



# ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION MEETING

Wednesday, June 18, 2025, at 8:00 AM

Snoqualmie City Hall, 38624 SE River Street & Zoom

## COMMISSION MEMBERS

Commissioners: Joelle Gibson, Kristina Hudson, Nichole Pas, Nick Postiglione, Paula Shively, Gary Skiba, and Adrian Webb.

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## CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

## AGENDA APPROVAL

**PUBLIC COMMENT** - *Public comment will be accepted by in-person attendees. Remote attendees may submit written comments to the [staff liaison](#) or the [city clerk](#).*

## MINUTES

- [1.](#) Approval of the minutes dated May 21, 2025.

## LIAISON REPORTS

## NEW BUSINESS

2. Snoqualmie Valley School District Presentation

## OLD BUSINESS

- [3.](#) Business Visits Discussion and Review of Questions

## UPCOMING SCHEDULE

4. Work Plan Update

## ITEMS OF COMMISSIONER INTEREST

## ADJOURNMENT



## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES MAY 21, 2025

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**CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL:** Vice Chair Paula Shively called the meeting to order at 8:00 am.

**Commissioners:** Joelle Gibson, Nichole Pas (remote), Nick Postiglione, Paula Shively, Gary Skiba, and Adrian Webb were present. Commissioner Hudson was not present.

It was moved by Commissioner Postiglione, seconded by Commissioner Gibson to excuse Commissioner Hudson's presence at today's meeting which passed unanimously.

Councilmember Wotton was present.

**City Staff:** Mike Chambless, City Administrator; Mona Davis, Community and Economic Development Director; Nicole Wiebe, Community Liaison; Deana Dean, City Clerk (remote); and Andrew Jongekryg, IT Support.

**AGENDA APPROVAL** — It was moved by Commissioner Postiglione, seconded by Commissioner Gibson to approve the agenda which passed unanimously.

**PUBLIC COMMENT** — There was no public comment.

### MINUTES

1. It was moved by Commissioner Gibson, seconded by Commissioner Postiglione to approve the minutes of April 16, 2025, which passed unanimously.

### LIAISON REPORTS

Councilmember Wotton thanked everyone for being present and encouraged the Commission to be the voice of the community.

Community Liaison Wiebe provided updates on summer events, flower baskets are being hung by the parks department, Splashpad celebration on June 6<sup>th</sup> at 2pm, and Big Truck Day on June 26<sup>th</sup> at Centennial Field. Commissioner questions regarding wayfinding signs.

City Administrator Mike Chambless provided an update on WSDOT signs.

### NEW BUSINESS

2. Two Rivers Big Picture High School Internship Program presentation by CTE teacher Chrissy Riley. Topics covered included an overview, daily schedule, learning through interests, student shadow days and internships, mentors, projects, clubs and groups, site visits, and exhibitions. Commission questions followed.

## OLD BUSINESS

3. Business Visits Discussion and Review of Questions. Community Liaison Wiebe led the discussion which included a recap of the business visit program, review and narrowing down of questions, and timeline. Councilmember Wotton provided additional information. Discussion followed.

## UPCOMING SCHEDULE – OUT OF ORDER

4. Work Plan Update. Community & Economic Development Director Davis provided an update including modification of the color palette by the Planning Commission, retail development standards and retail overlay district pending approval by Council, Mill Site gearing up on their project, Model Train Museum under way with architectural plans, Roundhouse has approval, Snoqualmie Valley Health expansion received site plan approval and SEPA decision last week and moving forward with clear and grade applications,

## ITEMS OF COMMISSIONER INTEREST

## ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by Commissioner Postiglione, seconded by Commissioner Gibson to adjourn the meeting which passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 am.

*Minutes prepared by Deana Dean, City Clerk.*

*Recorded meeting audio is available on the city website after the meeting.*

*Minutes approved at the \_\_\_\_\_ Economic Development Commission Meeting.*

## Snoqualmie Business Visitation 2025

What industry would you describe yourself in?

Do you have any locations outside of Snoqualmie?

What year did you open or move to Snoqualmie?

Why did you choose Snoqualmie and what keeps you here?

How many employees do you have working in Snoqualmie?

How many of those employees live in the Snoqualmie Valley?

What are your top two or three concerns as a business owner/leader?

What are some things you are optimistic about?

What could your local government do to help your business?