

**CITY OF DUVALL  
CITY COUNCIL  
SPECIAL WORKSHOP MINUTES  
January 29, 2021 – 9:30 a.m.  
Virtual Only Meeting via Zoom**

*Due to public health emergency, this meeting was held remotely. All Councilmembers and staff attended via Zoom meeting.*

Mayor Pro Tem Remington called the workshop to order at 9:35 a.m.

**Council present:** Amy McHenry, Dorothy Lengyel, Michelle Hogg, Mike Remington, Jennifer Knaplund, Dianne Brudnicki, Rick Shaffer

**Staff present:** Lara Thomas, Jodi Wycoff, Carey Hert, Mike DeBock, City Attorney Daniel P. Kenny

**I. Items:**

**1. 2021 Council Priorities and Work Plan**

Mayor Pro Tem Remington reviewed the draft 2021 Council Priorities and Work Plan and requested feedback. Each Councilmember and staff provided feedback on their top priorities and goals. Council said that the list would encompass both 2021 and 2022 to be in line with the biennial budget.

**2. Form of Government**

Daniel Kenny, City Attorney, gave a presentation to review differences between the Mayor/Council (strong Mayor) form of government and the Council/Manager form of government. Mr. Kenny answered questions from Council. This item will be discussed further at future meetings.

**3. Mayor/Council Training**

Daniel Kenny, City Attorney, asked Council to think about items related to communication, lessons learned from 2020, and the “no surprise rule” which will be discussed further at a future meeting.

**4. Council Committees**

Mayor Pro Tem Remington reviewed the 2021 committee assignments and stated that newest Councilmember, Rick Shaffer, has replaced Councilmember Brudnicki on the Public Works Committee and has also been assigned to the Public Safety Committee. Jodi Wycoff, City Clerk, confirmed regional committee assignments.

**II. Adjournment**

The Workshop adjourned at 1:21 p.m.

ATTEST:

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Michael Remington, Mayor Pro Tem

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Jodi Wycoff, City Clerk