

NEWPORT NEIGHBORHOOD AREA



OPEN HOUSE AGENDA

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NEP IS...

- Council-directed, City-Funded, Capital Improvements
 Program
- Provides RESIDENTS the opportunity to PROPOSE and SELECT enhancement projects for their individual neighborhood area
- \$5 Million BUDGET distributed among 14 NEP designated neighborhood areas
- Area funds allocated based on the number of households in each Neighborhood Area
- Rotates through 14 Neighborhood areas over seven-year period – TWO AREAS per year (2015-2022)
- Program supported by multiple City departments –
 Community Development, Parks, Transportation, Utilities
- Currently 25 NEP capital projects in progress around the city in 9 of the 14 neighborhood areas

RE-CAP OF PROGRAM IN NEWPORT

- CITY ALLOCATES \$\$ TO NEIGHBORHOODS \$282,000 FOR NEWPORT
- RESIDENTS SUBMIT IDEAS FOR SPENDING \$\$
 116 SUBMISSIONS RECEIVED (NOT UNIQUE)
- CITY REVIEWS IDEAS & GENERATES PROJECTS
 10 PROJECTS ON NEP BALLOT
- RESIDENTS SELECT PROJECTS TO RECEIVE \$\$
 MAIL-IN NEP BALLOTS DUE JULY 22nd
- SELECTED PROJECTS ANNOUNCED LATE SEPTEMBER
- CITY IMPLEMENTS PROJECTS IN 3-5 YEARS



PROJECT SCOPING/REVIEW

- MARCH APRIL 2022
- TRANSPORTATION, PARKS, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & UTILITIES
- REVIEWED & EVALUATED SUBMISSIONS PER NEP CRITERIA
- CONSIDERED CURRENT & FUTURE WORK PLANS
- CONDUCTED SITE VISITS
- DEVELOPED 10 PROJECTS



PROJECT CRITERIA

AFFORDABILTY

PROJECT COSTS MUST NOT EXCEED THE FUNDING ALLOCATION FOR THE NEIGHBORHOOD AREA

CONSISTENCY

PROJECTS MUST BE CONSISTENT WITH CITY PLANS AND POLICIES

FEASIBILITY

PROJECTS MUST BE PRACTICAL AND ACHIEVABLE FOR THE CITY

IMPLEMENTATION

PROJECTS MUST BE DESIGNED AND CONSTRUCTED WITHIN 3-5 YEARS OF SELECTION

MAINTAINABILITY

PROJECTS MUST NOT REQUIRE MAINTENANCE THAT IS BURDOMESONE TO THE CITY

PUBLIC BENEFIT

PROJECTS MUST BE LOCATED ON PUBLIC PROPERTY, EASEMENTS, OR PROPERTY DESIGNATED FOR PUBLIC USE, AND MUST BENEFIT THE GENERAL PUBLIC



PROJECT REQUESTS

116 PROJECT SUBMISSIONS RECEIVED

EASTRAIL ACCESS

SIDEWALKS

CROSSWALKS

TRAFFIC

SPEED BUMPS)

STREETLIGHTS

TRAIL

IMPROVEMENTS

LANDSCAPING

NEIGHBORHOOD

SIGNAGE

FENCE REPAIR

PARK

ENHANCEMENTS

BIKE SHARROWS

DISC GOLF

MANAGEMENT(EX. WATERFRONT CANOE

ACCESS

BIKE FIX-IT

STATIONS

BOAT LAUNCH

ENHANCEMENTS

COMMUNITY

GARDEN SPACE



NEWPORT SCHEDULE

KICKOFF MEETING - January 25, 2022 - ZOOM

IDEA SUBMISSION - January 25 - March 3,2022

PROJECT SCOPING - March - April 2022

PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE – June 15, 2022 – Newport Heights Elementary

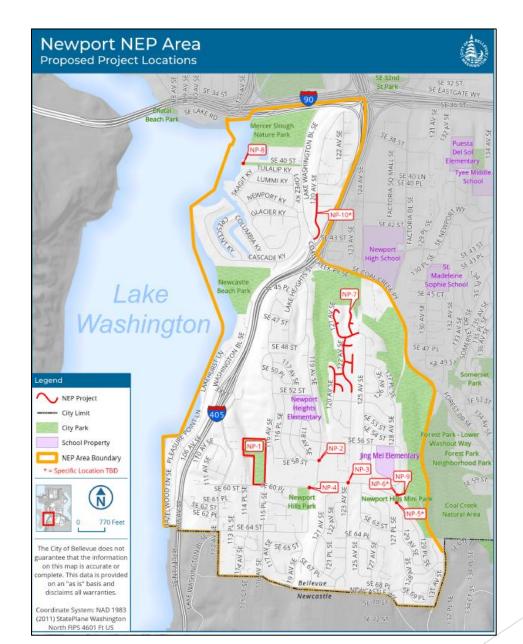
RESIDENT VOTING - June - July 22, 2022

PROJECT ANNOUNCEMENT NEWSLETTER -Sept 2022

RESIDENT EVALUATIONS - October 2022



NEWPORT PROJECT LOCATIONS MAP



Neighborhood ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM

NEWPORT BALLOT PROJECTS

- (NP-1) Newport Hills Property Forest Enhancements
- (NP-2) 119th/SE 58th NEW Pedestrian-Activated Crosswalk Flashing System
- (NP-3) SE 60th/123rd NEW Pedestrian-Activated Crosswalk Flashing System
- (NP-4) SE 60th/120th NEW Pedestrian-Activated Crosswalk Flashing System
- (NP-5) NEW Bench at Newport Hills Mini Park
- (NP-6) Stationary Radar Feedback Sign
- (NP-7) Newport Hills Streetlight Enhancement
- (NP-8) NEW Bike Rack and Bench Relocation at SE 40 St Boat Launch
- (NP-9) SE 60th St Sidewalk (128th/Coal Creek Trailhead)
- (NP-10) 120th Ave SE Streetlights (Greenwich Crest)



HOW VOTING WORKS

- EACH NEWPORT HOUSEHOLD RECEIVED (1) BALLOT EARLY JUNE 2022 (HOUSEHOLD = SINGLE FAMILY HOME, CONDO UNIT, APARTMENT)
- VOTE FOR TOP 3 PROJECTS AND MAIL BALLOT BY JULY 22, 2022
- STAFF TABULATES VOTES
 #1 = 3 POINTS #2 = 2 POINTS #3 = 1 POINT
- VOTING BY MAIL ONLY, LIMITED TO ONE PER HOUSEHOLD ADDRESS
- PROJECTS ANNOUNCED IN LATE SEPTEMBER 2022



STAY INFORMED

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MONTHLY NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS





June 2022

Juneteenth observations recognize historic, symbolic day of freedom

IUNE 19

Bellevue

Celebrates

Juneteenth

City of Bellevue facilities will be closed on Monday, June 20, in observance of Juneteenth and the city will raise the Juneteenth flag at city facilities from June 17-24.

Although the Emancipation Proclamation came 2½ years earlier on January 1, 1863, many enslavers continued to hold enslaved

Black people captive after the announcement. Juneteenth became a symbolic date representing African American freedom, and we recognize this day as the promise and lasting hope for freedom for African Americans. We gather and celebrate family, remember the past and honor the commitment to continue the essential work for attaining racial equity and social justice.

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Also, we'd like to offer some suggestions on what the community can do to learn more about Juneteenth:

- Take time for reflection on that day, and discuss the following with friends and family, "How has African American culture influenced your life?"
- Consider making the holiday a day of service
- Drop by City Hall to see the "Unspoken Truth" traveling museum display and hear from storyteller Delbert Richardson Friday, June 10 and Monday, June 13.

New Employment and Entrepreneurship Guidance Program at Mini City Hall

Bellevue Mini City Hall is returning to prepandemic operations at the Crossroads Shopping Center this summer and we are excited to kick off a new program to provide employment support and small business services to the community.

The City of Bellevue is fueled by an entrepreneurial, diverse and supportive community with a wealth of talent and skills. Connecting residents and business owners to resources and opportunity builds a better Bellevue for the future. If you want to explore employment opportunities but not sure what career is right for you or you have always dreamed about starting your own business, you are invited to come by for a visit every Monday 2:30-3:30 p.m. at Bellevue Mini City Hall, inside the Crossroads Shopping Center, 15600 NE 8th

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Examples of services provided by the program include:

- One-on-one, in-person career exploration and entrepreneurship navigation
- Connect to community and state-based employment and business resources
- Job training, job search, and job application resources
- Résumé and interview support
- Internship and apprenticeship resources
- Small business information and resources
- Business licensing and permitting

Mini City Hall has been serving customers for over two decades in the community, specializing in personalized customer services provided by friendly staff in multiple languages. Many local nonprofit organizations and programs also have office hours at MCH. Besides processing city water bill payments and selling pet licenses, Mini City Hall offers information and referrals for a long list of items, including Medicare, ESL classes, affordable housing and shelters, legal and financial services, family counseling, childcare, job search resources, senior services and resources for people with disabilities.



For more information about the new Employment and Entrepreneurship Navigation Program, please contact Workforce Development Specialist Pranaya Sathe at <u>psathe@bellevuewa.gov</u> or 425-452-6864, and Economic Development Analyst Ashis Joshi at <u>bizsupport@bellevuewa.gov</u> or 425-452-2931. Mini City Hall is open Monday to Saturday, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Services are also available by phone at 425-452-2800 and by email at minich@bellevuewa.gov. Staff offers help in English, Spanish, Cantonese, Mandarin, Russian,

Somali, Hindi and Telugu. For more information, please visit <u>BellevueWA.gov/mini-city-hall</u>.

Neighborhood Block Party Virtual Information Meetings

June 6, 6:30-7 p.m.

June 9, Noon-12:30 p.m.

Email NeighborhoodOutreach@bellevuewa.gov for Zoom link

Would you like to get your neighbors together for a block party this summer? Neighborhood Outreach can help you with party ideas, banners, signs and flyers. Join us at one of the information meetings, and gain ideas and support for your event. Even if you've never planned a neighborhood event, we're here to help you plan a party and meet your neighbors!



Neighborhood Enhancement Program

Newport Projects
Open House

une 15

Join city staff and your neighbors at a public open house

on Wednesday, June 15 at Newport Heights
Elementary School, 5225 119th Ave 5E, Bellevue,
WA 98006, 6:30-8 p.m. The meeting will invite
residents to review the 10 small capital projects
that will be included on your Neighborhood
Enhancement Program ballot and eligible for
funding from the \$282,000 Newport NEP budget
allocation. A brief overview of the project scoping
and NEP voting processes will also be provided.
Let us know that you plan to attend by sending an
RSVP to NeighborhoodOutreach@bellevuewa.gov

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