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Public Information Meeting on Housing Strategy to Be Held

(Edmonds - WA) An informational public meeting on current housing issues will be held January 10 from 7:00 to 8:30 pm in the Swedish Edmonds Hospital Conference Room, 21601 76th Ave West, Edmonds.

The meeting will be similar to the one held by the City on December 3 at the Edmonds Library. It will include a short presentation on housing developments, the use of multifamily tax exemption, and the status of a draft housing strategy, along with questions from the audience and responses from the Mayor or City staff.

“We believe the community is looking for information, as well as expressing ideas about housing needs for the future,” said Mayor Dave Earling. “This session will be outside of the Bowl to provide more geographic diversity.”

An initial draft housing strategy was released this summer and generated a wide range of comments and questions. The strategy is now on hold until it can be determined whether or how to continue the effort.

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