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FIFE CITY MAYOR WINSTON MARSH RESIGNS TO FOCUS ON HEALTH

Fife, WA – Fife City Mayor Winston Marsh has announced his resignation as Fife Mayor and Councilmember effective on February 21, 2017. At this time, Marsh will be focusing on his health and family.

Mayor Marsh noted that serving on Fife City Council has been a great honor and privilege, and he is pleased to have worked alongside his fellow Councilmembers for the residents of Fife. “I’ll miss serving the citizens of Fife greatly, but am proud of the City Council and staff and what we’ve been able to accomplish together,” he said. Marsh added that his decision to resign from the City Council “was necessary for me to focus on my health, well-being and family at this time in my life.”

Deputy Mayor Bryan Yambe said that the community and staff will miss Marsh’s kindness, sense of humor, and leadership. “We fully support Winston to do what he feels is best for his health and family, but we will certainly miss his presence,” Yambe said.

Mayor Marsh was elected to be the 12th Mayor of Fife in January of 2016 and has served on Fife City Council for a total of just over three years. Per the Fife City Council Rules, Deputy Mayor Bryan Yambe will perform the duties of the Mayor until the Council elects a Mayor to serve the remaining term, through the end of this year.

The [Fife City Council](#) consists of seven members, elected to four year terms. The Council serves as the legislative branch of Fife's government. They are responsible for establishing policy, voting appropriations, developing the City's vision and mission, and passing local ordinances, resolutions, and proclamations. They are also responsible for appointing the [City Manager](#) and the members of the City's [Commissions](#).

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