

**CITY OF LAKE STEVENS
CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP MEETING MINUTES**

May 17, 2022, at 6:00 p.m.
By Remote Participation via Zoom

CALL TO ORDER: 6:00 p.m. by Council President Steve Ewing

ELECTED OFFICIALS PRESENT: Councilmembers Kim Daughtry, Gary Petershagen, Mary Dickinson, Anji Jorstad, Shawn Frederick, Marcus Tageant and Steve Ewing

ELECTED OFFICIALS ABSENT: Mayor Brett Gailey

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: City Administrator Gene Brazel, Finance Director Barb Stevens, IT Director Troy Stevens, Public Works Director Aaron Halvorson, Police Chief Jeff Beazizo, Human Resources Director Anya Warrington, Community Development Director Russ Wright, City Clerk Kelly Chelin, Deputy City Clerk Caitlin Weaver and City Attorney Greg Rubstello

Police Lateral Hiring Incentives

Chief Beazizo reviewed the proposed incentives for Lateral Police Officers. The Council engaged in a discussion and this item will come back at the next meeting.

Council Summer Break

The Council and staff discussed the dates for the summer break. The Council will take a break from meetings from July 13 to August 22, 2022.

Continuation of Hybrid Council Meetings

City Attorney Rubstello explained new provisions to the OPMA, ESHB 1329. All public meetings will need to be in person after June 1, 2022. Council discussed the provisions and agreed to continue hybrid meetings (both in person and virtual) going forward.

The meeting adjourned at 7:13 p.m.



Brett Gailey, Mayor



Kelly M. Chelin, City Clerk