

Martin Yamamoto

Martin Yamamoto is a product of Eastern Washington having lived and worked on the family farm as a young adult before attending Seattle University where he obtained his undergraduate degree in Business. Prior to serving as the Fiscal Manager for the City of Seattle Police Department from 2014-2021, Yamamoto built an impressive resume including his graduate education, entrepreneurship, business consulting and a depth of expertise in finance and operations management. Yamamoto has over 18 years of public service experience with the City of Seattle devoting his career to serving local communities. In 2021, Yamamoto gained the confidence from the City of Mill Creek City Council as he was appointed as the Interim City Manager with a vote of 6-0 and 1 abstained. Yamamoto's management philosophy is driven by two fundamental principles, sustainable growth and community-centricity. "A City's growth is critical to economic stability, and this means focusing on the needs of residents and businesses while improving on the stakeholder experience," said Yamamoto. Yamamoto holds a Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration, emphasizing accounting from Seattle University's Albers School of Business, and an MBA in Strategy and Management from his alma mater. Yamamoto is inspired daily by his two teenage daughters and family. In his free time, he likes to travel, exercise, and stay knowledgeable on the economics of the housing market.

