



NEWPORT NEIGHBORHOOD AREA

NEP MEETING AGENDA



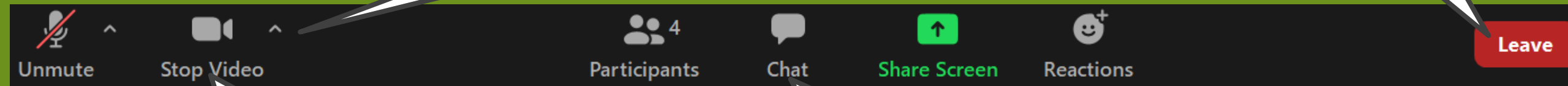
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Zoom

Stay on mute to eliminate background noise until you have something to say to the group

Additional Options, such as the ability to give yourself a virtual background

Need to go?
Click "Leave"



Keep your video on unless you're having connectivity issues

We want to hear from you!
Please use chat throughout the session to ask questions.
Try it now and say "Hello"



WHAT IS NEP? INFO VIDEO



<https://youtu.be/qpSYdFgViC4>



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 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 projects in planning/progress around the city in nine neighborhood areas**



NEP PROCESS

- *City allocates \$\$ to Neighborhood Area*
- *Residents submit ideas for spending \$\$*
- *City staff review ideas & generate projects*
- *Residents select projects to receive \$\$*
- *City implements projects in 3-5 years*

**\$282,000* AVAILABLE FUNDS
FOR NEWPORT NEIGHBORHOOD AREA**

**Allocated amount includes administrative costs: postage, printing, etc.*



NEWPORT NEIGHBORHOOD AREA MAP



NEWPORT SCHEDULE



KICKOFF MEETING – January 25, 2022 - ZOOM

IDEA SUBMISSION – January 25 – March 3, 2022

PROJECT SCOPING – March – April 2022

PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE – June 14, 2022 – ZOOM/In-person TBD

RESIDENT VOTING – June – July 2022

PROJECT ANNOUNCEMENT NEWSLETTER –Sept 2022

RESIDENT EVALUATIONS – October 2022



NEXT STEP...SUBMIT YOUR IDEAS

Look for the **PROJECT IDEA CARD** in your mail or
Submit online at www.bellevuewa.gov/nep

Neighborhood Enhancement Program

Project Idea Request Form \$282,000 has been allocated to Newport. Tell us what your neighborhood needs!

Please submit your project ideas for Newport by **March 3, 2022**. City staff will review your request, and may contact you to discuss it. If you have operational concerns regarding police patrol, street maintenance, drainage, parking or code enforcement, please contact the appropriate city department to receive a more timely response. If you are unsure, please call 425-452-4186.

Project location (please be as specific as possible, listing addresses and/or cross streets)

Project description (please provide as much detail as possible)

Contact information (this information is required to process your request, as staff will contact you to obtain further details; please print clearly)

Name _____ Phone _____ E-mail _____ Apartment/Condo name (if applicable) _____
Street Address _____ Unit# _____ Zip _____

City Use Only
Case# _____ Date Rec'd _____

* Project ideas may also be submitted online at BellevueWA.gov/nep

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OPPORTUNITY AREAS



SAFETY



RECREATION



**BICYCLE
ACCESS**



**PEDESTRIAN
ACCESS**



**GATHERING
SPACE**



**COMMUNITY
IDENTITY**



KEY ACTIONS FOR NEWPORT RESIDENTS

SUBMIT Project Ideas – through March 3

(*No Limit* to the number of submissions)

ENCOURAGE Neighbors to participate

ATTEND June 14th Projects Open House

VOTE For top three projects in June/July
(Limited to one ballot per household address*)**

SUBMIT Program evaluations



PROGRAM PROMOTION

Neighborhood Enhancement Program

NEP Newport Kickoff Meeting

How would you spend \$282,000 in your Newport neighborhood?

Join your neighbors and City of Bellevue staff to Kick-off the Neighborhood Enhancement Program, a city-funded, capital improvements program that allows you to propose and select moderate enhancement projects for your own neighborhood.

VIRTUAL PUBLIC Meeting (ZOOM)
Tuesday | January 25, 2022 | 6:30-8 p.m.

Come learn about the program, share your ideas with City project managers and connect with your neighbors!

RSVP to NeighborhoodOutreach@bellevuewa.gov to receive Zoom Link. For more information, visit BellevueWA.gov/nep or contact Theresa Cuthill at tcuthill@bellevuewa.gov, 425-452-4186

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***Multi-Family Outreach to approx. 12 Apt/condo property managers**



***School Newsletters/website:**

- **Newport Heights Elementary**

Monthly Neighborhood News



City partners with community to honor MLK, celebrate wellness at virtual health fair

The City of Bellevue is again holding a virtual health fair in partnership with the Bellevue Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. to honor MLK Day and promote health in the community. Registration is open now for the 2022 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration and Health Fair to be hosted virtually on Monday, Jan. 17, 2022, 10-11:30 a.m. The virtual event offers opportunities to reflect, engage and take action in building a beloved, healthy and thriving Bellevue in the spirit of King's legacy of equity and community.

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"We value our longstanding partnership with Delta Sigma Theta, which makes it possible to bring this collection of meaningful health information and resources to our neighbors while raising awareness for the importance of the life and legacy of Dr. King," said Linda Whitehead, the city's chief diversity, equity & inclusion officer. "We look forward to welcoming the community and supporting this effort and important message."

The event will share health and community support resources, feature door prizes donated by Black, Indigenous and People of Color-owned businesses, highlight guest speakers who are civic or health leaders in the community and include musical performances. A full list of event resources and performances will be listed at BellevueWA.gov/MLK-health-fair as they are confirmed.

The virtual health fair is open to the general public and free of cost. Registration is required through tinyurl.com/BellevueMLK. The event will also be recorded and released after the event for video replay on the city's website at BellevueWA.gov.

This program will be presented in English. For more event information, contact Bellevue's Diversity Advantage team at diversity@bellevuewa.gov.

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Neighborhood Enhancement Program coming to Newport area in January with \$282,000 for improvements

The Neighborhood Enhancement Program (NEP) is a \$5 million, city-funded, capital improvements program that allows residents to propose and select projects that improve their neighborhood's quality of life and enhance its character. The program rotates through the city's 14 NEP neighborhood areas, serving two areas each year.

Since 2015, NEP has rotated through the Eastgate/Factoria, Cougar Mountain/Lakemont, West Lake Sammamish, Northeast Bellevue, Bridle Trails, Northwest Bellevue, Downtown/BelRed, Lake Hills, Crossroads, Wilburton, West Bellevue and Woodridge neighborhood areas. This month, the NEP process will be launching in the Newport area, which has been allocated \$282,000 for enhancements.

A virtual kickoff meeting will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 25, 6:30-8 p.m. City staff will provide attendees with a brief overview of the program guidelines and schedule, answer questions and invite you to share, discuss and submit project ideas. City project managers will be available in breakout rooms for specific project discussion. Following the kickoff meeting, each household in Newport will receive a postage-paid NEP Project Request Form in the mail. Residents are encouraged to use this form, or the online project request form on the NEP website, to submit as many NEP project requests as they like by March 3. BellevueWA.gov/nep

To find out which NEP Neighborhood Area you call home, when NEP will be in your area, and how much funding your area has been allocated, please visit BellevueWA.gov/nep. For more information about NEP, please contact Theresa Cuthill at tcuthill@bellevuewa.gov



Newport NEP Zoom Virtual Kickoff Meeting

Tuesday Jan. 25, 6:30 p.m.

For Zoom link respond to neighborhoodoutreach@bellevuewa.gov

Police chief to provide update on use of force policy reform

Interim Chief of Police Wendell Shirley will host a virtual community meeting to discuss the police department's progress in addressing recommended updates to its use of force policy. Following the murder of George Floyd by a now-former Minneapolis police officer, Bellevue's mayor and city council pledged to have an independent review of the Bellevue Police Department's use of force policies to determine if any reforms were needed. The pledge included a commitment to review the police policies, solicit community input, and reform where necessary.

In September 2020, the City of Bellevue hired a consultant, the Office of Independent Review Group (OIR), to conduct a comprehensive use of force policy review. In April, OIR issued its final report (BellevueWA.gov/sites/default/files/media/pdf_document/2021/Use-of-Force-Policy-Review-Final-OIR-Group.pdf), citing 47 recommendations. To date, the police department has addressed 32 of the recommendations. Eight more are expected to be adopted in early January.

"This review process has been invaluable to the police department. The feedback we received improves our policies and enables us to serve our community better," said Chief Shirley. "We are committed to ensuring our policies and practices serve all communities equally and equitably."

Chief Shirley will hold a community meeting to discuss the recommendations on Wednesday,



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KEEP IN MIND: OTHER AREA PROJECTS TO BE AWARE OF

- **KING COUNTY: EASTRAIL PROJECT**

Joe Inslee, King County Parks, Jinslee@kingcounty.gov

Michael Ingram, Senior Planner, Bellevue Trans Dept,
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- **WSDOT: I-405 WIDENING PROJECT**

Craig Smiley, WSDOT Communications,
smileyc@consultant.wsdot.wa.gov 425-456-8624

PROJECT WEBSITE: [I-405 - Renton to Bellevue Widening
and Express Toll Lanes | WSDOT \(wa.gov\)](#)



KEEP IN MIND: OTHER AREA PROJECTS TO BE AWARE OF KING COUNTY: COAL CREEK SEWER LINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT

Monica Van der Viern, Community Relations,
KC Wastewater Treatment Division

Monica.VanDerVieren@kingcounty.gov 206-477-
5502

LISTSERV SIGNUP:

[https://kingcounty.gov/depts/dnrp/wtd/capital-
projects/active/coal-creek-sewer-upgrade.aspx](https://kingcounty.gov/depts/dnrp/wtd/capital-projects/active/coal-creek-sewer-upgrade.aspx)

- ***ENERGIZE EASTSIDE***

Reilly Pittman, Senior Planner, Bellevue Development
Services Dept, Rpittman@bellevuewa.gov 425-452-
4350



KEEP IN MIND: OTHER AREA PROJECTS TO BE AWARE OF

- **NEW!! NEWPORT HILLS WOODLAWN PARK**

Scott VanderHyden, Parks Project Manager,

Bellevue Parks Dept, SVanderHyden@bellevuewa.gov

425-452-4169



NOW WHAT?

Move to breakout rooms with city project managers

“Self-select” rooms or request to be moved into a specific room



BREAKOUT ROOMS

- 1. Parks: Trails and Streetscape**
- 2. Parks: Operation & Maintenance**
- 3. Parks: Planning & Development**
- 4. Trans: Traffic Engineering**
- 5. Trans: Traffic Calming**



STAY INFORMED

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PROJECT CRITERIA

AFFORDABILITY

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