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LOVE LYNNWOOD—Summer Events

Join the City of Lynnwood and our community partners this summer for free, family-fun events! Be sure to sign up for Lynnwood eNews and follow us on social media to receive event updates and news!



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National Night Out

National Night Out Against Crime will be celebrated all across America on Tuesday evening, August 7. During National Night Out (NNO) residents turn on their porch lights, lock their doors and go out to meet their neighbors in the name of crime prevention.

The Lynnwood Police Department, in partnership with South Snohomish County Fire & Rescue, and other city departments, encourages residents to organize a neighborhood event to bring

neighbors together. By involving several households in each neighborhood everyone shares in the fun of creating a real community building “block

party.” It could be as simple as a dessert potluck in a garage, hot dogs grilling poolside at an apartment complex, or a barbecue gathering in a driveway.

The LPD and its partners try to visit as many neighborhoods as possible to connect with residents during this fun event.

To register your Lynnwood neighborhood party, contact Nic Li with the LPD Crime Prevention Unit at nli@LynnwoodWA.gov or 425-670-5639.

Fair on 44th

Saturday, September 8, 2018, 10am-2pm, 44th Ave in front of the City’s Civic Campus

Lynnwood’s Health & Safety Community Block Party is back! Join us for demonstrations, vehicles tours, activities and games for your family, food trucks and much more! For more info visit www.LynnwoodWA.gov/Fairon44



INSIDE: Read about many more free summer events!

Message from Mayor Nicola Smith

Why We Are Growing



Lynnwood is growing. In the last year we've added 1,100 new housing units and there are more on the way. There are several major road projects and infrastructure upgrades underway. You've seen a lot of new private development bringing new businesses and industries to our City. But why are we growing?

The Washington State Growth Management Act (GMA) is a law that requires state and local governments to manage Washington's growth by identifying urban growth areas to protect critical areas and natural resource lands. The Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC) has designated Lynnwood as one of the 28 Regional Growth Centers in the Puget Sound area. Growth Centers are expected to be areas of high-density and high-intensity land development served by robust transit service.

As a Growth Center, Lynnwood is obligated to plan for and accommodate the population and employment targets set forth by PSRC. By the year 2035, Lynnwood's population target is expected to be over 54,404—that's an increase of over 18,000 residents!

The City has been laying the foundation to prepare for this growth for many years. Through our Comprehensive Plan, City Center Plan, Community Vision, Budgeting for Outcomes and now our Strategic Plan 2018-2022, we're ensuring that we are managing the change and not letting the change manage us.

This growth is inevitable. What we do to prepare is up to us. The City Council, City staff, and I are dedicated to setting up our City for great success. We are working collaboratively with our regional partners and community members, making long-term and sustainable policy decisions, and keeping our promise as a safe, welcoming, inclusive and livable city. In my opinion, the future of Lynnwood looks bright!

Help Shape Priorities for the 2019-2020 Budget

Monday, June 4th 6pm-8:30pm
Lynnwood Convention Center

You're invited to a goal-setting budget workshop! Chat with members of the City Council and department directors, learn about what's happening in Lynnwood and hear our financial forecast. Then provide your thoughts and input on budget priorities and outcomes. All community members are invited to attend!

In addition to this community discussion, there will be many opportunities throughout the budget process to provide your input. Be on the lookout for announcements in *Inside Lynnwood*, on our City's website, and through *Lynnwood eNews*.



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For more information: Contact Corbitt Loch at cloch@LynnwoodWA.gov or call 425-670-5406 or visit www.LynnwoodWA.gov/Government/Budget-and-Finance.htm

Mayor Smith's 2018 State of the City Address

Thursday, June 21, 8-9:30am,
Lynnwood Convention Center

Free and open to the community



Love Lynnwood—Summer Events, continued



Cops & Kids

Saturday, June 2nd, 10am-1pm,
Terrace at Alderwood Mall

Meet members of the Lynnwood Police Department, up close & personal tours of police vehicles, motorcycles, and equipment, K-9 demos, prizes & giveaways, and more!



Sandlot Cinema—Movies in the Park

Peter Rabbit, Aug. 16th, Lynndale Park

Wonder, August 23rd, Lynndale Park

Activities at 7:30pm; movies begin at dusk.
More info: www.HealthyLynnwood.com

Ubuntu

Saturday, August
18th 10am-4pm,
Wilcox Park

The Snohomish County NAACP presents “Ubuntu: A Multi-Cultural Arts Expose,” Visual arts, performances, vendors, and information on health, wellness, financial literacy and access to higher education.

More info at <https://naacp-snoco.org/annual-events/>



Afro Latino Festival

Sunday, July 29, Scriber
Fields west of Cedar Valley
Community School at 58th Ave
W & 194th St SW, Lynnwood.

A free, family-fun festival focused on Afro-Latino culture, featuring Salsa, Merengue and Reggae music and Afro-Latino influenced Jazz and Fusion styles, and more. Find more info at www.Afrolatinofestival.org

Latino Expo

Saturday, August 4th
12pm-6pm, Edmonds
Community College

Celebrating community and diversity! Find more info at: www.letiwa.org



History & Heritage Days

June 9, July 14, & August 11
11am-3pm at Heritage Park

Tours of the Trolley (Interurban Car 55), free conductor's hats, photo booth, snacks, and visit the Wickers Museum, Heritage Resource Center, Sno-Isle Genealogy Library, the Visitors Info Center, and the NW Veterans Museum. NEW this year—watch a giant Lego build of the Trolley and enjoy the Lego play station.



EGGS-plore Lynnwood

Party/Artists Reception/Egg Auction
Thursday, June 14th, 6:30-8:30pm
Lynnwood City Hall

Join us for a celebration and auction of Lynnwood EGGS-plore. Auction proceeds to benefit local human service organizations. Eggs will be on view at City Hall starting May 9th.

More info at www.EggsLynnwood.com



Meet Me at the Park

Tuesdays from 6:30-8pm
July 10th at Wilcox Park
July 17th at South Lynnwood Park
July 24th at Daleway Park

Get up...get out...get active! Join us at the park for hula hoop, jump rope, frisbee, basketball, soccer, Zumba, and more! Prizes and activities—fun for families of all abilities and capabilities.

More info at www.HealthyLynnwood.com



Lynnwood Walks

Thursdays, June 22nd-September 27th, 6pm

Join us on Thursdays this summer for Lynnwood Walks. Meet at the Lynnwood Recreation Center. For additional South County Walks visit verdanthealth.org or call 425-582-8600.

Lynnwood University

REGISTER NOW!

Join us Thursday evenings from 6:30-9pm, September 13-October 11

Back by popular demand! Lynnwood University is a fun and interactive 5-week course offered to residents free of charge. The goal of Lynnwood University is to increase awareness about how your local government works and to empower you to better access City programs and services. Demonstrations, tours, lectures, and hands-on activities are presented to you by city staff, Council Members and the Mayor.

Class Topics Include:

- Presentations from Mayor Smith and the Lynnwood City Council
- Learn about the Lynnwood Police Department and tour Fire Station 15
- Tour the Traffic Management Center and take a close look at how Public Works plays a key role in keeping our City running smoothly
- Learn about City Center, Sound Transit and other exciting development
- And much, much more!

This is a great program for all residents. It doesn't matter if you are new to Lynnwood or have lived here all your life. If you are a student, a retiree, a business owner, or anyone in between, you are sure to learn new information and have a great time!

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For more info, or to register for Lynnwood University visit www.LynnwoodWA.gov/LynnwoodUniversity or call 425-670-5023



Above: Lynnwood University students tour the Traffic Management Center

Below: Lynnwood University students participate in a mock City Council meeting with a discussion of budgeting priorities



The Greenest Neighborhood in Lynnwood

In 2017, the Snohomish Conservation District (SCD) partnered with the City of Lynnwood to make the neighborhood around Lyndale Elementary, the Greenest Neighborhood in Lynnwood. To do this, City staff worked with SCD's Military Veteran Crew to build almost twenty green stormwater projects on homeowners' properties. They built rain gardens (to filter runoff that normally goes untreated into urban waterways), installed rain barrels (to "harvest" water for later use during the dry summer months), and even installed a Lawns to Lettuce project (to replace lawns with edibles). These projects will divert over 250,000 gallons of stormwater runoff every year from the nearby Perrinville Creek.

This summer, keep an eye out for the Veteran Crew as they continue their work in the Lyndale neighborhood. By working together, the City of Lynnwood, the SCD, and these neighbors are helping to conserve water while giving their neighborhood a whole new look.

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For more information on how to add a green stormwater project to your neighborhood, contact Lynnwood's Stormwater Tech Derek Fada at dfada@LynnwoodWa.gov or 425-670-5242, or the Snohomish Conservation District at ccteam@snohomishcd.org.

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Lynnwood City Council



Pictured L-R: Council President Benjamin Goodwin, Council Vice President Shannon Sessions, Ian Cotton, Christine Frizzell, George Hurst, Ruth Ross, and Shirley Sutton.



City Council Work Sessions are held the 1st, 3rd and 5th Mondays of the month and the third Wednesdays from 7-10pm. Council Business Meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month from 7-10pm at the City Hall Council Chambers, 19100 - 44th Avenue West, Lynnwood. Council Business Meetings are broadcast on Comcast Channel 21 and FIOS/ Frontier Channel 38, on Wednesdays at 7:30pm and Sundays at 7:00am and 2:00pm. Contact Beth Morris, Council Executive Assistant at 425-670-5017 or bmorris@LynnwoodWA.gov for more information.

Council Corner: The Role of Council Members

Serving as an elected official is an honor and a great service to our community. Our seven-member City Council dutifully serves as the legislative branch of Lynnwood's City Government.

The primary duties of our City Council are to make laws, adopt regulations and budgets, levy taxes, authorize public improvements, provide for public safety and health, approve board and commission appointments, and oversee a wide-ranging agenda for the residents of Lynnwood.

City Council Members conduct Work Sessions and Business Meetings. During a work session, Council Members are able to discuss topics, receive briefings, reports and memorandums from City staff as well as presentations from City staff or other outside organizations. During a Work Session, no formal decisions can be made by the Council.

Regular Business Meetings are very formal and follow a specific format. During a Regular Business Meeting, City Council Members make a formal vote on items that were discussed at previous Work Sessions, adopt previous meeting minutes, and present proclamations and resolutions. Public Hearings may be held during

Regular Business Meetings which allows the public to attend and make a comment regarding the specific topic of the hearing. There is also a Citizen Comments section that allows anyone from the public to attend and make a comment on any topic. This is a great opportunity to communicate to your elected officials your thoughts, opinions and priorities.

Council Members also serve as liaisons to internal boards and commissions and on county-wide boards.

Each Council Member brings a unique skill set, knowledge base, education and experience to the table. Even though we don't always agree on decisions, we are all committed to serving our City in good faith as well as committed to representing all our constituents. Our community is always our first priority.

We encourage you to contact us if there is anything we can do to help solve a problem, or if there is something going on in your neighborhood that you'd like to share. We also invite you to join us for a Council Meeting and let us know how we are doing in representing you!

Council Highlights March-April

Proclamations

Education and Sharing Day USA, Records and Information Management Month, Stand Against Racism Week, Volunteer Week, Earth Day

Resolutions

City Gateway, District and Neighborhood Sign Standards

Ordinances

Update to LMC 2.54 Paid Sick Leave, Park Impact Fees, Inmate Housing Cost Mitigation and Staffing Request, Amendments to LMC 21.90 Wireless Code Amendments, Extreme Risk Protection Order Act (ERPO) and Misdemeanor Crime Ordinances, Franchise Agreement with AT&T for Communication Facilities

Interlocal Agreements (ILA) / Contracts

Contract Amendment for Banking Services with US Bank, Contract Amendment for City Attorney Services, Construction Contract Award Related to Sewer Improvements to Lift Station 4 and 8, Convention Center City Use Day Request: Volunteer Event and Step-Up Moving Racial Equity Forward Conference, Surplus Public Works Dump Trucks

Public Hearing

Ordinance on Safe Injection Sites Emergency Prohibition, Amendments to LMC 21.90 Wireless Code Amendments

Appointments

Parks & Recreation Board Member Mike Gladysz, Planning Commissioner Aaron Lum

Help Us Keep Our Sidewalks Clear



The City would like to remind property owners that when you're working on your spring home (and business) improvements don't forget your lawn and the sidewalk in front of your home or business. Lawns and grasses must be maintained at a height of 8 inches or less. Sidewalks are the responsibility of the property owner and need to be clear of overgrown trees, plants, bushes and other vegetation. Thanks for helping us keep Lynnwood a vibrant and welcoming city!

Have questions? Contact Code Enforcement by visiting us online at www.LynnwoodWA.gov/Government/City-Departments/Community-Development/Code-Enforcement or call the Code Enforcement hotline at 425-670-5420.

Development & Business Services News



Lynnwood DBS has a new location

Lynnwood Development & Business Services (DBS) has moved to its new location in the Northview Corporate Center, 20816 44th Ave W, Building C, Suite 230, Lynnwood, WA 98036. DBS serves as a one-stop location for business, development and permitting services provided by the Lynnwood departments of Community Development, Economic Development, Fire Prevention and Public Works.



For more information, visit www.LynnwoodWA.gov/DBS



Online DBS Portal Now Available

Lynnwood has officially launched the first online service for business and development services. The new Customer Self Service (CSS) portal, referred to as the DBS Online Portal, went live on March 9.

This on-line service enables those in need of construction permit inspections to schedule their requests on-line. The portal schedules the appointment directly into Lynnwood's permitting software, which eliminates time for manual data entry and enables the customer to monitor their request in real time! With the new online system, customers can conveniently request a next day inspection.

Lynnwood is working closely with our customers to improve our processes and customer service. Efforts are underway for online permitting and plan review.



For more information regarding the DBS Portal, please visit <http://dbs-training.lynnwoodwa.gov>

Major Projects in Lynnwood

Construction has begun on the Interurban Trail Missing Link project and the Maple Road & Ash Way Intersection and Drainage Improvement Project (joint project with Snohomish County). Several other major projects will be starting construction soon. Although a short-term inconvenience, these major infrastructure projects will greatly improve road conditions and prepare our City for the future.

During construction we'll be posting regular project updates on our City website, Lynnwood eNews and Twitter. Sign up and follow us to stay up-to-date on what's going on in Lynnwood.

Sign up for Lynnwood eNews at www.LynnwoodWA.gov/eNews and follow us on Twitter @LynnwoodStreets and @Lynnwood.

Other major projects coming soon:

- *36th Ave W Improvement Project*
- *Sewer & Lift Station Improvements*
- *2018 Paving Program*
- *Sound Transit Early Demo*
- *196th St SW Improvement Project*

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Updates on the Maple Rd & Ash Way Project can be found on Snohomish County's website at: www.snohomishcountywa.gov/3677/Maple-Rd-and-Ash-Way-Lynnwood-2018.





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Water Quality Report The City of Lynnwood's Consumer Confidence Report (Water Quality Report) is now available to customers online and at City Hall. The Annual Water Quality Report is a performance measure of the quality of water supplied by the City of Lynnwood. The report describes local drinking water sources, testing conducted on the water, allowable limits of substances, substances detected, and the levels of those substances.

The report is available at www.LynnwoodWA.gov/AnnualWaterReport. Printed copies of the report will be made available to customers by calling the Public Works Department at 425-670-5200.



Par4Kids Golf Tournament The Lynnwood Parks and Recreation Foundation is partnering with the Rotary Club of Lynnwood to host the annual Par 4 Kids Golf Tournament on Friday, July 27th at the Lynnwood Municipal Golf Course. The event is sponsored by Swedish Edmonds Hospital and benefits the City's Recreation Benefit Scholarship Fund. This fund provides financial assistance for all of the recreation programs the city offers.

Registration and more information about the event is available on the foundation's website at www.Lynnwoodparksfoundation.org.

Memorial Day Ceremony

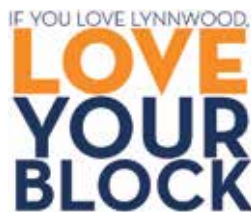
Join the Veterans of Foreign War Post 1040, the Northwest Junior Pipe Band, and the City of Lynnwood as we pay tribute to the soldiers who have given their lives serving in the United States Armed Forces.



May 28, 2018, 11:00am, Veterans Park

Love Your Block

Mini-Grants If you had \$500 what would you do? Do you like to work with your neighbors? Have an idea to make your block better? Plant a tree? Build a bench? Install secured mailboxes? Start a walking group? Whatever you do, let's do it together! Apply for a mini-grant of up to \$500.



Applications available www.HealthyLynnwood.com. For questions, contact Marielle Harrington at mharrington@LynnwoodWA.gov or 425-670-5532.

Rotary Rummage Sale The Rotary Club of Lynnwood will be hosting their annual Rummage Sale at Meadowdale Middle School to raise funds for community projects. The community is invited to shop the Rummage Sale on Saturday, July 14, 8am-3pm, or donate goods to be sold at the sale.

For more info visit <http://www.lynnwoodrotaryclubrummagesale.com/>

Shakespeare in the Park Join us for free family fun at Lynndale Park Amphitheater for our annual Shakespeare in the Park. Shows begin at 7pm rain or shine.

July 18 & 19: *The Merry Wives of Windsor* Aug 2: *Henry IV*

July 25 & 26: *King Lear* Aug 9: *Three Musketeers*

Sponsored by Alderwood-Terrace Rotary. More info at www.PlayLynnwood.com.