



## City Hall will be closed on November 23 & 24, 2017 For Thanksgiving

### Comments Sought on Proposed Airport-Related Agreement

On November 9, the Port of Seattle and the City of SeaTac released a proposed interlocal agreement (ILA) regarding the Seattle-Tacoma International Airport and other Port properties within the City. The new proposal continues the partnership between the Port and the City which began in 1997 and, if adopted, will replace the current agreement which expires in February 2018.

Sea-Tac Airport is located entirely within the City of SeaTac boundaries, covering over 40 percent of the city's land area. The proposed ILA addresses the overlapping authority between the City and the Port concerning such issues as planning, land use and zoning, transportation, surface water management, critical environmental areas and public safety. The purpose of the ILA is to jointly establish a mutual and cooperative system to recognize jurisdictional authorities and to avoid disputes. It is intended to provide transparency, predictability and consistency when addressing operations of Sea-Tac Airport and the City of SeaTac, and reduces the potential for litigation between the Port and the City.

The entire proposed ILA (updated with November 21 review), an Executive Summary and an updated Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) page are on the City's website (City of SeaTac). **The City Council is still seeking public input on this important decision.**

A briefing on the proposed ILA was provided during the November 14 Council Study Session and a joint public Open House was held on November 16, at the SeaTac Community Center to provide more information and gather comments and questions. A detailed presentation will occur at the November 28 Council Study Session.

The Council is currently scheduled to continue its discussion and deliberation at both the November 28 Study Session, and December 12 Regular Council Meeting. The Port of Seattle Commission also has meetings and presentations scheduled for the same dates.

In addition to accepting public comments during those meetings, comments and questions are encouraged to be sent directly to: [ILAComments@ci.seatac.wa.us](mailto:ILAComments@ci.seatac.wa.us). The Port of Seattle Commission is also accepting comments at [Port.SeaTac.ILA@portseattle.org](mailto:Port.SeaTac.ILA@portseattle.org). Both the City Council and Port Commission request all comments to be submitted by December 5.



## Flight Corridor Safety Program Update From Port

Last year, the Port Commission called for more community engagement before determining the removal and replanting approach for over-height trees on the last Port properties where work was scheduled to occur (Sites P-4 and P-5). Using input submitted at a June 5 community workshop and through an online open house, the Port developed a preferred approach for both sites that reflect the community's feedback. This approach calls for removing only existing obstructions and preserving, to the extent feasible, all other trees and vegetation.

Since the last update on September 15, there have been some adjustments to the schedule:

- Work on Site P-4 continues. Site P-4, within the City of SeaTac, is south of S. 200th Street and just west of the Des Moines Creek Trail parking lot. The selective removal work is complete and invasive species removal and replanting should commence shortly.
- Selective removal and site stabilization work on P-5 is now expected to begin later this month. P-5, also in the City of SeaTac, is south of S. 200th Street and west of 18th Avenue S., the access road to the SCORE jail. Invasive species removal and replanting in P-5 will commence in the fall of 2018.

Site preparations and replanting for the planned tall-growing forest just south of P-5 and north of the SCORE jail will also begin in the fall of 2018.

Visit the online open house library for all materials connected to the program, including materials from the June 5 workshop. To keep up-to-date about the Port of Seattle and Port-wide activities, please sign-up to receive Connections, the Port's twice-monthly email newsletter.

## Port's Community Tree Planting Event

On December 2, a Saturday, from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM, join Port employees as they plant Douglas fir saplings just south of P-5. The saplings will come from Port property where they could eventually grow tall enough to become aircraft obstructions. By transplanting them to a new location a safe distance away, they will contribute to the Port's efforts to restore well-functioning native forests around the airport's perimeter.

Volunteers are asked to meet at the SCORE jail parking lot at 20817 17th Avenue S., in Des Moines at 9:30 AM. Clothes and shoes appropriate for working outdoors in late fall weather are recommended. The Port will provide snacks and tools. To confirm your participation, send an email to [safecorridor@portseattle.org](mailto:safecorridor@portseattle.org).



## Valley View Library ~ November 2017 Events

17850 Military Road S., SeaTac, WA 98188 ~ 206.242.6044

### Children & Families

#### Family Story Times

Monday, December 4 and 11, 7:00 PM  
Thursday, December 7 and 14, 10:00 AM  
All ages welcome, ages 5 and younger with adult.  
Stories, rhymes, songs and dance!

#### Fun by the Fireside Sing-Along Show

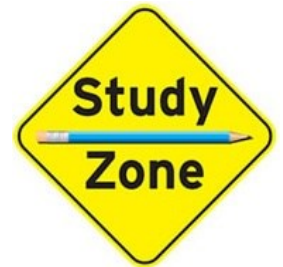
Thursday, December 21, 1:00 PM  
Presented by Elephant Umbrella (Mike Gervais and Lisa Taylor). Family program, all ages welcome with adult. It might be cold outside but here's your chance to pretend you're enjoying hot cocoa and cozying up to an imaginary fire while singing and dancing along to memorable tunes about fall and winter.

#### Breakout Box–Winter Break Edition

Thursday, December 28, 12:00-1:00 PM  
Ages 6 to 12.  
Solve a bunch of clues and puzzles to unlock the mystery box and find the hidden prizes!

#### Study Zone

Monday, December 4 and 11, 6:00-8:00 PM  
Tuesday, December 5 and 12, 6:00-8:00 PM  
Wednesday, December 6 and 13, 6:00-8:00 PM  
Thursday, December 7 and 14, 6:00-8:00 PM  
Grades K-12.  
Drop in for free homework help from trained volunteer tutors.



### Adults

#### Citizenship Classes

Wednesdays, 10:00-11:30 AM  
Learn how to become a United States Citizen. Study for the naturalization test, including civics questions, reading and writing English and practicing your interview skills. Classes are free, join anytime!

#### Drop-In to Learn about eBooks

Saturday, December 23, 3:00-4:00 PM  
Learn how to download eBooks, magazines, comic books, movies and other online services from KCLS! Bring your eReader, tablet, phone-or just your questions.

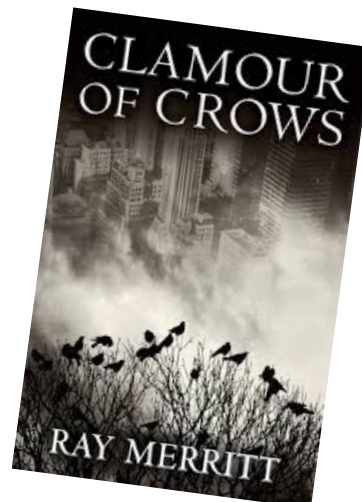
#### Talk Time Classes

Wednesdays, 1:00-2:30 PM  
Practice speaking English with other English language learners. Learn about American culture and meet people from around the world. Classes are free, join anytime!

#### Computer Class: Microsoft Word 2013 Level 1

Saturday, December 30, 2:00 PM  
Learn and practice word processing, enter and format text, cut and paste, work with files. Must be able to use the mouse and keyboard. Please register.

**Valley View Library Book Club**  
**Clamour of Crows by Raymond Merritt**  
Tuesday, December 26, 7:00-8:30 PM



# Public Works Project Updates

## 12th Place and 13th Avenue S. Overlay Project

The scope of this project includes pavement repair, asphalt paving and stormwater improvements on 12th Place S. and 13th Avenue S. between S. 200th Street and S. 207th Street and S. 207th Street between 12th Place S. and 14th Avenue S. Highline Water District (HWD) will be replacing all of their water lines and services within the project limits.

- 100% plans, specifications and estimate are being prepared
- Construction is planned for March/April 2018

## S. 168th Street Stormwater System Improvements

- Work is complete

## ADA (American Disability Act) Transition Plan

- Data collection is complete and the draft plan is being developed
- A public meeting is scheduled on February 1, 6:00 PM in the Council Chambers

## Permit Parking Program

- Draft "Best Management Practices" document and matrix of proposed treatments is complete and is being reviewed internally
- Project selection process is ongoing

## Military Road and S. 152nd Street

Improvements for this road reconstruction and safety project include construction of buffered bike lanes; curb and gutter; sidewalks; new pavement; installation of street lighting; upgraded and interconnected signalization with pedestrian crossings; construction of a right turn lane on eastbound S. 152nd Street; and the elimination of the skewed intersection at Tukwila International Blvd. and Military Road S. This project is scheduled for construction in the summer of 2018.

- Continued preparation of figures for property owner outreach
- Development 60% plans is beginning
- Coordination with property owners is underway

## S. 166th Street Sidewalk Project

This Safe Routes to School Program grant funded project includes construction of sidewalks, curb and gutter, storm drainage facilities, installation of an enhanced crosswalk and radar speed feedback signs. This project is scheduled for construction in the summer of 2018.

- Draft NEPA documentation is complete and under review
- A public meeting was held on October 25
- 30% design is in review

## 2018 Overlay Project

This project will reconstruct Military Road S. between S. 209th Street and the I-5 bridge. Work will include "rubbelization" of the existing concrete road in place and overlaying with hot mix asphalt, construction of storm water improvements, addition of pedestrian facilities and bicycle lanes, signal upgrades, roadway channelization, and permanent signing.

- A project kickoff meeting occurred on November 14
- Survey is complete
- Preliminary design has begun

## S. 200th Street/26th Avenue Intersection Project

The scope of this project includes the grind and overlay of the intersection at S. 200th Street and 26th Avenue S., installation of ADA compliant sidewalks and ramps, pedestrian signal upgrades, signal loop detectors and channelization.

- A project kickoff meeting occurred on November 14
- Survey is complete
- Preliminary design has begun

## Pavement Condition Survey

IMS Infrastructure Management Services LLC will be conducting a detailed inventory and condition rating of all city streets beginning October 16. The survey is scheduled to be complete by November 24.



## Website Links

[Home Page](#)

[Event Calendar](#)

(click Event Calendar link for upcoming meeting agendas)

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[ClicknRequest.CityofSeaTac.com](http://ClicknRequest.CityofSeaTac.com)

## Tree Lighting & Festive Fun

SeaTac Community Center  
Thursday, December 7, 5:00-7:30 PM

Let's celebrate the beginning of the holiday season together. Festivities kick-off at the SeaTac Community Center at 5:00 PM with arts & craft projects for children. Live entertainment begins at 5:30 PM. There will be refreshments and pictures with Santa

Claus. The lighting of the Christmas tree will take place at 7:00 PM on a tree outside of the community center. It will be a fun and festive evening for the entire family. Happy Holidays!



## Winter Weather Is Here

With winter weather setting in, our City will likely be impacted by wind, rain and snow over the next several months. In the event of an emergency, you should call 911; however, to report non emergency maintenance issues such as: damaged roadway infrastructure, spot flooding, downed trees, spills and other types of public works related issues, please use the following contact information to notify our maintenance folks:

Between 7:00 AM and 3:30 PM - call  
206.973.4770.

After Hours, call King County 24-Hour Dispatch  
at 206.296.8100.

OR

Use Click N Request from our Website to write  
in.

**Again, to report a true emergency, Please  
call 911.**

## Firefighters Pay for Senior Lunch

Local firefighters (Kent Firefighters Foundation and Kent Firefighters Local 1747) will be at the SeaTac Community Center to help serve up a delicious luncheon at the Senior Program on Wednesday, November 29. The firefighters will also be picking up the tab for lunch for the seniors! This is the second time they have paid for and helped serve a senior lunch and they plan to come back a few more times in 2018.

A blue ink signature of Joseph Scorcio.

**Joseph Scorcio**  
City Manager

