

August 3, 2017

Bertha Knight Landes Room, City Hall – First Floor

SPEAKER FORUM

Date & Time:

August 3, 2017

12:00 – 12:10 Introduction

12:10 - 12:45 Presentation

12:45 – 12:55 Q&A

12:55 – 1:00 Closing

Location:

City Hall

600 4th Ave,

Bertha Knight Landes Room

City Hall – First Floor

Seattle WA 98104

Price:

Free

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Registration:

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CITY BUDGET 101

Course Overview:

Come and Learn about the City Budget:

- City Revenues and Expenditures
- Issues Affecting the Budget Outlook
- CBO's Budget process

Ample time is scheduled for small group discussions and Q&A.

About the Speaker: Jeanette Blankenship

Jeanette Blankenship is the Deputy Director in the City of Seattle Budget Office. The City Budget Office (CBO) manages the City's \$5.5 billion budget for City services. Jeanette previously worked directly on the budgets and policies related to human services, housing, human resources and city planning. Initially starting her career as a teacher in New York City, she became interested in how government can be a positive force for change. Prior to returning to her hometown of Seattle in 2012, Jeanette lived in and worked to improve how government functions in New York, California, Texas, and Minnesota. She holds degrees from Northwestern University and the University of California, Berkeley.

Special Instructions:

As this event is offered during your lunchtime, please feel free to bring along your lunch and preferred drink. Small sweets and bottled water will be offered.

Seats are limited. Please RSVP by Wed, July 26th.