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City of Edmonds Seeks Citizens To Serve On Economic Development Commission

(Edmonds - WA) - The City Council is seeking applicants interested in serving on the City of Edmonds Economic Development Commission. The purpose of the commission is to address specific issues related to economic development and is responsible for helping identify new sources of revenue as a direct result of economic development projects; new strategies for economic development; and to provide recommendations regarding strategies for economic development and other matters that will improve commercial viability, tourist development and activity for consideration by the Edmonds City Council. In addition to its other duties, the commission will work in conjunction with the Planning Board to review and consider economic development strategies. Meetings of the commission are held on the 3rd Wednesday evening of each month.

Commissioner terms are staggered and terms of members on the commission as of December 31, 2011 will expire on December 31, 2012. Terms of new members appointed in 2012 expire on December 31, 2014 while terms of members appointed in 2013 or later will expire on December 31, 2015.

Interested individuals may apply on-line at EdmondsWA.gov, pick up an application at the reception desk in the lobby of City Hall located at 121 - 5th Avenue North, or call (425) 771-0247 to receive an application by mail or email. Applications must be submitted by 4:30 p.m. on Friday, June 1, 2012.