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|  | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>REDMOND CITY COUNCIL<br/>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE -<br/>PUBLIC SAFETY AND HUMAN SERVICES<br/>MEETING SUMMARY</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">January 20, 2026, 4:30 p.m.</p> |
|   | <p style="text-align: center;">Current and past meeting agendas and materials:<br/><a href="https://redmond.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx">https://redmond.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx</a></p>                          |

Presiding Officer Vivek Prakriya called the meeting to order, reviewed attendance, and overviewed the agenda. The meeting was held in Council Chambers.

Committee Members present and establishing a quorum:

- ☒ Vivek Prakriya, Presiding Officer
- ☒ Jessica Forsythe
- ☒ Vanessa Kritzer
- ☒ Angie Nuevacamina
- ☒ Menka Soni
- ☒ Melissa Stuart
- ☐ Vacant

### Action Items

1. **Approval of the 2026 Public Safety and Human Services Committee of the Whole Workplan**  
*Council*  
*Action: Consent, February 3rd*

Presiding Officer Prakriya overviewed the workplan.

Discussion ensued regarding: utilizing the Kirkland jail; FLOCK contract; Thrive and alternative crisis response updates; affordable housing updates; REDI program; alternative crisis response subcommittee; electric fire engine and charger; speed zone cameras; light rail public safety impacts;

2. **Diamond Parking 6-Month Contract Extension**  
*Department: Police*  
*Action: Consent, February 3<sup>rd</sup>*

Darrell Lowe, Police Chief, reported to the Members of the Committee:

- Current parking enforcement contractor;
- No more automatic renewals;
- RFP process for a vendor for the remainder of 2026; and
- Will be taken care of by the Police Department starting in 2027.

### 3. King County Independent Force Investigations Team (IFIT-KC) Interlocal Agreement Modification

*Department: Police*

*Action: Consent, February 3rd*

Darrell Lowe, Police Chief, reported to the Members of the Committee:

- Modification to the existing interlocal agreement;
- Seattle Police Department is being brought into the agreement;
- Has been approved by three other jurisdictions; and
- Is currently under effect.

Discussion ensued regarding: the only change to the interlocal agreement is including the Seattle Police Department.

### 4. Adoption of Three Resolutions Related to Provision of Affordable Housing

- a. Adopt a Resolution Approving the Allocation of \$1,217,000 to A Regional Coalition for Housing (ARCH) for the Development of Affordable Housing
- b. Adopt a Resolution Approving the Recommended Changes to the House Key Plus ARCH East King County Downpayment Program
- c. Adopt a Resolution to Delegate Administrative Duties to Bellevue for the ARCH Housing Trust Fund (HTF) Financing Agreements that Pre-Date the 2010 Interlocal Agreement (ILA) Amendment

*Department: Planning and Community Development*

*Action: Consent, February 3rd*

Seraphie Allen, Deputy Director Planning and Community Development, and Ian Lefcourt, Senior Planner, reported to the Members of the Committee:

- ARCH funding process;
- Approval of ARCH funding allocation;
- Approval of changes to streamline process and downpayment assistance; and
- Approval for Bellevue to administer all agreements instead of individual jurisdictions.

Discussion ensued regarding: Redmond project;

### Feedback for Study Session - N/A

#### Informational

1. Housing and Human Services Overview: Build More Housing Faster (Presentation 2 of 4)

*Department: Planning and Community Development*  
*Action: Informational*

Seraphie Allen, Deputy Director Planning and Community Development, Ian Lefcourte, Senior Planner, and Brooke Buckingham, Human Services Manager, reported to the Members of the Committee:

- Supply;
- The City does not build housing, instead sets the policies for others to build housing;
- Housing framework;
- Population drives demand for housing;
- Housing demand for 0-50% Area Median Income (AMI) households;
- Development capacity is regulated;
- Development takes multiple years;
- Income depends on type of job;
- Housing strategies;
- Affordable housing types;
- Tools and strategies;
- Tracking progress; and
- Council's role in influencing supply.

Discussion ensued regarding: dealing with displacement; ARCH units; Senate Bill; Fee in-lieu; Human Services Strategic Plan refresh; direct investment; strategies for keeping people in their homes; population growth; and constraints for housing production.

Read Only - N/A

#### Items from Other Committees

**1. Correction of Two Classifications (Grade FS30 and Grade FS40) within the 2026 Fire Support "FS" Pay Plan**

*Department: Human Resources*  
*Action: Consent, January 20th*

Cathryn Laird, Human Resources Director, reported to the Members of the Committee:

- Scrivener's error;
- Union and the Council voted to approve the Collective Bargaining Agreement;
- The approved pay plan was incorrect for two classifications resulting in a decrease in the pay range; and
- The increase is in the budget.

Discussion ensued regarding: learning from the process.

Meeting adjourned at 5:33 p.m.