

## The City of SeaTac 2016 Earth Week Events

The City of SeaTac will hold several coordinated events in recognition of Earth Week.

### City Recycling Collection Event

Tyee Educational Complex Parking Lot, 4424 S. 188th Street  
Saturday, April 23, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
NO commercial loads. NO yard debris.  
ree confidential shredding. Limited rain barrel sale.  
Cash only when fees apply; residents to pay vendors directly.  
Appliances, scrap metal, motor oil and antifreeze, tires,  
EPS Styrofoam, cardboard and more.

For more information please contact Trudy Olson at 973.4763.  
To see the flyer click [HERE](#) or visit the City's Calendar  
on the City of SeaTac's website and click on the event link under April 23.

### Annual Community Litter Cleanup Event

Saturday, April 23, 9:00 - 11:30 AM

**Volunteers needed!** Individuals/groups/businesses are encouraged to 'Step Up for SeaTac' and help in this city-wide litter cleanup event and be part of enhancing our community. Volunteers will gather at the Valley Ridge Park area (adjacent to the Tyee Educational Campus) at the area labeled Community Litter Cleanup and be assigned to a team. Each team will be given gloves, garbage bags, trash pickers and safety vests. Volunteers will be dispatched to areas of the city to clean up and bag trash. Event ends at 11:30 AM. Team captains will return city equipment. City trucks will pick up trash bags during and after the event.

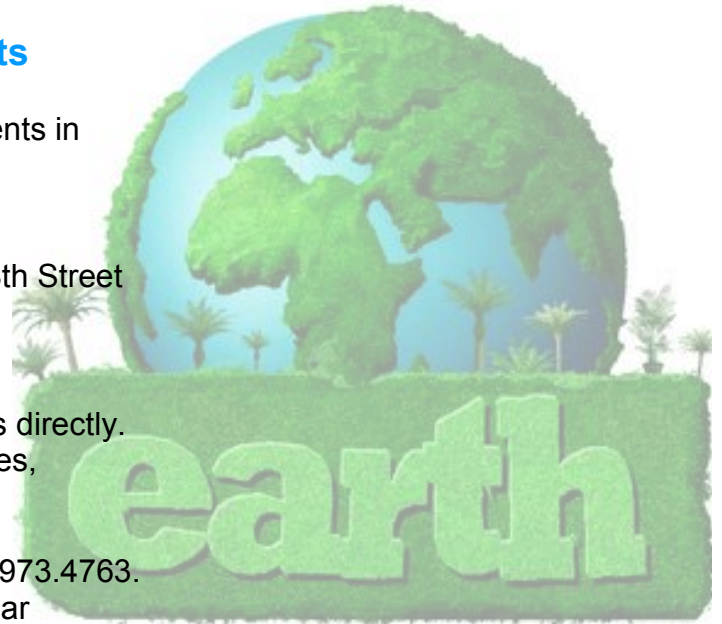
For more information, or to sign up individually or as a team, please contact Resource Conservation/ Neighborhood Programs Coordinator Trudy Olson at 973.4763.

### Parks Beautification Event

Neighbors Without Borders Action Committee Cleanup Event  
Saturday, April 23, 9:00 AM - Noon

Celebrate Earth Day with your neighbors and help clean up North SeaTac Park. Wear blackberry proof clothes, sturdy shoes or boots and gloves. Meet in the SeaTac Community Center lower west parking lot (13735 24th Avenue S.). Refreshments and door prize provided by Neighbors Without Borders Action Committee. For additional information please contact Pam Fernald at 244.7315.

Eagle Scout Toni Vea from local troop 290 will provide 40 volunteers to assist with the Neighbors Without Borders Action Committee in the clean-up effort.



## Friends of Des Moines Creek Volunteer Event in Recognition of Earth Day

The *Friends of Des Moines Creek* and community volunteers have been removing ivy and other invasive plants, and planting in the buffer for over 17 years. Although you can really see a difference now, important work needs to continue. This event will focus on removing ivy and Himalayan blackberry in Beach Park and the Des Moines Creek buffer.

**What:** Ivy removal project to improve the natural areas along Des Moines Creek. Learn techniques on how to manage your own ivy and the hazards of ivy on trees and structures.

**When:** Saturday, April 23, 2016  
9:00 AM to Noon

**Where:** Meet in the north parking lot of the Des Moines Beach Park (upstream, over the car bridge, at the circular driveway). Please be on time, so the group can discuss the work and start as a team.



**What to Bring:** Energy, work gloves, rubber boots that can get muddy, snacks and water. Please dress for the weather/work conditions. Bring rain pants and knee pads if you have them as much of the work requires bending over or kneeling to pull and dig ivy. Some people bring cardboard to kneel on. Tools will be provided, but please bring your favorite weeding tools. Please bring the following items if you have them: picks, Mattox's, two-way saws, loppers, and crow bars as they are especially helpful in ivy removal.

Children are welcome, under 12 with one-on-one adult supervision.

Please save the date, spread the word, and join in on this event!

Email [laurahartema@yahoo.com](mailto:laurahartema@yahoo.com) with "volunteer" in the subject line and note how many will be in your party for planning purposes.

For more information please contact Laura Hartema by her email above or at 650.9001.

*Three primary receiving waters are located within the City of SeaTac: 1) Angle Lake, 2) Des Moines Creek, and 3) Miller Creek.*

## King County Wastemobile Opportunity for SeaTac Residents



The Wastemobile travels to many communities to provide hazardous waste disposal services for King County residents and qualifying businesses. The Wastemobile operates Friday, Saturday and Sunday from 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM. The Wastemobile accepts a wide variety of materials and is free of charge. All King County residents can safely dispose of aerosol cans (if not empty), household cleaners, hobby chemicals, oil-based paint, pesticides, spray paint, thinners & other solvents, and many other household hazardous waste items at no cost at the Wastemobile events.

SeaTac residents are encouraged to bring their household hazardous waste to the Wastemobile collection event in Des Moines for the weekend listed below.

Dates: Friday, April 22 – Sunday, April 24  
Hours: 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM  
Location: 22307 Dock St., Des Moines Marina

Restrictions: No latex paint accepted. There is a limit of 50 gallons total hazardous waste per residential customer (25 gallon limit for qualifying businesses) per day at all Wastemobile events. No more than 30 gallons of gasoline will be accepted from residents (25 gallon limit for qualifying businesses). No containers over five gallons in size will be accepted. Limit of 10 fluorescent tubes/bulbs.



Safe handling: Do not mix products. Keep products in their original containers; label products that are not in their original containers. Secure products so they do not tip over and/or leak; transport similar, sealed containers upright, in cardboard boxes. Secure the load in the vehicle or trailer, and store products away from the passenger compartment.

The traveling Wastemobile is funded through a surcharge on solid waste disposal and wastewater discharge. As a result, residents bringing material to the Wastemobile are not charged a fee on site. The cost premium underscores the importance of making waste prevention a King County top priority.

For more information on what you can bring, what NOT to bring, and how to safely transport hazardous materials, visit [www.hazwastehelp.org/wastemobile.aspx](http://www.hazwastehelp.org/wastemobile.aspx) or call the Household Hazards Line at 296.4692 or 1.888.869.4233. For more information on requirements for businesses and additional disposal options for businesses visit [www.hazwastehelp.org](http://www.hazwastehelp.org) or call the Business Waste Line at 263.8899.

## Website Links

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## National Pharmaceutical Drug Take Back Day

April 30, City Hall Lobby

The National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day aims to provide a safe, convenient, and responsible means of disposing of prescription drugs, while also educating the general public about the potential for abuse of medications.



As with the previous events the lobby of SeaTac City Hall will be open on Saturday April 30 from 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM so that residents may bring their used or expired prescription medications for safe disposal.

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Joseph Scorcio  
Acting City Manager

