
Council Meeting Date: July 22, 2002

Agenda Item: 2(b)

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM
CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

AGENDA TITLE: Commendation for Shoreline Police Explorers DEPARTMENT: Police/CMO PRESENTED BY: Denise Pentony, Police Chief
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PROBLEM/ISSUE STATEMENT: The Shoreline Police Explorers participated in the 2002 Colorado Regional Explorer Competition in Denver. They competed against large cities such as Denver, Los Angeles and Phoenix and took first and second place in several events.

Along with their Explorer Advisor Officer Steve Marshall, the Explorers will attend tonight's Council meeting to receive a commendation acknowledging their accomplishments at the competition and also the many hours of service the Explorers contribute to the City of Shoreline.

RECOMMENDATION

No action is required.

Approved By: City Manager  City Attorney 

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COMMENDATION

WHEREAS, the Shoreline Police Explorer Post was established in September, 2000; and

WHEREAS, at the present time fourteen youths participate in the Explorer Program under the supervision of Explorer Advisor Officer Steve Marshall; and

WHEREAS, in the Explorer Program, participants are taught procedures to handle various law enforcement situations; and

WHEREAS, Explorers provide a variety of volunteer services to the City and staff nearly every public event held in Shoreline; and

WHEREAS, three of our Explorers, Joshua Holmes, Jesse Baltzell, and Michael Leigh, participated in the 2002 Colorado Regional Law Enforcement Explorer Challenge in Denver, competing against representatives from much larger cities; and

WHEREAS, Explorers took first, second and third place in events focused on Building Searches, High Risk Traffic Stops, Domestic Violence and High Risk Entry;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Jepsen, Mayor of the City of Shoreline, on behalf of the Shoreline City Council do hereby commend

Joshua Holmes, Jesse Baltzell, and Michael Leigh

for their success in the Explorer Challenge and extend our thanks to all our Explorers for their many contributions to the health and safety of our community.

Scott Jepsen, Mayor

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