

City Accepts \$125,00 Flood Control Grant

On Friday, October 4, Mayor Erin Sitterley accepted a \$125,000 grant check from King County Councilmember Dave Upthegrove who is also the Vice Chair of the King County Flood Control District. Also on hand to accept the check was Deputy Mayor Clyde Hill and Councilmember Peter Kwon.

The King County Flood Control District announced this week that the City of SeaTac will receive an award to design a flood reduction facility and study alternatives that would halt flooding at the end of South 180th Street.



((Pictured left to right, Public Works Director William Appleton, Deputy Mayor Clyde Hill, Mayor Erin Sitterley, King County Councilmember Dave Upthegrove, Councilmember Peter Kwon, Civil Engineer Lauren Kirk))

“This grant will help the City of SeaTac alleviate localized flooding which is preventing some of our underserved populations from traveling to and from their homes and work,” said SeaTac Mayor Erin Sitterley.

“By partnering with cities and other community organizations, we can ensure local flood reduction efforts are successful and compliment the regional work of the King County Flood Control District,” said Flood Control District Vice Chair Dave Upthegrove.

Now in its sixth year, the Flood Reduction Grant program provides funding for municipalities, tribes, school districts, and homeowner associations to address flooding risks not caused by the major rivers of King County. This award is part of more than \$3.6 million in grants approved by the Flood Control District in 2019.

“With this Grant, the City will move forward with a proposed project to design, permit, and install, a drainage collection and conveyance system that will eliminate flooding at the end of South 180th Street,” said Public Works Director William Appleton. “In addition, the installed catch basins will include storm drain markings to increase awareness of stormwater pollution and improve source control outreach efforts.”

National Prescription Drug Take Back Day



Saturday, October 26
10:00 AM—2:00 PM
SeaTac City Hall Lobby

The City of SeaTac Police Department and the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration will provide the public with an opportunity to prevent pill abuse and theft by ridding their homes of potentially dangerous drugs.

- Controlled, non-controlled, and over the counter substances accepted
- Only pills and patches accepted—no liquids, needles, or sharps
- This program is free and anonymous—no questions asked or requests for identification

Participants may dispose of medication in its original container or by removing the medication from its container and disposing of it directly into a disposal box. If an original container is submitted, the individual should be encouraged to remove any identifying information from the prescription label by either removing the label or utilizing a permanent marker.



SeaTac Recycling Collection Event

On Saturday October 5, from 9:00 AM—3:00 PM in the Tyee High School parking lot (4424 South 188th Street) the City of SeaTac Public Works Department is sponsoring a recycling event.

The Fall 2019 SeaTac Recycling Collection Event will provide an opportunity for King County residents to recycle motor oil, antifreeze, batteries, scrap metal, porcelain, shredded paper, latex paint, CFL light bulbs, cardboard, non-recycle electronic items, household goods, clothes, and Styrofoam.

You're Invited to Celebrate Fall & Plan for the Future!

Come to the Airport-Adjacent/City Center Neighborhoods Community Planning Meeting

- **Date:** Wednesday, October 23
- **Time:** 6:30 PM—8:00 PM
- **Location:** McMicken Heights Elementary Cafeteria (3708 South 168th Street)

First reason to come: Share your vision!

As part of the [City Center Plan Update Project](#), the City has been collecting ideas from community members and stakeholders on what the area next to the airport should be like in the future.

Please join your neighbors from Bow Lake, McMicken Heights, and other nearby communities to give us your opinion on these questions and others:

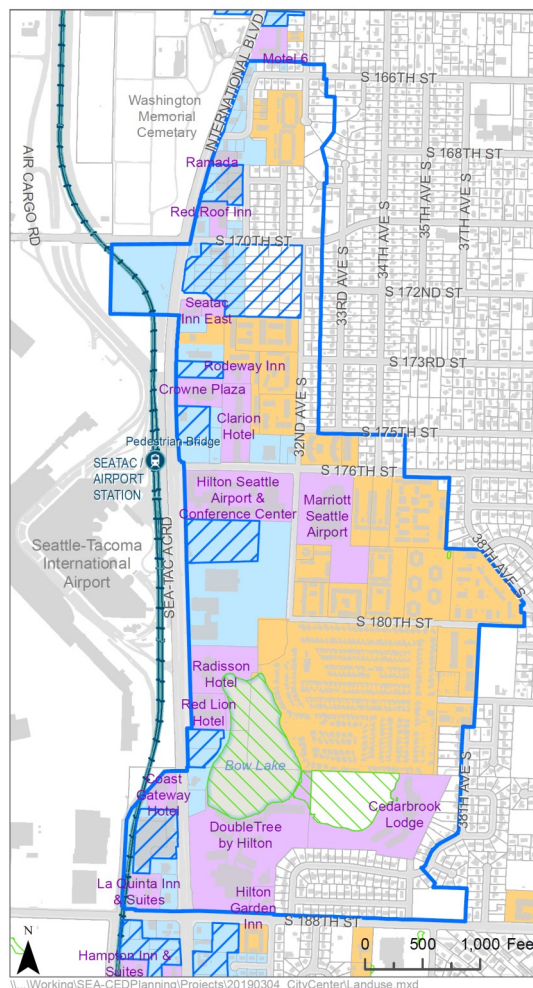
- What's it like to live, work, walk, take transit, or drive in the area?
- What do you like about the area today?
- What things could be improved?
- What should it be like in the future?

Second reason to come: Have fun!

Talk to your neighbors, do kid-friendly crafts with pumpkins, enjoy refreshments, and maybe even win a door prize!

We hope to see you there!

If you have any [website](#) or email Kate kkaehny@seatacwa.gov.



questions, visit the [project](#) Kaehny, Senior Planner, at

Purple Light Nights® at City Hall and SeaTac Community Center



Select trees at City Hall and the SeaTac Community Center will be glowing purple in the month of October in recognition of Domestic Abuse Awareness Month. Purple Light Nights® was founded by the Covington Domestic Violence Task Force and is now recognized across the country and across the world. Purple is the symbolic color of domestic violence and the lights will bring attention to this difficult topic.

At the October 8 City Council meeting Mayor Sitterley will read the Proclamation recognizing SeaTac's participation in the awareness month. Community member Benita Gottesman will be in attendance to

accept the Proclamation.

If you or anyone you know is experiencing or has questions regarding domestic violence, please contact Brigitta Victim and Crisis Intervention Advocate at 206.973.4634. Even if you are not a City of SeaTac resident, she can refer you to someone who can assist you.

Volunteer Efforts Keeping SeaTac Playgrounds Safe

On Monday, September 30, Seattle Christian Middle School students volunteered at the SeaTac Community Center to assist Parks Operations staff by spreading wood fiber safety surfacing around the play equipment at the playground.

Adding the wood fiber play chips is necessary as part of ongoing maintenance to help prevent serious injuries if someone falls on the playground. Thank you from Seattle Christian volunteering their time in



to the staff and students Middle School for the community!



Tyee Parent Alerts Police to Student With Gun on Campus



On Friday, September 20, a parent of a Tyee student reported that they believed another student had brought several guns to school due to a post they saw on his social media account.

School security conducted a safety search of the student and his vehicle. A gun was located in the center console.

Detectives wrote a search warrant and retrieved the loaded gun along with some narcotics from the vehicle. The student was booked into the Youth Services Center.

The student has a long criminal history and was just recently released after serving time for a robbery. Detectives are still trying to locate the remaining guns the student posted on social media.

Citizens Advisory Planning Committee

The Citizens Advisory Planning Committee (CAPC) is the primary component of citizen participation in the planning processes of the Puget Sound Regional Fire Authority (RFA). The CAPC is an extension of the RFA Governance Board with responsibility to review, validate, gather, and provide citizen input on strategic deployment and planning documents for the RFA, and work with the RFA staff to develop recommendations to the RFA Governance Board.

The CAPC may also provide additional input, feedback, and guidance to the RFA staff and RFA Governance Board on issues critical to developing a strong relationship between the community and the RFA.



Mission of CAPC:

- Learn about Puget Sound Regional Fire Authority
- Listen to our community as representatives of assigned station areas
- Act as a conduit to the RFA Governance Board

Purpose of Meetings:

- Communicate the RFA's purpose and programs to the community
- Increase the RFA's visibility, credibility, and importance to the community
- Assess and provide advisory recommendations on community needs and resources
- Provide feedback from different perspectives
- Provide an open forum for public discussion on the RFA's related issues

For more information, click [here](#), or email [Kristi Weaver](#), Staff Liaison, or [Larry Rabel](#), Division Chief of Assessment and Planning.

October Upcoming Events:

Saturday the 5th—SeaTac Recycling Collection Event

- 9:00 AM—3:00 PM
- Tye High School Parking Lot (4424 South 188th Street, SeaTac)
- Click [here](#) for more information

Tuesday the 8th—Regular Council Meeting

- 6:00 PM—9:00 PM
- City of SeaTac City Hall Council Chambers (4800 South 188th Street, SeaTac)
- Click [here](#) for the agenda, packet, and handouts

Tuesday the 22nd—Blood Drive at City Hall

- 12:30 PM—3:30 PM
- City of SeaTac City Hall Parking Lot (4800 South 188th Street, SeaTac)
- Email [Bart Perman](mailto:Bart.Perman@seatac.wa.gov) to make an appointment

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Saturday the 26th—Prescription Drug Take Back Day

- 10:00 AM—2:00 PM
- City of SeaTac City Hall Lobby (4800 South 188th Street, SeaTac)
- For more information please call (206) 973-4800

Tuesday the 29th—Open House: Comprehensive Plan Amendments

- 5:30 PM—7:00 PM
 - City of SeaTac City Hall Council Chambers (4800 South 188th Street, SeaTac)
 - Click [here](#) for more information
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November Upcoming Events:

Saturday the 2nd—Holiday Bazaar

- 9:00 AM—3:00 PM
- SeaTac Community Center (13735 24th Avenue South, SeaTac)
- Click [here](#) for more information

Monday the 11th—Veterans Day

- All day

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 Committees have vacancies with applications accepted until positions are filled:

- Community Services Advisory Committee
- Hotel/Motel Tax Advisory Committee
 - *(Person involved in activities authorized to be funded by revenue received from the Lodging Tax)*
- 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.

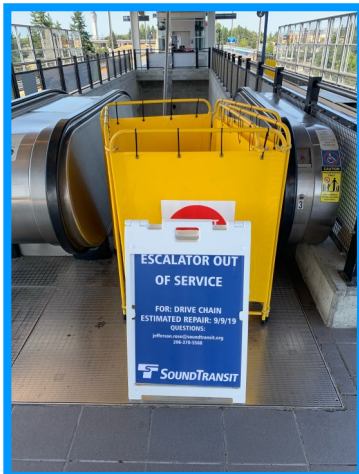
All positions are appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council.

Sound Transit Rider Alert

SeaTac Airport Station: Repairs on the escalators at the SeaTac Airport Station continue as a new drive chain is being installed. Sound Transit estimates reopening the escalators in October.

Angle Lake Station: The elevator at the Angle Lake Station Garage is broken and is expecting repairs to be finished in October.

For more information contact Jefferson Rose at jefferson.rose@soundtransit.org or (206) 370-5568.





APPLY ONLINE!
2020census.gov/jobs

The U.S. Census Bureau is an
Equal Opportunity Employer.

Now Hiring! - US Census Bureau

The US Census Bureau is recruiting people locally for temporary jobs to assist with the 2020 Census count. The pay scale for King County is \$18.50 - \$25.50 per hour. To be eligible for a 2020 Census job, you must:

- Be at least 18-years-old
- Have a valid Social Security number
- Be a U.S. citizen
- Have a valid email address
- Complete an application and answer assessment questions
- Be registered with the Selective Service System or have a qualifying exemption, if you are a male born after December 31, 1959
- Pass a Census-performed criminal background check and a review of criminal records, including fingerprinting
- Commit to completing training
- Be available to work flexible hours, which can include days, evenings, and/or weekends.

Most jobs require employees to:

- Have access to a vehicle and a valid driver's license, unless public transportation is readily available
- Have access to a computer with internet and an email account (to complete training)

Please click [here](#) if you are interested in learning more and to apply.

Public Works Project Updates

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. **Johansen Construction Company started construction on June 24. Current work includes utility-related construction.**

Des Moines Memorial Drive South—South 128th Street to South 136th Street

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. **This project is substantially complete and working towards final closeout. Click [here](#) for more information.**

South 200th Street/Interstate 5 Southbound Metered Shoulder

The City of SeaTac Public Works Department is working in collaboration with the Washington State Department of Transportation to make improvements to the South 200th Street on-ramp. Construction crews will be widening the shoulder along the South 200th Street on-ramp to construct one metered lane and one peak-hour metered lane. In addition, crews will be improving drainage, signage, and lighting, and will also be relocating utilities. **The metered shoulder ramp opened to traffic on August 28. The project is on suspension until permanent traffic signal pole and mast arm are delivered (anticipated January 2020). Click [here](#) for more information.**

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. **Rodarte Construction was awarded the construction contract at the September 24 Regular Council Meeting. Construction is anticipated to start by November 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. The project is scheduled to start construction in 2020.**

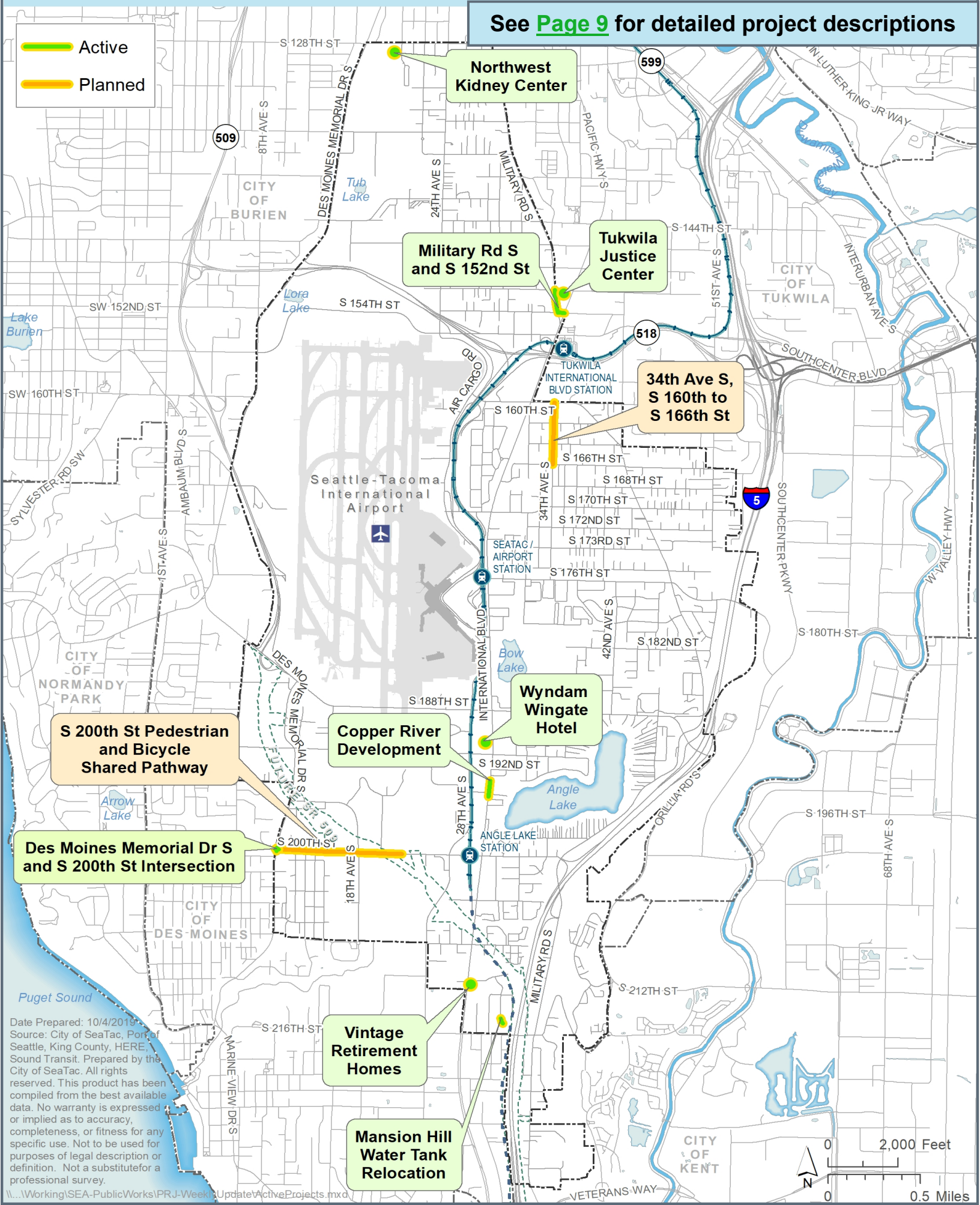
South 200th Street Shared-Use Path

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. The project is scheduled to start construction in 2020.**

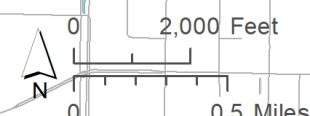


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- █ Active
- █ Planned



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Carl Cole