

### Tyee High School Students Present Mock Trials at City Hall

On Thursday this week U.S. History students from Tyee High School visited City Hall to present their mock trial arguments on historic Supreme Court decisions to City employees posing as U.S. Supreme Court Justices.



The students came dressed to impress and presented petitioner and respondent arguments of historical Supreme Court cases. Students answered difficult questions from staff justices and staff justices provided feedback, scoring, and comments to contribute to students grading on their arguments, briefings, and presentations.

This is one of many annual events the City partners with Tyee High School on in support of our mentorship program designed to benefit our City's youth. Kudos to the students for their hard work and impressive arguments!



### Blood Drive at SeaTac City Hall

The City of SeaTac Wellness Committee is once again partnering with BloodWorks Northwest for a blood drive at SeaTac City Hall on Wednesday, June 19, from 12:30 PM to 3:30 PM.

This event is open to the public. If you would like to participate, please email [Bart Perman](mailto:Bart.Perman@bloodworks.org) to sign up. Walk-in appointments are also available between scheduled appointments.



# SeaTac Elevator Repair

Closes June 17 for 2 months

## *Elevator access to International Boulevard will close for 2 months, shuttle available*

The elevator connecting International Boulevard and the SeaTac/Airport LINK station is in need of major repairs and will close June 17 for 2 months. The stairs will remain open. For those with accessibility needs, a shuttle will run between International Boulevard and S 176 St., and the Arrivals loop of the Airport at door 8.

### What

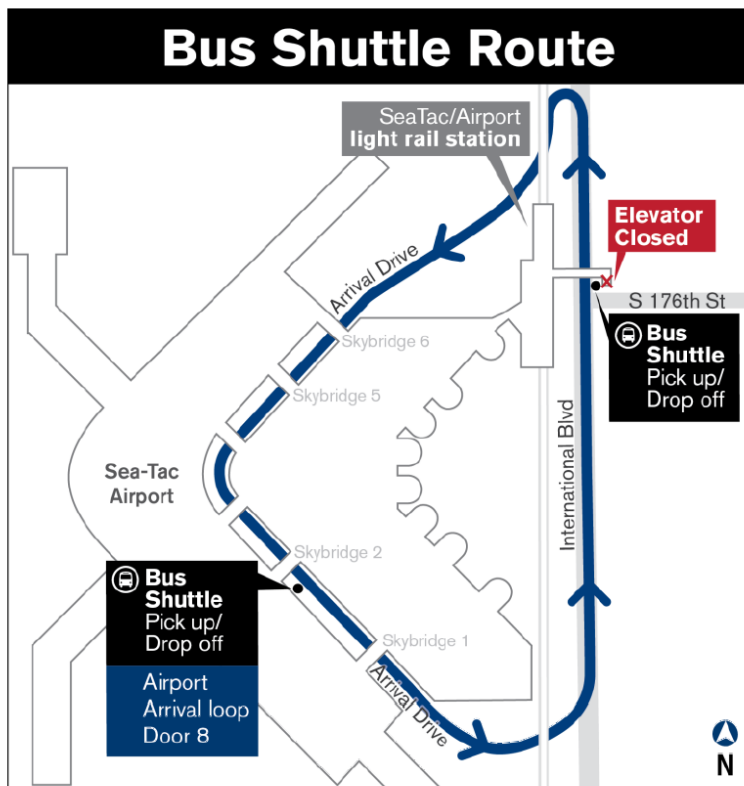
SeaTac elevator closure and shuttle service between International Boulevard and the Airport.

### When

June 17, lasting for approximately 2 months.

### Where

The elevator connecting International Boulevard and 176 St to the SeaTac/Airport LINK station.



### More

- ▶ You can catch the shuttle at International Boulevard and 176 St. at the bus stop adjacent to the elevator. Look for the sign and shuttle that says “LINK shuttle to airport”. You can also catch the shuttle on the Arrivals loop at door 8 (on level 3).
- ▶ The shuttle will run during the hours of operation for LINK light rail (approximately 5 am – 1:30 am) every 15 minutes.
- ▶ For shuttle status updates or stop location information call 360-543-9380
- ▶ Priority access to the shuttle will be given to individuals and parties with mobility devices such as wheelchairs, walkers, and crutches, or passengers with disabilities who are unable to navigate stairs.
- ▶ The shuttle will be operated fare free.
- ▶ Due to ongoing wear and tear, the elevator has reached a point where it needs to be replaced. This will allow for better elevator reliability in the future.

**Contact us:** Alex Ko, [alex.ko@soundtransit.org](mailto:alex.ko@soundtransit.org) or 206-903-7269.

Shuttle operator: 360-543-9380.

## Major Traffic Detour on Des Moines Memorial Drive

The City of SeaTac Public Works Department is working to improve Des Moines Memorial Drive South for residents, freight traffic, and commuters by grinding and overlaying new asphalt pavement along the roadway this summer. The construction project will begin on Monday, June 3, and is estimated to be completed by Friday, October 2, 2019.

During the four-month construction period, crews will be shutting down lanes along Des Moines Memorial Drive South between South 128th Street to South 136th Street. Drivers are advised to find alternate routes around the area, as these lane closures will impact drivers who utilize this stretch of roadway.

King County Metro will be closing bus stops located along the affected route during the duration of the project. Stops #50010 and #49400 will remain open.

King County Metro is placing temporary stops near South 128th Street and South 136th Street outside of the construction limits for customers to use during the project. Visit King County Metro's [website](#) for additional information.

STOP	LOCATION (OPEN)
50010	Des Moines Memorial Drive & South 128th Street
49400	Des Moines Memorial Drive & South 136th Street

STOP	LOCATION (TEMPORARILY CLOSED)
49430	Des Moines Memorial Drive & South 128th Street
49420	Des Moines Memorial Drive & South 132nd Street
50020	Des Moines Memorial Drive & South 132nd Street
49410	Des Moines Memorial Drive & South 134th Street
50030	Des Moines Memorial Drive & South 134th Street

In addition to the new asphalt pavement, the City will be upgrading the roadways with multiple safety improvements for pedestrians. The City will be installing:

- New curb ramps for wheelchairs and bicyclists
- New pedestrian signals to make it easier for people to cross the street safely
- New push-button crosswalk signals at the intersections to meet current Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards
- New traffic detection systems at stoplights in order to alert the signal when cars are waiting, which will improve traffic flow

Additionally, crews will be replacing and upgrading the stormwater infrastructure. New catch basins will be installed along with larger replacement stormwater pipes. A stormwater quality treatment vault will be installed within the existing system. These upgrades will improve stormwater flow and limit the amount of flooding along the roadway during heavy rainfall.

## Tyee High School Valedictorian Visits City Council



Diana Garcia Diaz is graduating at the top of her class at Tyee High School. She is the school Valedictorian.

On June 11, Diaz and her mother attended the Regular City Council Meeting to be honored for her achievement and to also lead the Pledge of Allegiance at the beginning of the meeting.

Diaz will be attending Gonzaga University where she will be studying Electrical Engineering.

Congratulations to her and all the graduates for their accomplishments.

## City Employee Recognized as Volunteer of the Year

On Friday June 14, 2019, Senior Planner Kate Kaehny was recognized as the Tyee High School DECA Chapter Volunteer of the Year.

Kaehny did a wonderful job of walking the students through the City Center Sub-Area plan-revision process.

The students provided broad insight into what they see as the future for SeaTac development.



## New Council Committee Appointments

The City Council confirmed two new members, Savio Pham and John Paul Oden, to the Airport Advisory Committee.

Mayor Erin Sitterley stated she interviewed and appointed these two applicants because she felt they would both be a benefit to the committee. Councilmember Wachtel, Airport Committee Chair, welcomed the new members.



## Link the World Event

Join us at the Angle Lake Light Rail Station on Saturday, June 29, from 12:00 PM to 6:00 PM for our first annual 'Link the World' music and arts festival.

The event will feature an assortment of art from local artists and a variety of musical entertainers. In addition, amazing food will be available for purchase from local entrepreneurs through the Food Innovation Network.

For more information check out the flyer below, or visit the event [webpage](#).

# Link the WORLD

Connecting SeaTac through Art, Food, and Entertainment

Sound Transit Angle Lake Station

19955 28th Ave. S., SeaTac



**SATURDAY, JUNE 29**  
**12-6 PM**

Noon	Tim Oliverson – Opening Event <i>(Scottish Highland Bag Pipes)</i>
12-1:30 PM	James Whetzel <i>(Sarod/Palm Wine Guitar/Beats Stuff)</i>
1:30-2 PM	Spoken Word
2-3:30 PM	Byron Street Swing <i>(Gypsy Jazz)</i>
4-5:30 PM	Alfredo Chavez <i>(Latin American &amp; World Music)</i>

Food for sale from Food Innovation Network entrepreneurs.

Variety of art displays from local area artists.



SeaTac Community Center – 206.973.4680

## Lifeguards On Duty all Summer at Angle Lake

Starting Monday, June 24, Angle Lake Park will have a full team of lifeguards on duty from 12:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Due to a nationwide shortage of lifeguards two summers ago, we were unable to find guards for Angle Lake Park. Last summer, we had them at the park five days a week.

This summer we will have guards every day of the week through September 3 (Labor Day). This will include four guards Monday through Friday and five guards scheduled on Saturdays and Sundays. More guards are available for when the weather is especially hot.

This will significantly increase the safety of swimmers at the park. In addition, there will be a full team of seven lifeguards on duty from 12:00 PM to 8:00 PM for our annual Family 4th of July Celebration.

## Citizen Advisory Committee Vacancies – Applications Are Being Accepted

Want to be more involved with the City of SeaTac? Want to provide a valuable service to your community and be more informed about City business? Let your voice be heard! Consider joining a Citizen Advisory Committee.



The following Citizen Advisory Committee has a vacancy with applications accepted until **July 12**:

- Community Services Advisory Committee

The following Citizen Advisory Committees have vacancies with applications accepted until filled:

- Senior Citizen Advisory Committee
- Sidewalk Advisory Committee

If you are interested in serving on a committee and would like to download an application, visit the City's [website](#), or contact the City Clerk at 206.973.4661 or [cityclerk@seatacwa.gov](mailto:cityclerk@seatacwa.gov).

All positions are appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council.

## New Transit Option

King County Metro, Sound Transit, and City of Seattle launched a new on-demand shuttle service called [Via to Transit](#) that will make it more convenient to take transit in southeast Seattle and Tukwila.

Residents can use the Via app or call 206.258.7739 to hail a ride to and from [five Link light rail stations](#) (Mount Baker, Columbia City, Othello, Rainier Beach, and Tukwila



# June Upcoming Events:

## Wednesday the 19th—Blood Drive

- 12:30 PM—3:30 PM
- City of SeaTac City Hall Parking Lot (4800 South 188th Street, SeaTac)
- Walk-ins welcome around scheduled donors. Call 206.973.4891 to register.

## Tuesday the 25th—Regular Council Meeting

- 6:00 PM—9:00 PM
- City of SeaTac City Hall Council Chambers (4800 South 188th Street, SeaTac)
- Click [here](#) to view the agendas, packets, and handouts.

## Saturday the 29th—Link the World Music & Arts Festival

- 12:00 PM—6:00 PM
- Angle Lake Station (19955 28th Avenue South, SeaTac)
- For more information and to view the flyer, please click [here](#).

# July Upcoming Events:

## Thursday the 4th—City Hall Closure: Independence Day

- 8:30 AM—5:00 PM
- City of SeaTac City Hall and all City Facilities
- Please call (206) 973-4820 with any questions or concerns.

## Thursday the 4th—Family Fourth of July

- 12:00 PM—11:00 PM
- Angle Lake Park (19408 International Boulevard, SeaTac)
- Click [here](#) for more information and to view the flyer.

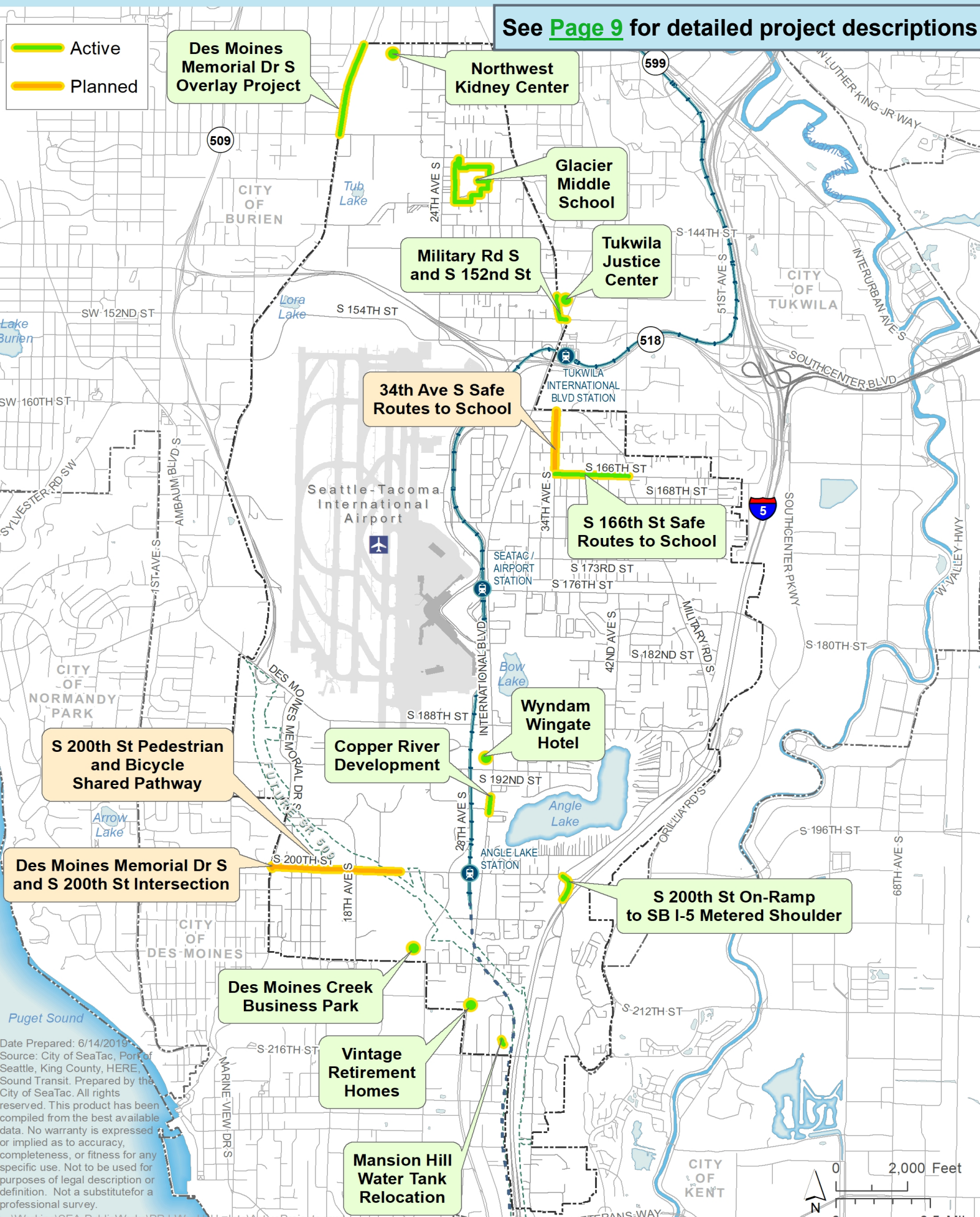
## Tuesday the 9th—Regular Council Meeting

- 6:00 PM—9:00 PM

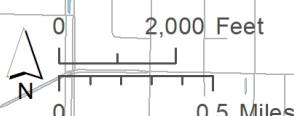


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- Active
- Planned



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# Public Works Project Updates

## **Alert: Lane Closures on 24th Avenue South and South 208th Street**

**Paving for the Des Moines Creek North project will cause single-lane closures along 24th Avenue South near South 208th Street all-day Monday, June 17. If you have any questions, please contact the City of SeaTac Engineering Department at 206.973.4720.**

## **South 166th Street “Safe Routes to School” Project**

This “Safe Routes to School” grant-funded project includes construction of sidewalks, curbs and gutters, storm drainage facilities, installation of an enhanced crosswalk, pedestrian lighting, and radar speed feedback signs. **Construction is substantially complete. Crews are currently working on final restoration, striping, and installing pedestrian lighting. Public Works is grateful to the community for their patience and cooperation throughout the duration of this project.**

## **Military Road South and South 152nd Street**

Improvements for this road reconstruction and safety project include construction of bike lanes, curbs and gutters, sidewalks, new pavement, installation of street lighting, upgraded and interconnected signalization with pedestrian crossings, construction of a right turn lane on Eastbound South 152nd Street, and the elimination of the skewed intersection at Tukwila International Boulevard and Military Road South. **On May 14, Johansen Construction Company was awarded the contract to construct this project. Construction is expected to begin on June 24.**

## **2019 Annual Overlay Project—Des Moines Memorial Drive South**

This project will overlay Des Moines Memorial Drive South from South 128th Street to South 136th Street. Pavement repair, storm drainage infrastructure, and traffic signal improvements are also included in the scope of work. **Mile Resources is the contractor for this project and construction has begun.**

## **Des Moines Memorial Drive South and South 200th Street Intersection**

Improvements for this intersection include construction of bike lanes, curbs and gutters, sidewalks, new pavement, installation of street lighting, a new traffic signal system with pedestrian crossings, left turn lanes for all approaches, and construction of a right turn lane on westbound South 200th Street. **Final design and right-of-way acquisition are in progress. Advertising for construction bids is tentatively scheduled for July of this year.**

## **34th Avenue South Project**

This “Safe Routes to School” project includes construction of sidewalks, curbs and gutters, storm drainage facilities, installation of an enhanced crosswalk, pedestrian lighting, landscaping, and underground conversion of aerial utilities. **Design and right-of-way acquisition are ongoing. Advertising for construction bids for this project is scheduled for December of this year.**

## **South 200th Street Shared-Use Path**

This project includes building a new separated shared-use path along South 200th Street between 12th Place South and the Des Moines Creek Trailhead. The project will provide pedestrian connections to street improvements that will be constructed at the intersection of Des Moines Memorial Drive South and South 200th Street, and a connection to existing pedestrian and bicycle facilities accessing the Angle Lake Light Rail Station. **Design and right-of-way acquisition are in progress. Advertising for construction bids for this project is scheduled for December of this year.**

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Carl Cole