

# **Bellevue Planning Commission**

January 10, 2024

#### PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

### **SUBJECT**

Planning Commission Survey Results and Discussion

#### **STAFF CONTACTS**

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#### **POLICY ISSUES**

Staff will present the Commission with a presentation on feedback received from a survey on Commission functions and dynamics that was sent to the Planning Commissioners in late December.

DIRECTION NEEDED FROM THE PLANNING COMMISSION		
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Direction from the Commission is being requested respective to feedback received from the survey from Commission members. Staff will present a summary of the survey results, and provide an opportunity for discussion at the Commission meeting.

#### **SURVEY RESULTS**

Planning Commission completed a survey relating to continuous improvement of Commission meetings and dynamics. The results will be discussed at the January 10 Commission meeting.

The survey asked Commission members to reflect on:

- Identifying 1-3 areas where the Commission is functioning well
- Areas of improvement for Commission interaction through:
  - Adaptations which would allow better understanding and appreciation of one another's perspectives
  - o Tools to allow for better flow in the conversation
  - Opportunities for improved decision-making
- Areas where staff can more effectively support the Commission

## **Next Steps:**

Staff is looking for feedback from the Commission on the responses to the Commission's comments relating to opportunities for improvement with the overall process.

# **ATTACHMENTS**

A. Survey Questions