

# City of Snoqualmie City-wide Tourism Plan

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#### SNOQUALMIE CITY-WIDE TOURISM PLAN



The 2019/2020 Snoqualmie City Council goals and objectives include a highly prioritized effort for completion of a citywide tourism plan.

With general guidance of the Community Development Council Committee the effort will involve expertise and assistance from numerous city and community groups, including:

**Planning Commission** 

**Economic Development Commission** 

**Snoqualmie Valley Chamber of Commerce** 

**Historic Downtown Snoqualmie Merchant's Association** 

### TIMELINE/MILESTONES



- May-September, 2019 Monitor activities during summer tourism peak season to evaluate priorities, best practices, and potential missed opportunities.
- May-June, 2019 Organize and distribute past plans and studies collectively representing the City's completed, current, and planned efforts affecting tourism.
- June-July, 2019 Dedicated time to review and familiarize with existing plans and policies. Review focus: any sections or items within existing plans and studies that relate to tourism.

## TIMELINE/MILESTONES



- July-August, 2019 Identify tourism elements already in place or completed, efforts currently under way, those that remain unfinished but remain relevant, and any that are unaddressed in any plan/study.
- August, 2019 Define a city-wide tourism plan with specific directives, objectives, metrics, and partnerships.
- **September, 2019** Create draft tourism plan and refine (2-4 months).

### TIMELINE/MILESTONES



- October, 2019 Fund identified needs for technical or specialty assistance to complete a tourism plan.
- December-January, 2020 Stakeholder and public input for City Council consideration of a draft targeted tourism plan. A town hall style meeting with the City Council is possible.
- January-March, 2020 Revisions and fine tuning of the draft tourism plan.
- March-April, 2020 Approval of the tourism plan by the City Council.
- May, 2020-Onward Implement, monitor, and report on the programs and efforts in the approved tourism plan.



Collaboration and input are welcome.

Thank You!

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