Culture.

Councilmember Day agreed with the suggestion of working with an outside consultant to review the city's code. Deputy Mayor Tomin agreed with the outside consultant's suggestion as well, and expressed her appreciation for the work Be Culture did with the Council and sub-committee.

Councilmember Buckley suggested an educational element be added for existing and new Councilmembers to better equip them to evaluate future actions, and thus eliminate the need for an ongoing consultant review. Discussion then took place as to what review of adopted ordinances might look like, naming a staff point of contact, and having Councilmembers review historically racist laws at study sessions.

B. Resolution – Surplus Items

City Clerk/HR Director Pitzel discussed this housekeeping item, and requested it be placed on an upcoming consent agenda.

C. Resolution – Renewal of the CDWG Contract with Microsoft for Software Licensing

IT Director Ray discussed the history behind this agenda item and explained the reasoning for bringing it forward.

D. Ordinance – No Parking Zone Updates

Public Works Director Metzler briefed the Council on this agenda topic, asking that it be brought forward under regular business at the upcoming council meeting.

E. Ordinance – Criminalizing Possession of a Controlled Substance Without a Prescription

Chief Berry brought this agenda item forward and a detailed discussion then ensued between the Council and staff.

3 OTHER COUNCIL ITEMS

Councilmember Buckley spoke.

4 ADJOURN

Mayor Eidinger adjourned the meeting at 8:00pm.

Jill S. Herrera
Communications Coordinator / Deputy City Clerk

Daryl Eidinger
Mayor

