

1103 Maple Clean-up

Upcoming City Council Agenda Items June 17, 2014

7:00 p.m. Regular Meeting:

- Discussion regarding options to allow commercial card gaming

The agenda list above is partial and tentative. For further information, click here for the City website:

<http://www.snohomishwa.gov/AgendaCenter/City-Council-Agendas-1>

2014 Calendar:

Public Safety Commission

Tuesday, June 10
5 p.m. Fire District
Training Annex
1525 Avenue D

Design Review Board

Wednesday, June 11
7 p.m. City Hall
Conference Room
116 Union Avenue

On Saturday May 31 the Snohomish Parks Foundation held an event to tidy up City-owned property at 1103 Maple Avenue. The event was a huge success! Thanks to everyone for their willingness to spend part of their Saturday helping work in Snohomish Parks, especially Don Kusler who did great work and even brought his own big garden tractor to help get the work done.

Some of the major accomplishments of the day were:

- removal of the fence along the Centennial Trail to create a more open and inviting feel to the property
- pruned and cleaned up in front of the house
- pruned shrubs and trees around the property
- removed a large portion of the ivy along Maple Ave
- removed plants along the neighbor's property line.

The day's work filled a large dumpster of debris along with another large pile of greens that wouldn't comfortably fit in the dumpster.

A special thank you goes out to Mac Magruder for setting up the work day event and to City Councilmember Paul Kaftanski for bringing coffee and doughnuts.



from the left: Don Kusler (our community volunteer community—a special thank-you), Ed Poquette, Tom Hamilton, Paul Kaftanski and Mac Magruder from the Snohomish Parks Foundation.



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Warning about water line insurance offers

The city is receiving many calls from homeowners about advertisements they have recently received offering "insurance" for repairs to water lines. The advertising mailers are correct that property owners are responsible for repairs on the water line connections between the home and the curb. The insurance offered allegedly covers the repairs to those lines, should there be a line break.

We wish to be clear that these companies are in no way affiliated with the City of Snohomish and we do not endorse services such as these. Homeowners should be cautious and should contact their insurance companies to see if they are already covered. Many of these companies have dozens of complaints on file with the Better Business Bureau for their marketing practices; several states have even pursued legal action. For more information on these water line insurance offerings, please visit the following websites: [Consumer Reports](#) and the [Better Business Bureau](#)

Explore Summer @ Your Snohomish Library!

A summer adventure for kids begins by picking up discovery notes at the Snohomish Library or logging in to the Sno-Isle Libraries website at <http://wa.evanced.info/sno-isle/sr/homepage.asp> Then explore our electrifying summer lineup of fun, fabulous and free activities where you can learn with Mad Science and Seattle Bug Safari, and explore space, ice cream, bubbles, germs and more!

If you like baseball, here's your chance to score free tickets to an AquaSox game (while supplies last) and enter a drawing to throw out the first pitch.

You have the whole summer to read 10 books or 1000 pages and do two activities each from the [Learn](#) and [Discover](#) sites (we can't wait to hear what you did) to win a free book and a chance to win a bicycle.

Join us this summer for some awesome fun!