

MEETING SUMMARY

REDMOND PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

Wednesday, May 12, 2021 - 7:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order & Roll Call - 7:01 p.m.

Commissioners present: Chair Sherri Nichols, Vice-Chair Judy East, Roy Captain, Aaron Knopf, Vidyanand Rajpathak. Denni Shefrin, Aparna Varadharajan

Staff present: Beverly Mesa-Zendt, Jeff Churchill, Beckye Frey, Caroline Chapman

2. Approval of the Agenda

❖ *Motion Commissioner Knopf, second by Commissioner Captain; vote unanimous*

3. Summary Minutes

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❖ *Motion Commissioner Captain, second by Commissioner Shefrin; vote unanimous*

4. Items from the Audience

❖ *Written comment received from Shauna Mindt and Jenny Carbon, Hossein Khorram, and Tom Hinman*

❖ *Hossein Khorram provided verbal comments*

5. 2021 Annual Docket: Study Session on Retail Marijuana. Review and discuss application request and options for Retail Marijuana.

Attachments: [Memo](#), [Presentation](#)

Staff Contact: Beverly Mesa-Zendt
Deputy Planning Director

425-556-2423

❖ *Discussion only, no action taken*

6. Redmond 2050: Study Session on Growth Scenarios. Staff will provide an overview of the growth scenarios that have been developed, explaining how they were created and next steps for evaluating the scenarios.

Attachments: [Memo](#), [Presentation](#)

Staff Contact: Caroline Chapman 425-556-2442
Senior Planner

❖ *Discussion only, no action taken*

7. Staff & Commissioner Updates

Staff updates & scheduling:

- Ended up not needing a special session for May 19th, so we will not meet next week
- We do have one extra special session scheduled for June already, but all three meetings are looking long (over two hours estimated and some close to three; two meetings with public hearings). Planning Commissioners prefer to have shorter meetings so we will schedule four meetings for June.

8. Adjourn - 8:33 p.m.

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