

**CITY OF BURIEN  
AGENDA BILL**

<b>Agenda Subject:</b> Motion to Adopt the Final Vision for Burien		<b>Meeting Date:</b> July 11, 2011
<b>Department:</b> City Manager	<b>Attachments:</b> Vision for Burien with proposed revisions	<b>Fund Source:</b> N/A <b>Activity Cost:</b> N/A <b>Amount Budgeted:</b> N/A <b>Unencumbered Budget Authority:</b> N/A
<b>Contact:</b> Jenn Ramirez Robson, Management Analyst		
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<b>Adopted Initiative:</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Initiative Description:</b> Advance visioning project	
<b>PURPOSE/REQUIRED ACTION:</b>		
<p>The purpose of this agenda bill is for the Council to adopt the final Vision for Burien. Staff has included proposed revisions discussed at the previous Council meeting.</p>		
<b>BACKGROUND (Include prior Council action &amp; discussion):</b>		
<p>The visioning effort will provide the City with sense of direction and framework for evaluating future policy decisions and will help shape the long-term future of Burien. The proposed vision is the result of meetings, public forums, and surveys over the past several months on what Burien residents want their community to be in the next few decades.</p>		
<p>The Council had their first look at the draft Vision at their June 6 meeting. After a June 13 open house, Brian Scott and the steering committee made further revisions based on Council and public input. The Council then considered a revised Vision at their June 20 meeting. Council came to consensus on three potential revisions, which were then sent to the steering committee for comment. The Vision for Burien document under consideration at this meeting displays those three potential revisions. After comments from the steering committee are presented, Council can then decide which revisions to keep before adopting a final Vision for Burien.</p>		
<b>OPTIONS (Including fiscal impacts):</b>		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Adopt the Vision for Burien as presented on June 20 (not including any of the three proposed revisions)</li> <li>2. Adopt a revised version of the Vision for Burien</li> <li>3. Do not adopt the Vision for Burien</li> </ol>		
<b>Administrative Recommendation:</b> Adopt the Vision for Burien with any revisions agreed to by Council members		
<b>Committee Recommendation:</b> N/A		
<b>Advisory Board Recommendation:</b> N/A		
<b>Suggested Motion:</b> Move to adopt the final Vision for Burien.		
Submitted by: Jenn Ramirez Robson <b>Administration</b>		Mike Martin <b>City Manager</b>
<b>Today's Date:</b> July 6, 2011		<b>File Code:</b> \\File01\records\CC\Agenda Bill 2011\071111cm-1 Vision for Burien.docx





*A vibrant and creative community, where the residents embrace diversity, promote vitality, and treasure the environment*

# VISION FOR BURIEN

Our Future. Our Choices.

## COMMUNITY



**Genuine**  
**Engaged**  
**Stable**

Burien residents are welcoming, know their neighbors, and work together. Burien residents enjoy robust civic and cultural participation. ~~Burien encourages stability through a variety of living choices.~~ Burien strives for stability by meeting the basic needs of all of its residents

## DIVERSITY



**Inclusive**  
**Multicultural**  
**Multi-centered**

Burien embraces diversity and welcomes all residents. Burien celebrates the many cultures and backgrounds of its residents. Burien cultivates a thriving array of business and community centers.

## ECOLOGY ENVIRONMENT



**Natural**  
**Green**  
**Livable**

Burien conserves its ~~ecological systems~~ natural environment and public waterfronts. Burien treasures parks and open spaces, and welcomes opportunities for more. Burien makes sustainable land, energy, water, and transportation choices.

## PROSPERITY



**Local**  
**Expansive**  
**Creative**

Burien values local services and supports local businesses. Burien encourages businesses in order to expand its economic base. Burien's rich palette of arts, culture, and heritage enhances its eclectic vitality.

## EDUCATION & YOUTH



**Teaching**  
**Learning**  
**Nurturing**

Burien believes that quality schools are essential to its long-term success. Burien actively promotes early childhood education and life-long learning. Burien supports its youth with programs to augment its schools.

## HEALTH & SAFETY



**Healthy**  
**Active**  
**Peaceful**

Burien promotes community vitality with health and wellness services for all ages. Burien encourages active living to support physical and mental health. Burien ensures public safety through both crime prevention and law enforcement.

## GOVERNANCE



**Responsive**  
**Effective**  
**Collaborative**

Burien's city government operates in an open & accountable manner. Burien's city government strives for organizational excellence. Burien fosters partnerships with others in pursuit of common objectives.

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