



CITY OF EDGEWOOD

01.30.2021 SCM AGENDA - STRATEGIC PLANNING RETREAT MEETING AGENDA SUMMARY

Saturday, January 30, 2021 – 9:00 AM ♦ City Hall – 2224 104th Avenue East ♦ Edgewood, WA

1 CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Eidinger called the Special Council Meeting to order and led the attendees in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Mayor Eidinger, Deputy Mayor Mark Creley, Councilmember Ryan Day (late), Councilmember Tyron Christopherson, Councilmember Nate Lowry, Councilmember Rosanne Tomin, Councilmember John West, Councilmember Colleen Wise.

2 WELCOME

Mayor Eidinger welcomed Council to the Strategic Planning Retreat and noted the purpose of the meeting was to have an open dialogue with Council. He ran down the topics of discussion for the retreat.

A. 2020 in Review

Councilmember Day entered the meeting at 9:04am.

Mayor Eidinger discussed 2020 in review with Council and noted the accomplishments achieved throughout the year.

B. The Business Plan

Mayor Eidinger discussed the City of Edgewood's Business Plan.

Council discussed the following topics:

- Planning Vision with interaction of Economic Development Advisory Board and Planning Commission
- Edgewood Business Activities Examples
- Economic Development within the City
- Development examples of Meridian Corridor
- In-house Staffing vs. Contracting
- Connection and Collaboration with Mt. View Community Center and other Boards and Commissions
- Council assignment as liaison to Edgewood Boards and Commission

C. 2021 The Path Forward

1. Goals - Strengthening Communications

Mayor Eidinger discussed working on better communication not only with himself but as a legislative body as a whole.

Council discussed interactions between themselves as a whole and commitment to improving.

2. Equity, Diversity and Inclusion

Mayor Eidinger presented the idea of Council forming a EDI Board with three councilmembers as members, along with community member participation.

Discussion also took place in regards to the National League of Cities training the "next steps" focusing on policy and code writing.

3. Other Topics

Councilmember Christopherson spoke.

Councilmember Wise spoke.

Councilmember West spoke.

Councilmember Creley spoke.

Councilmember Tomin spoke.

D. Wind up and Review

Mayor Eidinger recapped the meeting and discussion topics, reminded Council to reach out to not only him - but to staff for any clarifying questions they may have.

3 ADJOURN



Jill S. Herrera
Communications Coordinator / Deputy City Clerk



Daryl Eidinger
Mayor