

Party on the Plaza!

The City, along with local sponsors, invite you to join us for a Party on the Plaza in conjunction with the grand opening of the Sound Transit Angle Lake Light Rail Station on Saturday, September 24 from 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM. There will be entertainment, music, refreshments, and raffles.

Click [here](#) for the flyer.

We Want to Hear From You!

The City Council will host its second Town Hall Meeting of 2016 from 6:00 - 8:00 PM on Thursday, October 6, at the SeaTac Community Center located at 13735 24th Avenue S. in SeaTac. Attendees at the meeting will have the opportunity to ask questions of the SeaTac City Council. If time limits the number of questions the Council can respond to, the public may choose to receive a return phone call from a Councilmember after the meeting.

If there is a need for interpreter services, please contact the City at 973.4800 by September 28, and we will attempt to accommodate your request.

Click [here](#) to view the event flyer.

Welcome to Angle Lake, Light Rail Passengers

On Friday, September 9, Joshua McNichols from KUOW-FM (National Public Radio member station in Seattle), interviewed Parks, Recreation and Facilities Director, Lawrence Ellis on the past and current state of Angle Lake Park and the impact Sound Transit may have on the park. The article addresses the transformation of the park over the years, the climate of the park since the City of SeaTac's incorporation as well as the number of recreational programs offered to the residents.

You can read the article, [here](#).

Garden Celebration

Celebrate the completion of the Community Garden/Urban Agriculture project on Wednesday, September 28, 5:30 – 7:00 PM, at the SeaTac Community Center (Next to the Senior Center Entrance).

Join us for refreshments while you learn about the new SeaTac community garden, which will open in spring 2017. This is a family friendly event that will include brief updates on the project, an optional tour of the garden site and pumpkin decorating activities for children. See the [event flyer](#) for more information. We hope to see you there!



CONSTRUCTION ALERTS

Due to ongoing construction projects in the area SeaTac residents can expect to experience traffic impacts in the following areas.

- **S. 188th Street & 42nd Avenue S.**

Watch for increased traffic due to construction of several new homes at the Reserve at Angle Lake Subdivision.

- **International Boulevard and S. 204th to S. 208th due to paving on 24th Avenue S.**



- **Military Road and S. 200th Street**

Sound Transit has partnered with the Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) to improve the intersection of Military Road S. at S. 200th Street. This intersection will be widened and realigned with new traffic signals to allow for easier motorist travel between I-5, the future Angle Lake light rail station, and other City of SeaTac destinations.

- **Continued traffic impacts on 24th Avenue S. - S 142nd Street to S 128th Street**

Continued construction slowdowns due to the 24th Avenue South Overlay Phase 2 project. Traffic will be impacted during working hours with flaggers managing one-lane closures through the work areas. Grinding and paving of roadway surface will take place in the next two weeks.

This project will improve the existing storm drainage system, replace damaged sidewalk and curb, and provide a new driving surface. Questions and concerns regarding this project can be directed to Janet Mayer, Assistant City Engineer, 973.4742.

- **I-5 Tukwila to Federal Way**

Southbound I-5 will be reduced to one lane from S. 288th Street to S. 320th Street from 11:59 PM to 4:30 AM overnight Friday, September 23, and overnight Saturday, September 24, and from I-405 to SR 516/Kent Des Moines Road from 10:00 PM Saturday, September 24, to 10:00 AM Sunday, September 25. Lanes will begin closing at 8:00 PM and all lanes will reopen by noon. This work is weather dependent.

Valley View Library – September Events

17850 Military Road S. - 242.6044

Children & Families

Family Story Times

Monday, September 26, 7:00 PM & Thursday, September 29, 10:00 AM
Family program, all ages welcome with adult. Stories, songs and fun!

Tweens & Teens

Study Zone

Thursdays 6:00 – 8:00 PM & Mondays 6:00 – 8:00 PM
Grades K-12. Drop in for free homework help from trained volunteer tutors.

Adults

Computer Class: Microsoft Excel Level 1

Tuesday, September 27, 7:00 PM

Learn how to perform calculations using formulas, copy formulas with the fill handle and use Autosum for quick addition. Prerequisite: Ability to use the mouse and keyboard.

Valley View Library Book Club

Reader's Choice!

Tuesday, September 27, 7:00 PM - Bring in a book to talk about. Join the Valley View Library's monthly book group for lively literature discussion.

Valley View Library will be closed beginning Saturday, October 1 for an interior remodel and are expecting a reopening date in December.

New Apartments Approach Opening

The Reserve at Angle Lake, the new 289 unit senior housing development is nearing completion and is currently taking applications for tenants. The apartments located on International Boulevard just north of the Angle Lake light rail station will have studio, one- and two-bedroom units. The Reserve is being developed by a private company which specializes in both senior and family housing.



POLICE NEWS

City of Des Moines; Efforts to Clean Up S. 216th Street

On the morning of September 20, 2016 Des Moines Public Works and Police Departments, worked together to clear the vacant lot on the south side of S. 216th Street at 28th Avenue S. This lot has been a notorious gathering point and hiding location for a variety of criminal transactions in the neighborhood.

This should help us with the crime issues that affect the businesses and neighborhoods on the SeaTac side of the street. SeaTac Police Department is coordinating with Des Moines PD and businesses to continue to address the crime in this area. Good work, Des Moines!

Stolen Vehicle Recovery and Arrest Yields Evidence of Multiple Crimes

In the early morning hours of September 16, SeaTac Officer Mark Atterbury stopped a vehicle that was acting suspiciously in the area of S. 200th Street and 30th Avenue S. Deputy Atterbury's investigation determined that the vehicle had been stolen several days earlier; the license plates had been removed and a fraudulent, temporary trip permit had been taped to the rear window. Three of the adult occupants of the vehicle were arrested for outstanding warrants (theft, narcotics, possession of stolen property and possession of stolen mail). In addition to recovering the stolen vehicle, Deputy Atterbury recovered the following evidence of additional criminal activity; felony charges are being considered.

Methamphetamine and related paraphernalia	Electronic magnetic strip reader/scanner
Counterfeit US currency	Credit cards with multiple names
Social Security Cards with multiple names	Phone cards and Retail gift cards
WA state driver's license	Men's wallet

Traffic Stop Leads to Drugs and Evidence of Other Crimes

On September 21 at about 1:00 PM Deputy Seth Moore stopped a car that was being driven erratically in the 2800 block of S. 154th Street. On the rear window of the car was a fraudulent temporary trip permit. The driver of the vehicle was arrested for two outstanding warrants (DUI and Driving while License Suspended). During the course of the investigation, Deputy Moore found 19 grams of methamphetamine and evidence that the driver was involved in selling narcotics. He also found credit cards that appeared to be stolen. The driver was booked for her warrants and the narcotics violations. Additional misdemeanor charges are being considered as well.

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Joseph Scorcio
Acting City Manager

Fall Weather Heating Safety Tips

Fall is officially here and we're starting to see the change of seasons. Leaves are turning, days are shorter, and the nights are getting a little chilly.

One of the things that happens when the weather turns colder is that home heating systems come on for the first time since last winter.

Here are some tips that will help protect your family as we transition into the fall and winter seasons.

- Have your furnace system inspected and serviced by a licensed professional. This includes looking at the exhaust vent that leads to the outside of the house. Insects, birds, and other animals can create blockages that can force carbon monoxide from gas furnaces back into the home.
- Have chimney and wood stove flues inspected for creosote buildup which can limit the escape of smoke and can lead to a chimney fire.
- Dispose of fireplace ashes properly by placing them in a tightly sealed metal container. Do not store the container near combustibles such as a deck, house, or fence. Hot coals in ashes can retain their heat for several days after being removed and should never be stored in a paper or plastic bag.
- Move combustibles such as clothing, bedding, and drapes away from baseboard and other electric heaters.
- Plug portable heaters directly into wall outlets. Using extension cords can lead to overheating and fires.

Also remember to having working smoke and carbon monoxide alarms in your home. Change the batteries when you change your clocks to standard time on the first Sunday of November.

