

COUNCIL RECEIVES COMMUNITY INPUT ON ST3 PROPOSAL

SeaTac, WA (October 7, 2016) – The SeaTac City Council held a Special Meeting last night to obtain input from the community on the ST3 ballot measure prior to discussing whether to take a collective position either in support of or in opposition to the proposed ballot measure.

After receiving comments from both sides of the issue and the discussion which followed, the Council decided to remain neutral on the ST3 package. The majority of the Council commented that because the ballot measure was regional, rather than local in scope, it was not appropriate to take a definitive position on behalf of the entire community. Many members stated that local residents should be able to decide their individual vote without any undue influence. Instead, the Council passed a Motion to remain neutral on the ST3 ballot measure.

About the City of SeaTac:

Incorporated in February 1990, the City of SeaTac is located approximately midway between the cities of Seattle and Tacoma. The City of SeaTac is 10 square miles in area and has a population of 28,251. The City is a vibrant community, economically strong, environmentally sensitive, and people-oriented. The City boundaries surround the Seattle-Tacoma International Airport, (approximately 3 square miles in area) which is owned and operated by the Port of Seattle.

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