

CITY OF LYNDEN

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY



Meeting Date:	July 18, 2022	
Name of Agenda Item:	Transportation Benefit District (TBD) Renewal	
Section of Agenda:	Summary Reports & Presentations	
Department:		
Council Committee Review:	<input type="checkbox"/> Community Development <input type="checkbox"/> Finance <input type="checkbox"/> Parks	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Works <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
Legal Review:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes - Reviewed <input type="checkbox"/> No - Not Reviewed <input type="checkbox"/> Review Not Required	
Attachments:	None	
Summary Statement:	<p>The City of Lynden is running a proposition on the November general election ballot to renew the two-tenths of one percent (0.2%) sales tax for the Transportation Benefit District (TBD). The collection of these funds must be authorized by the voters every ten years and may only be used for transportation related projects including streets, trails, and sidewalks; no additional costs may be assessed against these funds. The City of Lynden has completed many significant projects with these funds that would have otherwise not been completed, including the 17th Street extension to Main Street, the intersection of Front and 5th Streets, the 7th Street revitalization from Judson Street to Grover Street, and the extension of Foxtail Street between Eastwood Way and Bradley Meadows Lane, along with numerous chip sealing and sidewalk replacement projects throughout Lynden.</p> <p>As a part of this process the City of Lynden is asking for volunteers willing to serve on a committee to compose the "FOR" statement for the ballot measure. Additionally, if someone wishes to provide an "AGAINST" statement they may serve on an against committee. You must be a registered voter within the Lynden city limits to serve on the committees. To serve on either committee or to get more information on the process please contact the City of Lynden Administration office at (360)354-1170. The deadline for the committee statements is August 8, 2022.</p>	
Recommended Action:	Council meeting notification requirement. No action required.	