



# City Council Study Session

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## AGENDA

April 9, 2013

6:30 pm – 10:00 pm

### Call to Order

### Public Comment

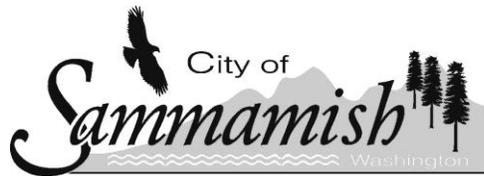
*This is an opportunity for the public to address the Council. Three-minutes limit per person or 5 minutes if representing the official position of a recognized community organization.*

### Topics

- Update: Economic Development Strategic Plan
- Update: Land Conservation Local Infrastructure Program (LCLIP)
- Proclamation Procedures

### Adjournment

City Council meetings are wheelchair accessible. American Sign Language (ASL) interpretation is available upon request. Please phone (425) 295-0500 at least 48 hours in advance. Assisted Listening Devices are also available upon request.



# Memorandum

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DATE: April 4, 2013

TO: Ben Yazici, City Manager

FROM: Lyman Howard, Deputy City Manager

RE: Economic Development Strategic Plan - April 9, 2013 City Council Update

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Following the Community & Economic Development Committee meeting on April 9<sup>th</sup>, Chris Mefford, President of Community Attributes Incorporated (CAI), will give the City Council a brief status report on the Economic Development Strategic Plan (EDSP).

Mr. Mefford's presentation will include highlights of:

- The draft Economic Profile
- Development feasibility analysis and peer city comparisons
- Draft goals and action steps of the EDSP

CAI is finalizing the materials for the April 9<sup>th</sup> meeting and will forward them to staff as soon as they are available. Staff will then transmit them to the City Council via email and will provide hard copies in their mail boxes at City Hall.



# Memorandum

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**Date:** April 9, 2013

**To:** City Council

**From:** Ben Yazici, City Manager

**Re:** Proclamation Issuance Guidelines

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The City of Sammamish has had the custom of making proclamations for various events and groups since its incorporation. Recently there have been some suggestions that the proclamations are using up valuable Council meeting time. One solution for fixing this problem is to place the proclamations on the Consent Agenda and send a signed copy to the requestor. There is nothing in the Council Rules of Procedure that would prohibit this and Council could always make the decision to read the proclamation aloud if deemed more appropriate. For instance, a proclamation honoring a resident might be read aloud if the resident was present to accept it.

No official action needs to take place to make this change. If there is general consensus among the Council for this proposal, staff will begin scheduling the proclamations on the Consent Agenda.

The following is a list of every proclamation issued by the City Council since 1999. The asterisks denote that this proclamation was made for several years:

- 100 Years of Rotary
- American Diabetes Month
- American Heart Association
- Arbor Day\*
- Arts Education Month\*
- Breast Cancer Awareness Day
- Camp Fire Day in the USA
- Child Abuse Prevention Month (Children's Response Center)\*
- Constitution Week (Daughters of the American Revolution)
- Domestic Violence Awareness Month\*
- Girl Scouts of America – Girl of the Year (Recognizing local youth)
- Incredible Kids Day\*
- Kids Day in America
- Mayor's Month of Concern for the Hungry\*
- Mountains to Sound Greenway Day
- National Community Planning Month

National Day of Prayer  
National Police Week  
National Recovery Month  
Native Plant Month\*  
PTA Membership Month  
Public Works Week\*  
Ruth Haelsey Day (celebrating 100<sup>th</sup> birthday)  
Sexual Assault Awareness Month\*  
Skyline Spartans Day  
YMCA Day