REDMOND CITY COUNCIL STUDY SESSION SUMMARY

January 10, 2012

Mayor

Staff

John Marchione

Michelle M. McGehee, MMC, City Clerk

Members of the Council

Kim Allen
David Carson
Tom Flynn
Hank Margeson
Hank Myers
John Stilin
Pat Vache

Convened: 6:30 p.m.

Adjourned: 7:30 p.m.

Meet and Greet Re: Candidate for Lake Washington School District (LWSD) Superintendent

Mayor Marchione and Members of the Council met with the School District's candidate for superintendent; Dr. Traci Pierce.

Convened: 7:30 p.m.

Adjourned: 7:57 p.m.

Redmond City Council Study Session - Council Talk Time

Councilmember Myers presented a commissioned bobble-head of recently retired Councilmember Richard Cole, in his honor.

Councilmember Vache:

- advised that all committees have been formally adopted and each committee will now begin to develop their work plans for the coming two years; work plans are to be submitted to the City Clerk once finalized and they will be forwarded to the full Council for consideration of approval;
- reminded all members regarding the Public Records Act/Open Meetings Act training for elected officials, to be held in the Council Chamber from 5 6 p.m. on January 31, 2012;
- noted the Parks and Human Services Committee meeting, previously scheduled for January 31st, has been cancelled and reschedule to Tuesday, February 7, 2012;
- spoke regarding the Council holding a mini-retreat to kick off the year; this mini planning retreat will be in preparation of a larger retreat to be held in March 2012; and

• spoke regarding the Council's invitation to a pre-show/press show for the Cavalia exhibition, currently being held at Marymoor Park, noting he will need an attendance head count as soon as possible for the January 17, 2012, show.

Members of the Council met in the Council Conference Room to hold a dinner/planning retreat. This retreat was facilitated by an outside facilitator; said facilitator to provide a final written report of the retreat.

Members of the Council also spoke regarding the City's cell phone policy.

Members of the Council also spoke regarding a complaint received with respect to litter dumping in the City and entertained ideas for bolstering a public outreach campaign to the community. Mayor Marchione also noted he would refer the complaint to staff.

Councilmember Allen advised that she has been nominated for another year as Chair on the Eastside Transportation Partnership.

Councilmember Margeson noted an upcoming Puget Sound Regional Council meeting and stated the topic for discussion is transfer of development rights for counties. He also noted that Councilmember Stilin would be the City representative to the Suburban Cities Association Public Issues Committee at their meeting tomorrow evening.