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## City Council

### Joint Meeting Between the Olympia City Council and Olympia Downtown Alliance

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**Title**

Joint Meeting Between the Olympia City Council and Olympia Downtown Alliance

**Recommended Action**

**Committee Recommendation:**

Not referred to a committee.

**City Manager Recommendation:**

Meet with the Olympia Downtown Alliance to discuss issues and concerns of mutual interest related to downtown Olympia.

**Report**

**Issue:**

Whether to meet with the Olympia Downtown Alliance to discuss issues and concerns of mutual interest related to downtown Olympia.

**Staff Contact:**

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**Presenter(s):**

Olympia City Council

Olympia Downtown Alliance

**Background and Analysis:**

The City of Olympia and the Olympia Downtown Alliance work collaboratively to support and nurture a vibrant and thriving downtown. The two organizations will use this Study Session to discuss issues of mutual interest to include public safety; housing/homelessness; economic development; cleanliness/beautification and general updates. Each topic will begin with an introductory update and then will open for discussion/questions and partnership opportunities.

**Neighborhood/Community Interests (if known):**

Downtown Olympia is South Puget Sound's regional hub for economic and social activity. The community has a great interest in Downtown being a vibrant, attractive urban destination that is safe and welcoming for all.

**Options:**

1. Have a conversation regarding issues of mutual interest related to Downtown Olympia and the work of the City and Olympia Downtown Alliance.
2. Do not have a conversation regarding issues of mutual interest related to Downtown Olympia and the work of the City and Olympia Downtown Alliance.
3. Have a conversation regarding issues of mutual interest related to Downtown Olympia and the work of the City and Olympia Downtown Alliance at another time.

**Financial Impact:**

This item is for discussion only and does not have any financial impact.

**Attachments:**

Joint Meeting Agenda  
2022 Downtown Project List