



City Manager's Friday Newsletter

United Way - Strength in Community

On Saturday September 14, 2013 members of the Machias Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints and city staff joined forces to celebrate the *National Day of Caring* by helping to maintain the Centennial Trail between Second and Sixth Streets. More than 20 volunteers provided at least 45 hours of time preparing for the event, and weeding and cleaning the trail section. This event was put together in support of the United Way Day of Caring campaign. It was a beautiful day for a volunteer event and the trail looks fantastic.

Thank You from the City of Snohomish to all the volunteers for a job well done!



Bickford Avenue Overpass and US 2 Update

Last week, the Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) completed the new bridge overpass and westbound onramp to US2. This week, WSDOT announced that they “hope to have the new eastbound on- and off- ramps open early next month (i.e. early October). We still have some final paving and guardrail to install on those ramps before we can safely open them to drivers.”

Upcoming City Council Agenda Items

October 3:

6:00 p.m. Workshop:

- Discussion regarding the 2014 budget requests for City Council, City Manager and Planning & Development Services departments

7:00 p.m. Regular Meeting:

- Discussion regarding City utilities as related to the 2014 budget

The agenda list above is partial and tentative. For further info, click here for the City website: http://www.ci.snohomish.wa.us/Agendas.htm#CITY_COUNCIL_AGENDAS

Street and Parks Crew Repairing the Interurban Trail

During the last heavy rain storm the west end of the Interurban Trail that runs from Maple Avenue to Avenue D was damaged by erosion creating a large washout area. The Street and Parks crews teamed up in an effort to make the needed repairs. Staff created an asphalt curb to divert storm water to the adjacent catch basin and an overflow channel in case the catch basin overflows during very heavy rain events.

Great job and teamwork by Public Works!!!



September 27, 2013

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✧ ✧ **Calendar 2013** ✧ ✧

Transportation Benefit District Board

Tuesday, October 1

CANCELLED

City Council

Tuesday, October 1

Rescheduled to October 3

Planning Commission

Wednesday, October 2

Rescheduled to October 16

City Council

Thursday, October 3

Workshop - 6 p.m.

Special Meeting - 7 p.m.

Gilbertson Board Room

1601 Avenue D

<http://ci.snohomish.wa.us/PDFs/Agendas/2013/Agenda100313.pdf>