

Project title: Rethink Housing Action Plan Project Update

Council Bill # *interoffice use*

Agenda dates requested:

6/9/2021

Briefing 6/9/21

Proposed action

Consent

Action

Ordinance

Public hearing

Yes No

Budget amendment:

Yes No

PowerPoint presentation:

Yes No

Attachments:

Department(s) involved:

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Project: Rethink Housing Action Plan

Partner/Supplier :

Location: Citywide

Preceding action: Council Project Update 3/17/2021

Fund:

Fiscal summary statement:

N/A

Project summary statement:

The Rethink Housing Action Plan is a set of strategies and actions to address policies, regulations, and funding to support housing development in the City of Everett. For the past several months, community outreach activities and work with the Rethink Housing Action Plan Committee have resulted in a set of recommendations. Background information, the Housing Needs Assessment and policy context along with the recommended strategies are incorporated into a draft plan currently under review by the Committee. Staff is providing a process update and an introduction to the draft recommendations. The briefing will begin with a presentation from the Alliance for Housing Affordability on updated housing cost data.

The draft Housing Action Plan is currently posted for public comment. There are additional outreach activities which will occur in June and July. The third and final forum focusing on development issues will also be scheduled during that period. The City Council is expected to consider the final plan in September. A final plan is due to the Washington State Department of Commerce on October 15, 2021.

Recommendation (exact action requested of Council):

No Action Requested