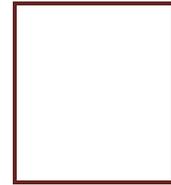




# Comprehensive Plan Amendment Proposal



## Community Development Department

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### Introduction

This application form is intended to clearly outline information regarding a proposal to amend the city of Ellensburg comprehensive plan. Provision of requested information will insure that the proposal contained herein will receive full consideration and that the individual making such proposal will be advised of all relevant public meetings, hearings, etc.

Proposals to amend the comprehensive plan may be submitted by any member of the public as well as any member of a city board or commission, member of city council, or city staff. **In order to be considered for docketing during the amendment process proposals must be submitted in writing by June 30 of each calendar year.**

### Docket Form

Complete the attached docket form and provide all information requested on the application along with any appropriate supplemental information by June 30. It is strongly recommended that an applicant submitting a docket form meet with Planning Department staff prior to submitting the form.

### Comprehensive Plan Amendment

City Council will consider all proposed amendments at its regular meeting in July. At this meeting City Council will determine which proposed amendments are appropriate and ready for consideration during the 2020 annual amendment process.

### Standard of Review

Planning may recommend and the city council may approve, approve with modifications, or deny amendments to the comprehensive plan text or land use map designations based upon the following criteria:

1. The amendment will not result in development that will adversely affect the public health, safety, and general welfare; and
2. The amendment is based upon new information that was not available at the time of adoption of the comprehensive plan, or that circumstances have changed since the adoption of the plan that warrant an amendment to the plan; and
3. The amendment will result in long-term benefits to the community as a whole and is in the best interest of the community; and
4. The amendment is consistent with other goals and policies of the comprehensive plan, and that the amendment will maintain concurrency between the land use, transportation, and capital facilities elements of the plan.