



Bellevue Neighborhood Forum

Climate Change and Our Community

Tuesday, May 14, 7 p.m. • City Hall Council Chambers
450 110th Avenue NE

This panel presentation will provide an overview of community resiliency to climate change. Learn from experts in academia, science and business how our community can react and adapt to climate change at a local level and do our part to mitigate the impacts. How can community resiliency increase and how can we adapt to changes that we will face in the future, and become more prosperous in doing so? Can we solve our environmental problems, become a more livable community, and earn a profit? Learn about innovative ideas and programs and how we can all be better stewards of our environment. Panel discussion will be followed by audience Q & A.

Panelists:

KEVIN WILHELM, CEO, Sustainable Business Consulting, author of Return on Sustainability. Kevin helps clients to develop profitable and sustainable business strategies. His book is a market based call to action to stop global warming.

LARA WHITELY BINDER, Outreach and Adaptation Specialist, University of Washington Climate Impacts Group (CIG). CIG disseminates information to decision makers on the impacts of climate variability and climate change on the Pacific Northwest and works on local adaptation planning.

PATRICK MAZZA, Research Director Climate Solutions. Patrick develops the knowledge base for much of Climate Solutions' work and has helped shaped the sustainability and clean tech agenda of key policymakers, researchers and business leaders.

TODD MYERS, Director of Washington's Policy Center, Center for the Environment. He is one of the nation's leading experts on free-market environmental policy. Todd is the author of the landmark 2011 book Eco-Fads: How the Rise of Trendy Environmentalism Is Harming the Environment and is designated a Wall Street Journal Expert panelist for energy and the environment.

Presented by:



Bellevue Neighborhood Forums are sponsored by:

Bellecrest Neighborhood Association, Conifer Crest Neighborhood Association, Highlands East II HOA, Horizon Crest Community Association, Horizon Heights Neighborhood Association, Newport Hills Community Club, Somerset Community Association, Sunset Community Association, Village on Main HOA, Woodridge Community Association

For more information or to pre-submit questions, contact City of Bellevue Neighborhood Outreach at 425-452-6836 or neighborhoodoutreach@bellevuewa.gov