



# Press Release

## City of Edmonds

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### **Former Edmonds Mayors to Gather for Historic Meeting On City's 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

***Four Former Mayors Join Mayor Earling to Meet For Lunch  
And Speak at Community Celebration on Tuesday, August 11th***

**Edmonds, WA** - Four former Edmonds mayors have accepted Mayor Dave Earling's invitation to attend an historic lunch meeting and speak at the City's 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration on Tuesday, August 11<sup>th</sup>. Planning to attend are former Edmonds Mayors Harve Harrison (1967-1983), Laura Hall (1992-1995), Barbara Fahey (1996-1999), and Mike Cooper (2010-2011). Larry Naughten (1984-1991) and Gary Haakenson (2000-2010) are not able to attend.

"This is the first time in recent memory that this many former Edmonds mayors have gathered at one event," says Mayor Earling. "I can't think of a better way to help commemorate our City's 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary and I look forward to sharing many great memories with my fellow city leaders."

The mayors will be available for media interviews at 11am at the Edmonds Historical Museum on Tuesday, August 11<sup>th</sup>, before meeting for lunch with Mayor Earling at The Rusty Pelican restaurant. They will later join Mayor Earling and other community leaders who will be speaking at about 4:30 pm during the City's 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Community Celebration. The community celebration will kick off at 1:30pm in front of the Historical Museum on 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue North and will feature live performances from local musical, dance and theater groups, along with other celebratory activities. The event will culminate in a public street dance from 5:30 to 8:30pm on that section of 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue North between City Hall and the Historical Museum.

For the full line-up of performances and activities, please visit the City's 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Facebook event page at [www.bit.ly/edmonds125](http://www.bit.ly/edmonds125).

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