

# CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK CITY COUNCIL AGENDA COVER SHEET

Meeting Date December 12, 2024

**Originating Department** Executive

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Title Resolution 24-1991/Adopting the 2025-2026 Lake Forest Park, State

Legislative Agenda

#### **Legislative History**

First Presentation – November 7, 2024, Special City Council Meeting

Second Presentation – December 12, 2024, Regular City Council Meeting

#### Attachments:

- 1. Resolution 24-1991
- 2. Draft 2025-2026 Lake Forest Park, State Legislative Agenda

#### **Executive Summary**

Before Council is the proposed 2025-2026 State Legislative Agenda, outlining the top priorities of the City. The priorities are either projects of a regional nature in need of financial support or focused on State policies that have local implications.

### **Background**

Prior to upcoming legislative sessions, the City Council adopts a legislative agenda reflecting the priorities of the City and its support of elements of the Association of Washington Cities' and Sound Cities Association legislative agendas that best serve the interests of the City.

The City's Legislative Steering Committee, consisting of the Mayor, Deputy Mayor, Council Vice-Chair, City Administrator, and Finance Director meet with Shelly Helder, Gordon Thomas Honeywell Government Relations, to craft a draft legislative agenda. The draft document is based on discussions between the Mayor and Council throughout the year, regarding priorities of the City.

# **Fiscal & Policy Implications**

N/A

## **Alternatives**

Options	Results
<ul> <li>Pass Resolution 24-1991 adopting the Lake Forest Park 2025-2026 State Legislative Agenda</li> </ul>	The adopted legislative priorities will be shared with the city's state delegation and the Association of Washington Cities.
<ul> <li>Do not pass Resolution 24-1991, adopting the Lake Forest Park 2025- 2026 State Legislative Agenda</li> </ul>	The city will not have adopted legislative priorities directing the administration and city lobbyist during the upcoming session.
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## **Staff Recommendation**

Review and adopt Resolution 24-1991, adopting the 2025-2026 City of Lake Forest Park, State Legislative Agenda.