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COMMUNITY HAPPENING

City Joins Economic Alliance Snohomish County D.C. Fly In

A delegation from Lake Stevens joined the Economic Alliance Snohomish County's (EASC) D.C. Fly In, with Snohomish County community leaders focused on advocating our priorities at the federal level. These priorities are infrastructure, transportation, childcare, education, and economic growth. The City of Lake Stevens' delegation scheduled individual meetings with Representative DelBene, Representative Larsen, Senator Cantwell, Senator Murray, White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs, and the Department of Transportation to bring attention to city projects.



Remembering Councilmember, Marcus Tageant

In honor of Councilmember Marcus Tageant, at the June 3, 2025, City Council meeting, councilmembers shared memories and heartwarming stories. Tageant was an advocate for his community and served on city council since 2009 and was a member of the Park Board, Utility Committee, and Veterans Commission. He is greatly missed and the City of Lake Stevens will honor his legacy by continuing the work he was so passionate about.

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for Park Communication Boards

On May 14, 2025, National Apraxia Awareness Day, the City of Lake Stevens came together to celebrate the installation of communication boards at three local playgrounds. These boards were made possible by donations from Sherwood Community Services and Lake Stevens Rotary. The communication boards mark a significant step towards inclusivity and accessibility in the City of Lake Stevens.



Overdose & Prevention Town Hall: A Pathway to Hope

The City hosted the Overdose & Prevention Town Hall: A Pathway To Hope on May 22, 2025, at the Cavelero Mid-High Commons. During this informative event attendees were taught trends, identification, and available recovery resources. Guests connected with experts and non-profits to learn how they can personally help others in need on their road to recovery. This event gives people interested in opioid recovery a place to come together to share experiences, knowledge, and to learn how to help others in need. We hope to continue to host similar events in the future. Let's keep our community safe, together. For more information, visit: <https://tinyurl.com/5n8vvvkt>



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Upcoming Events

Keep up to date on the latest happenings at Lake Stevens parks on our website:
www.lakestevenswa.gov/parks

- ♦ Lake Stevens Farmers Market, Wednesdays June 4 - August 27, 3 pm - 7 pm, North Cove Park. For more information or to become a vendor, visit:
<https://www.lakestevensfarmersmarket.org/>
- ♦ Lake Stevens Community Garage Sale, June 7 & 8, 9 am - 4 pm
- ♦ Old Fashioned 4th at the Lake, July 4, 11 am - 4 pm, North Cove Park
- ♦ Music in the Park, July 2, 16, 23, 30 & August 6, 6 pm - 9 pm, North Cove Park
- ♦ AquaFest, July 11 - 13, North Cove Park
- ♦ The Mill Open House, July 24, 6 pm - 8 pm
- ♦ National Night Out, August 5, 6 pm - 8 pm, Trestle Station, 8011 20th St. SE
- ♦ Movies in the Park, August 8 at 8:15 pm & August 22 at 7:45 pm, Lundeen Park

Visit the City's Community Events page for additional details and other events as they are added and updated at:
<https://www.lakestevenswa.gov/CommunityEvents>



116/117 Avenue NE Pilot Project

The city launched a Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Pilot Project on 116th Avenue NE and 117th Avenue NE to create safe walking paths and help reduce vehicle speed. This pilot is running from May 5 to June 5, 2025, and will change the street layout to reduce speeds and improve pedestrian safety. 116th Avenue NE is a one-way southbound, with the east side reserved for pedestrian use. 117th Avenue NE is a one-way northbound, with the west side reserved for pedestrian use.

The city will host an open house to go over the pilot project results. Residents are encouraged to stop by to share their thoughts and help shape the future of our neighborhood streets.

Visit the project page for more information including the open house:

<https://tinyurl.com/117th116th>

Main Street Improvements

Have you noticed the banner and construction along Main Street? The City is embarking on a comprehensive project to improve Main Street infrastructure. The project includes new curb, gutter, planters, a multi-use path on the west side, and an improved sidewalk on the east side, along with much needed utilities upgrades. With urban design improvements aimed at uplifting the downtown atmosphere. Our mission is to create an inviting, sustainable, and vibrant city center. This project is not just about beautifying the town; it's about crafting a shared understanding of what our city needs and what it will become.

Construction along Main Street will continue throughout the summer Monday through Friday from 7 am to 4 pm with the a tentative end date of July 2025.

For more information, visit:

<https://tinyurl.com/43693a6w>

CITY COUNCIL

CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETINGS AT 6 P.M.

JUNE 10 & 24 | AUGUST 26 | SEPTEMBER 9 & 23

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

JUNE 17 | JULY 1 & 15 | SEPTEMBER 2 & 16

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

<https://www.lakestevenswa.gov/319/City-Council>

for more information including current agendas with Zoom meeting links.

