

Mayor's Day of Concern for the Hungry

The City of SeaTac is supporting the **"Mayors' Day of Concern for the Hungry"**

Our City and neighboring communities have a high percentage of individuals and families living in poverty and in need of meeting basic food needs. The City urges everyone to donate to the local food banks and other food distribution organizations to help nourish those who are hungry. Collection bins for non-perishable food items only will be available in the first, second and third floor lobbies of SeaTac City Hall (4800 South 188th Street) and the SeaTac Community Center (13735 24th Avenue South) starting Thursday, September 25 during regular business hours. The collection will also take place at SeaTac City Hall's first floor lobby through Prescription Drug Take Back Day on September 27 from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM.



Public Meeting about Comprehensive Plan Update



What does SeaTac's future look like? City staff is looking forward to the year 2035, and we would like to hear your thoughts.

Why 2035? We are in the process of updating the Comprehensive Plan, which was last updated in 2004. The updated Plan will look at how we should grow and improve, addressing the needs of current City residents and businesses, and new population and employment over the next 20 years: 2015 - 2035.

What is the Comprehensive Plan? The Comprehensive Plan is the City's "roadmap to the future." It covers all aspects of city development from transportation and land use to housing and parks/recreation, and all points in between.

The Planning Division and the Public Works Department are hosting a public meeting to show you where we are on updating the Plan, and to hear your thoughts about how we move forward together.

Date: October 8, 2014
Time: 7:00 - 8:30 PM
Location: SeaTac Community Center (13735 24th Avenue S., SeaTac)

For more information, contact Mike Scarey, [mscarey@ci.seatac.wa.us](mailto:m scarey@ci.seatac.wa.us) or 973.4750.

Please join us!



Federal Way Link Extension Light Rail

During October and November, Sound Transit will be notifying residents via mail if their property could potentially be affected by one of the Federal Way Link Extension light rail alternatives. If residents have questions, please contact Tralayne Myers, Sound Transit, Community Outreach Specialist, 398.5014, tralayne.myers@soundtransit.org. Sound Transit will schedule time to meet with the property owner and answer questions.

For more information about the Federal Way Link Extension visit www.soundtransit.org/FWextension.

Traveling Wastemobile Event – Burien/SeaTac

The King County Wastemobile travels to many communities to provide household hazardous waste disposal services for King County residents. This free mobile service operates at different locations in King County from March to October. Bring your household hazardous waste to the Wastemobile collection event in Burien for the weekend listed below.

Dates: Friday, September 26 through
Sunday, September 28
Hours: 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Location: Burien Fred Meyer, 14300 1st Avenue S.



Restrictions - No latex paint accepted. There is a limit of 50 gallons total hazardous waste per **residential** customer per day at all Wastemobile events. No more than 30 gallons of gasoline will be accepted from residents. 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 Wastemobile accepts a wide variety of materials and is free of charge. For more information on what you can bring, what NOT to bring, and how to safely transport hazardous materials, visit the Wastemobile website at <http://www.lhwmp.org/home/HHW/wastemobile.aspx> or call the Household Hazards Line at 296.4692 or 1.888.869.4233 (TTY Relay:711).



Valley View Library

Friends of the Valley View Library Book Sale

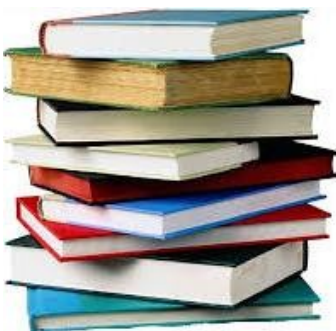
The Friends of the Valley View Library Book Sale is Saturday, September 27! Friends support the Library by funding valuable programming in the library and throughout the community.



Book Buddies

Every Friday, 2:30 - 4:30 PM

Help your child practice reading while making a new friend! Children in Kindergarten through 4th grade or students who need help reading in English are invited to stop by the Children's Area of the Valley View Library for a 10-20 minute reading session with a teen helper. Teen volunteers have literacy training.



Family Story Time

Join Miss Julie for Family Story Time on Mondays at 7:00 PM and Thursdays at 10:00 AM.

If you're interested in volunteering, keep in mind that the Valley View Library relies on volunteers for Talk Time, Citizenship Test Prep sessions, computer classes and one-on-one assistance, Study Zone (tutoring), and Book Buddies (reading practice). Come to Valley View Library or call 242.6044 for more information.

DEA National Pharmaceutical Take-Back Day at SeaTac City Hall

The Federal Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) and participating local law enforcement are coordinating a nationwide drug "take back" day on September 27 from 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM. This one-day event will provide residents with no cost anonymous collection of unwanted or expired medicines. The State of Washington had 89 collection sites and collected 16,677 pounds of expired and unwanted medications last April – the second-largest collection of pharmaceutical drugs in eight Take Back events for the state. Your continued participation is appreciated.

Why Take Back Your Meds?

All medicines that your family and pets use should be properly disposed of at a drug take-back program. Medicine take-back programs are the only secure and environmentally sound way to dispose of leftover and expired medicines. Also, take-back programs:

Reduce access to medicines for misuse. Prescription drug abuse is the fastest-growing drug problem in the country. In Washington State 11% of teens use prescription medicines for non-medical reasons—a rate among the highest in the nation. Over half of teens abusing medicines get them from a family member or friend, often without their knowledge.

Reduce potential for accidental poisonings. Unwanted medicines left in the home endanger our children, seniors and pets. Over half of the calls to the Washington Poison Center were for young children poisoned by medicines found at home. The elderly are also at risk of accidental poisonings and human medications are the leading cause of pet poisoning.

Reduce medicines in the environment. Don't flush! Don't trash!

Flushing drugs send them into our waters. Throwing them in the garbage makes them available for others to take and use and can still get into the environment.

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Temporary closure of 28th Avenue S. in SeaTac

Beginning as early as Monday, September 29 and continuing until Friday, October 10 all lanes of 28th Avenue S. between S. 188th Street and S. 190th Street (across from the Hampton Inn & Suites) will be closed to through traffic. Local access to businesses on 28th Avenue S., in the closure area will be maintained.



Sound Transit's contractor, PCL Civil Constructors and KLB Construction will be repairing a damaged storm sewer line in the area. Local access will be maintained to the Hampton Inn & Suites, Wally Park and Alaska Airlines Flight Operations Center. A posted detour will be in place to get around the work zone. For more detailed information please see [Sound Transits Construction Alert](#).

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Todd Cutts".

Todd Cutts, City Manager

Back to School Tip

As students begin a new school year, tuck special notes inside their lunchboxes or backpacks. In addition to reinforcing reading skills, you're modeling the power of writing and will be sure to bring a smile to your child's face.

To learn more about the *Let's Read!* summer reading campaign, please visit letsreadingkingcounty.org.

