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COMMUNITY HAPPENING

Lake Stevens Awarded APWA Accreditation



The City of Lake Stevens Public Works Department is proud to announce the city has received APWA (American Public Works Association) accreditation with an impressive 99.7% full compliance rating. This achievement is a testament to the hard work and dedication of all the departments within the city. APWA accreditation is a rigorous process that evaluates various aspects of a city's public works operations, including management, planning, communication, and overall performance. The goal of this program is to recognize cities that demonstrate excellence in public works and provide a benchmark for continuous improvement.

The APWA accreditation process involved a thorough review of the city's policies, procedures, and practices by a team of experienced public works professionals. The team found Lake Stevens met or exceeded all required standards for accreditation, resulting in an exceptional 99.7% full compliance rating.

The city's achievement in receiving APWA accreditation reflects its dedication to providing high-quality public works services for our residents. This recognition also serves as a testament to the hard work and commitment of the entire team at Public Works. Lake Stevens joins the elite group of 214 other cities across the country who have received the APWA accreditation. The City of Lake Stevens would like to thank APWA for their thorough evaluation process and looks forward to continuing its partnership with them in maintaining these high standards. For more information about APWA accreditation, please visit their website at www.apwa.net/accreditation.

West Lake Park and Bayview Trail Groundbreaking Ceremony

On Wednesday, July 31, 2024, the City held a groundbreaking ceremony for the West Lake Park and Bayview Trail. The groundbreaking ceremony included remarks from city officials, and the ceremonial shovel dig to mark the beginning of construction. The new addition to our City's parks system will provide residents with a beautiful green space to enjoy nature, as well as a safe and scenic trail for walking, jogging, and biking. The first phase of the Bayview Trail construction started July 29, 2024, with an estimated end day in November 2024. The project will include the construction of the parking lot, benches, and dog park at West Lake Park.

For more information, visit: <https://lakestevenswa.gov/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=854>



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Upcoming Events

The City of Lake Stevens is excited to bring a wide range of family-friendly events to our community. Keep up to date on the latest happenings at Lake Stevens parks on our website: www.lakestevenswa.gov

- ◆ **Going A Viking:** September 7 ~ Lundeen Park ~ 11 am - 6 pm
- ◆ **Lake Stevens Harvest Market:** October 12 ~ North Cove Park ~ 11 am - 4 pm
- ◆ **Paint with Patrol:** October 18 ~ The Mill ~ 3 pm - 5 pm
- ◆ **DIY Rain Barrel Workshop & Cascade Award Ceremony:** October 26 ~ North Cove Park ~ 11 am - 1 pm
- ◆ **HarvestFest:** October 31 ~ North Cove Park ~ 11 am - 4pm
- ◆ **WinterFest:** December 14 ~ North Cove Park ~ 4 pm - 7 pm



Transportation Benefit Program (TBP) Projects

91st Ave SE Sidewalk Phase 1	2024 Pavement Preservation
<p>Construction has started on the sidewalk along the east side of 91st Avenue SE between 8th Street SE and Market Place. Construction is expected to be completed by the end of September 2024.</p> <p>The 91st Avenue SE Sidewalk project will complete a continuous pedestrian and bicycle route on the east side of 91st Avenue SE, between 8th Street SE and Market Place.</p> <p>The new route will provide a pedestrian and bicycle link between nearby neighborhoods, three schools, and the commercial area on Market Place. The project will comply with current Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) guidelines. This project is supported by the Transportation Benefit Program.</p> <p>For more information and to sign up for updates: https://lakestevenswa.civilspace.io/en/projects/91st-avenue-se-sidewalk-phase-1</p>	<p>The City will be performing a roadway asphalt grind and overlay with associated ADA curb ramp upgrades, sidewalk improvements, and crosswalk updates as required, based on the impacted areas. The project also includes some full-depth spot repairs, utility adjustments, and replacing existing roadway markings. The project locations are:</p> <p>Site 1: 113th Ave NE from SR92 to 32nd St NE Site 2: 20th St NE from Ashley Pointe to 116th Ave NE Site 3: 4th St NE from SR9 to 99th Ave NE Site 4: Vernon Rd from the bridge (1706 Vernon Rd) to Lundeen Parkway roundabout Site 5: Vernon Rd from Lundeen Parkway to 91st Ave NE Site 6: 22nd Place NE from 130th Dr NE to Cul-de-sac</p> <p>For more information and to sign up for updates: https://lakestevenswa.civilspace.io/en/projects/2024-pavement-preservation</p>

CITY COUNCIL

CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETINGS AT 6 P.M.

SEPTEMBER 10 & 24 | OCTOBER 8 & 22 | NOVEMBER 12 & 26 | DECEMBER 10

CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSIONS AT 6 P.M. AS NEEDED

SEPTEMBER 3 & 17 | OCTOBER 1 & 15 | NOVEMBER 5 & 19 | DECEMBER 3 & 17

You can attend in-person or via Zoom. Please visit the City's website:

<https://www.lakestevenswa.gov/319/City-Council> for current agendas with Zoom meeting links.



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