# eCityGov Alliance

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# eCityGovAlliance Interlocal Agreement



- ✓ Executive Board of eCityGov Alliance looked for ways to become more efficient and nimble
- ✓ Background of eCityGov Alliance
- ✓ Explain the proposed changes
- ✓ Council discussion and direction

# Alliance History and Background

Celebrating 16 years of technology partnership and innovation







A government nonprofit, governed by an executive board and originally established in 2001

Bellevue is one of six partners on the board. The Alliance serves more than 15 governments, primarily in King and Snohomish Counties

The Alliance
currently offers
web-based
applications:
MyBuilding
Permit,
GovJobsToday
and
NWProperties



### Current Alliance Products

#### My Building Permit

- Promotes alignment of business practices
- Largest Alliance product •
- Provides online permitting services
- Acts as virtual permit counter

- Endorsed by the Master Builders Association
  - Jurisdictions include King County and Snohomish Counties
- Serves 15 jurisdictions

#### GovJobsToday

- End to end recruitment
- Promotes cross marketing of jobs
- Serves 13 jurisdictions

#### **NWProperties**

- Search for available commercial property
- Supports economic development
- Serves 13 jurisdictions



### Bellevue as Technology Service Provider

Bellevue IT provides technology consulting and management services

Bellevue IT recoups costs for staff time spent on Alliance work

Bellevue IT also acts as the fiscal agent for the Alliance







# Alliance Governance



Partner cities are Bellevue, Kirkland, Issaquah, Sammamish, Kenmore and Snoqualmie







#### **Executive Director**

The Executive Director manages operations, marketing, regional relationships and recommends strategic direction to the board





#### **Subscribers**

Subscriber jurisdictions pay fees to access the software





# eCityGov Alliance ILA Process

Executive Board worked with Pacifica Law Group LLP on ILA changes Board members
worked with
City legal
counsel on ILA
changes

Q2 2017

Q3 and Q4 2017

Board members bring revised ILA to legislative bodies

Dec 2017 and Jan 2018



#### **Board Goal One:**

Use board participation most efficiently

Remove the requirement of an Operations Board from ILA



#### **Board Goal Two:**

Have the authority to determine to adjust the composition of the Board

ILA, Section 8.c: Enable the Executive Board to add by Supermajority Vote one or more non-voting seats to the Executive Board to represent Subscribers



#### **Board Goal Three:**

Determine the process for appointing new members to the Board

ILA, Section 8.e: Stipulates that the Executive Board determines process to select and replace any non-voting representative



#### **Board Goal Four:**

Offer latitude to partners to choose which programs to invest in

ILA, Section 13.g (Section 12.g Updated to give the board authority by Supermajority Vote to charge investing partners pro rata rates



# Discussion and Questions

Staff seeks Council direction to return with amendments to the ILA for Council approval at a future meeting.



