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At the local level, the City of Redmond continues their work on the Redmond 2050 Plan as mandated by the State of Washington. OneRedmond continues to review updates to the plan, ask questions and provide feedback to the planning team.

At the regional level, OneRedmond met with King County Council President Claudia Balducci to talk about the needs in economic and workforce development in Redmond and East King County.

OneRedmond continues to work with our regional partners to support solutions to our most challenging problems. The OneRedmond CEO will be participating in a Legislative Wrap Up Event this fall with the East King Chamber Coalition to advocate for jointly supported issues.

At the state level, OneRedmond is working with Washington State Department of Commerce to identify ways to support the Satellite and New Space industry to ensure these good-paying manufacturing jobs remain a priority for our state.

OneRedmond is thrilled to have Senator Manka Dhingra confirmed for our fall Coffee with Leaders event. Senator Manka Dhingra has been a strong champion for Redmond and East King County.

At the federal level, OneRedmond CEO participated in a roundtable with Senator Patty Murray after her tour and Press Conference on U.S./China Competitiveness at Lake Washington Institute of Technology (LWIT). Participants in the roundtable discussion included Dr. Amy Morrison, President of LWIT; King County Councilmember Claudia Balducci; Robin Toth, Aerospace Director at the Washington State Department of Commerce; Gus Williams, Workforce Development Manager at CleanTech Alliance; and Kristina Hudson, CEO of OneRedmond.

PHOTOS AND B-ROLL OF THE EVENT HERE

OneRedmond continues to help our congressional members in a variety of ways, including identifying businesses to participate in roundtables, and supplying economic data surrounding the needs and opportunities for our region. As the only public/private economic development entity in East King County, we have been an ongoing resource for our leaders.