

RESOLUTION NO. 1359

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EDMONDS, WASHINGTON, DIRECTING STAFF TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR THE SUSTAINABLE CITIES PARTNERSHIP

WHEREAS, the Sustainable Cities Partnership (SCP) is a yearlong partnership between Western Washington University's Office of Sustainability, AWC, and one partner city chosen through a competitive application process; and

WHEREAS, the program engages Western's students and faculty on sustainability and livability projects chosen in collaboration with the partner city; and

WHEREAS, the SCP faculty and students work through a variety of studio and service learning courses, thus providing students with experience tackling the city's real-world projects; and

WHEREAS, SCP's primary value derives from collaborations resulting in on-the-ground impact and forward movement for a community ready to transition to a more sustainable and livable future; and

WHEREAS, applications for the SCP are due at the end of April; and

WHEREAS, if selected, Edmonds would need to enter into a contract for services (within the Mayor's contracting authority) and would need to allocate funds through a 2016 budget amendment, which could be carried forward for an actual expenditure in 2017; and

WHEREAS, the allocation would likely be in the range of \$65,000-\$85,000, depending on how many projects were included in the contract; now therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EDMONDS, WASHINGTON, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Staff should prepare and submit an application for participation in the Sustainable Cities Partnership.

RESOLVED this 3rd day of May, 2016.

CITY OF EDMONDS


MAYOR, DAVE EARLING

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK, SCOTT PASSEY

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK:
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL:
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