

**CITY OF REDMOND
RESOLUTION NO. _____**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON, ESTABLISHING THE SCOPE OF THE 2050 PERIODIC REVIEW AND UPDATE OF THE REDMOND COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

WHEREAS, the Washington Growth Management Act "the Act" (RCW 36.70A) requires that comprehensive plans and implementing regulations shall be subject to continuing evaluation and review; and

WHEREAS, the Growth Management Act requires counties and cities to periodically conduct a thorough review and update of the Comprehensive Plan and implementing regulations ("Periodic Review") to bring them in line with any relevant changes in the Act, and to accommodate updated growth targets; and

WHEREAS, the next update of the City of Redmond ("the City") Comprehensive Plan is due by June 30, 2024 (RCW 36.70A.130 and WAC 365-196-610); and

WHEREAS, the focus of the City's Periodic Review (Redmond 2050) is to extend the planning horizon to 2050, comply with regional and state requirements that have changed since 2011, and implement the community vision and the Council direction and recommendations; and

WHEREAS, regulations will be informed by a program for community involvement that meaningfully and effectively engages the community early and often, focusing on key topics of interest in a manner that is equitable, barrier-free, and recognizes the needs and interests of both the community and the City; and

WHEREAS, the City has broadly disseminated a Community Involvement Plan identifying procedures and opportunities for early and continuous public participation, communication methods, information services, and consideration of and response to public comments for the Periodic Review in accordance with RCW 36.70A.140; and

WHEREAS, the City has published the scope of the Periodic Review and the proposed schedule whereby updates, proposed amendments, or revisions of the comprehensive plan and implementing regulations will be considered by the governing body in accordance with 36.70A.130; and

WHEREAS, notice of the intent to adopt the scope of amendments, timeline, and Community Involvement Plan and a request for public comments was published in accordance with RCW 36.70A.035 in a paper of general circulation; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission reviewed the draft scope of the Periodic Review during Planning Commission study sessions on May 26, August 12, and August 26, 2020; and

WHEREAS, after receiving and considering public comments, the Planning Commission recommended adoption of the scope, timeline, and Community Involvement Plan as described in Exhibit 1 at its August 26, 2020 meeting; and

WHEREAS, the City Council was briefed on April 14, May 19, and again on September 8, 2020 on the scope, timeline, and Community Involvement Plan for the Periodic Review; and

WHEREAS, timely progress on the Periodic Review depends on setting the scope, timeline, and plan for public involvement; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to update its Comprehensive Plan and implementing regulations to ensure that it remains consistent with state law and regional policy documents.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Approval of Scope and Timeline. The Redmond City Council hereby establishes the Scope and Timeline of the Periodic Review as shown in Exhibit 1, attached hereto and incorporated as if set forth in full.

Section 2. Approval of Community Involvement Plan. The Redmond City Council hereby establishes the Community Involvement

Plan for the Periodic Review as shown in Exhibit 2, attached hereto and incorporated as if set forth in full.

Section 3. Work Plan. The City Council directs staff and the Planning Commission to carry out a work plan to accomplish the Periodic Review.

Section 4. Effective Date. This resolution shall become effective upon adoption by the City Council.

ADOPTED by the Redmond City Council this ____ day of _____, 2020.

APPROVED:

ANGELA BIRNEY, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CHERYL XANTHOS, MMC, CITY CLERK

(SEAL)

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK:
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL:
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