

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM
CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

AGENDA TITLE:	Community Group Presentation: Shoreline Solar Project		
DEPARTMENT:	City Manager's Office		
PRESENTED BY:	John Norris, Assistant City Manager		
ACTION:	<input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance	<input type="checkbox"/> Resolution	<input type="checkbox"/> Motion
	<input type="checkbox"/> Discussion	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Hearing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Group Presentation

PROBLEM/ISSUE STATEMENT:

Council Rule of Procedure 5.4 provides the opportunity for Councilmembers to sponsor a Community Group presentation at one meeting a month. The purpose of the Community Group presentation is to provide a means for non-profit organizations to inform the Council, staff and public about their initiatives or efforts in the community to address a specific problem or need.

Deputy Mayor Winstead and Councilmember McConnell have sponsored this Community Group presentation from the Shoreline Solar Project (SSP). Maryn Wynne and Larry Owens, Co-founders of the SSP, will be present at the Council meeting tonight to represent the SSP. As a prelude to the Solarize Shoreline campaign that the City is currently involved in with Northwest SEED and the SSP, Ms. Wynne and Mr. Owens will present "Solar 101" information to better educate the Council, staff and the citizens of Shoreline on solar energy. Topics will include the main types of solar energy systems currently available and what systems work great in the Pacific Northwest.

More information about the SSP can also be found on their website (www.shorelinesolar.org), and more information about the Solarize Shoreline campaign can be found at www.solarizewa.org.

RESOURCE/FINANCIAL IMPACT:

There is no resource or financial impact anticipated from this presentation.

RECOMMENDATION

No action is required. Staff recommends that the Council hear from the Shoreline Solar Project and ask questions of the presenters.

Approved By: City Manager **DT** City Attorney **MK**