



CITY OF BLACK DIAMOND
February 4, 2012 City Council Retreat Agenda
Fire Station 96
17920 SE 400th Street, Auburn, Washington

8:30 A.M. – CALL TO ORDER, FLAG SALUTE, ROLL CALL

8:30 A.M. – 9:00 A.M. TOUR OF FIRE STATION

9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. WORK SESSION

❖ **Review of the City's Vision Statement**

- What does the current vision mean to you?
- Is this still the Vision of the City Council or has it changed?

❖ **Setting a forum for City Council and Staff Growth**

- Rules of Engagement for Communication
- Relationships and Roles between Mayor, Councilmembers and Staff

❖ **Growth**

- Definition of Growth

12:00 P.M. – 2:00 P.M. WORK SESSION (working lunch 12:00 – 12:30)

❖ **Communication of the City**

- How are we doing? Identify strengths and weaknesses
- What are we trying to solve?
- What is our goal?
- How do we achieve our goal?
- Process

❖ **Council Committees and their Function**

- Role of the Chairperson
- Scheduling
- Role of Committee in policy development and reviewing of staff proposals

❖ **Agenda Process**

- How agendas are set
- Council's role in setting agendas

❖ **Miscellaneous**

- Open Mic (any topic any Councilmember would like to discuss)

ADJOURNMENT: