

RESOLUTION NO. 972

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE, WASHINGTON DIRECTING THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COMMISSION TO COLLECT INPUT RELATIVE TO BUSINESS ASSISTANCE UNDER THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT

WHEREAS, the City of University Place is set to receive over nine million dollars in federal American Rescue Plan Act assistance; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has identified as a potential expenditure for a portion of these funds for assistance to local businesses and households; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Chapter 1.35 UPMC, directives to the City's Commissions are to be in the form of a City Council Resolution; and

WHEREAS the City Council has created the Economic Development Advisory Commission to advise it on topics and matters relating to economic development within the city, as well as other matters as directed by the City Council;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE, WASHINGTON, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Referral to Economic Development Advisory Commission. The City Council hereby refers to the Economic Development Advisory Commission, to seek public opinion, review and provide recommendations regarding potential business assistance and related programs that could be developed and beneficial to the local business community, using those funds that the City of University Place is to receive under the American Rescue Plan Act.

Section 2. Timeline. The Economic Development Advisory Commission shall report back to the City Council with either its recommendations or a status update, no later than the week before the first City Council meeting of August 2022.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON FEBRUARY 7, 2022.

Steve Worthington, Mayor

ATTEST:

Emelita J. Genetia, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Matthew S. Kaser, City Attorney