

RESOLUTION NO. 20-1358

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
BLACK DIAMOND, KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON
ADOPTING A WORK PLAN FOR FULL CERTIFICATION
BY THE PUGET SOUND REGIONAL COUNCIL OF THE
UPDATED CITY OF BLACK DIAMOND COMPREHENSIVE
PLAN**

WHEREAS, on the 2nd day of May 2019, the city adopted its 2015 Comprehensive Plan Update (Ordinance 19-1121) pursuant to the Washington State Growth Management Act (GMA); and

WHEREAS, the GMA requires that the Washington State Department of Commerce Growth Management Division review comprehensive plan updates for compliance with the GMA; and

WHEREAS, local comprehensive plans within the central Puget Sound region must be certified by the Puget Sound Regional Council for conformance to: (1) established regional guidelines and principles, (2) the adopted long-range regional transportation plan, and (3) transportation planning requirements in the GMA; and

WHEREAS, the city's updated comprehensive plan was reviewed by the Washington State Department of Commerce Growth Management Division and the Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC); and

WHEREAS, according to the PSRC, the City of Black Diamond must work to address various inconsistencies determined by the PSRC; and

WHEREAS, the PSRC Growth Management Policy Board, Transportation Policy Board, and Executive Board considered the recommendation of the "*PSRC Plan Review Report & Certification Recommendation, City of Black Diamond Comprehensive Plan*", dated January 17, 2020, and subsequently acted to conditionally certify that certain provisions of the City of Black Diamond 2019 comprehensive plan conform to the GMA and are consistent with multicounty planning policies and the regional transportation plan subject to certain findings and conditions; and

WHEREAS, the City is willing to address the issues raised by PSRC in its conditional certification and to adopt a work plan concerning the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLACK DIAMOND, WASHINGTON, DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City is committed to working toward fully addressing the conditions for regional certification of its comprehensive plan by December 31, 2020, including submittal of an amended comprehensive plan and supporting materials to PSRC for review.

Section 2. The Black Diamond City Council hereby adopts as a work plan the items identified in pages 2-4 of the "PSRC Plan Review Report & Certification Recommendation, City of Black Diamond Comprehensive Plan", dated January 17, 2020, a true copy of which is attached.

Section 3. City staff is directed to add items to the future planning docket all work required to address the issues identified in the PSRC Plan Review Report identified above within the time schedule requested.

Section 4. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon passage and signature hereon.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLACK DIAMOND, WASHINGTON, AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF, THIS 21ST DAY OF MAY 2020.

CITY OF BLACK DIAMOND:



Carol Benson, Mayor

Attest:



Brenda L. Martinez, City Clerk