

Neighborhood Enhancement Program



Legend

- NEP Project
- City Limit
- City Park
- School Property
- NEP Area Boundary
- * = Specific Location TBD

Remove pre-paid ballot and drop in the mail by July 22, 2022. Thank you for your participation!
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Newport VOTER'S PAMPHLET & BALLOT



It's what you've been waiting for...time to vote!

The Newport area has received \$282,000 to implement residents' desired enhancement projects, and we need your vote!

In the spring of 2022, the city received 116 requests to enhance the livability of Newport in various ways. Using these requests, we were able to generate 10 enhancement projects, which are described in this pamphlet. The requests that were not developed into projects either did not meet the NEP criteria, were referred to other city departments, or are being addressed by ongoing, city work programs.

Please identify on your ballot, in priority order, which three projects you feel are most deserving of these funds. Three points will be assigned to your first choice, two to your second, and one to your third. We will tabulate your responses and fund the highest scoring projects with the \$282,000 NEP allocation. You will receive a newsletter in late September 2022 with information on the winning projects and the associated project managers, which will also be posted on the NEP website (BellevueWA.gov/nep)

For voting instructions see inside.

**BALLOT INSIDE
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July 22, 2022 DEADLINE**

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The City of Bellevue
Neighborhood Enhancement Program



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Neighborhood Enhancement Program Proposed Projects

NP-1: Newport Hills Property Forest Enhancement **\$90,000**

Newport Hills Property, 11450 SE 60th St

This project would involve the removal of non-native plants from natural forested areas within the Newport Hills Property. The scope of work would involve the removal of blackberry and ivy from the forest floor and removal of ivy growing up existing native trees. Other non-native invasive weeds would also be removed as they are encountered. All impacted areas would be replanted with native trees and shrubs that are suitable for site conditions.

NP-2: New Pedestrian-Activated Crosswalk Flashing System **\$205,000**

119th Ave SE and SE 58th St

This project would install new pedestrian-activated flashing system at the existing crosswalk over 119th Avenue SE and SE 58th Street. Flashing beacons would be added on each side of the street. The proposed project would include associated curb ramp improvements and street lighting upgrades.

NP-3: New Pedestrian-Activated Crosswalk Flashing System **\$190,500**

SE 60th St and 123rd Ave SE

This project would install new pedestrian-activated flashing system at the existing crosswalk over SE 60th Street and 123rd Avenue SE. Flashing beacons would be added on each side of the street. The proposed project would include associated street lighting upgrades.

NP-4: New Pedestrian-Activated Crosswalk Flashing System **\$195,500**

Intersection of SE 60th St and 120th Ave SE (at the NE corner of Newport Hills Park)

This project would install new pedestrian-activated flashing system at the existing crosswalk over SE 60th Street and 123rd Avenue SE. Flashing beacons would be added on each side of the street. The proposed project would include associated street lighting upgrades and a new curb ramp on north side of street.

NP-5: New Bench at Newport Hills Mini Park **\$4,000**

Newport Hills Mini Park on the SW corner of 129th Ave SE and SE 60th St

This project would include installation of a 6'-0" long bench in the park. The addition of the new bench would be located along the trail in the southeast corner of the park.

NP-6: Stationary Radar Feedback Sign **\$95,235**

SE 60th Street east of 128th Avenue SE

Project costs would include new stationary radar feedback sign, pole, all necessary trenching and wiring, and property restoration. All work will be conducted by a contractor hired by the City of Bellevue.

NP-7: Newport Hills Streetlight Enhancement **\$21,500**

Newport Hills various streets north of SE 52nd St

This project would replace lighting fixtures with LED in existing pedestrian streetlights throughout Newport Hills. Permit and installation would be completed by Puget Sound Energy.

NP-8: New Bike Rack and Bench Relocation at SE 40th St Boat Launch **\$3,500**

Kiosk Shelter at SE 40th St Boat Launch

This project would install a new bike rack next to the kiosk shelter that can store up to five bikes. The existing bench would be relocated under the kiosk shelter to keep people dry when it is raining.

NP-9: SE 60th St Sidewalk **\$224,000**

North side of SE 60th St between 128th Ave SE and Coal Creek trailhead

This project would install a new sidewalk on SE 60th Street between 128th Avenue SE and Coal Creek trailhead, connecting a gap in the sidewalk network. The sidewalk would replace the existing path connecting the Coal Creek trailhead and the existing flashing crosswalk across SE 60th Street and 129th Avenue SE. Project cost estimate would include sidewalk improvements, construction activity, and any necessary overhead work including design work and permitting. Further outreach to residents would be needed to communicate impacts of construction.

NP-10: 120th Ave SE Streetlights **\$157,000**

This project would install up to four (4) new LED streetlights along 120th Avenue SE entering Greenwich Crest. On-going electricity costs would be paid for by the city. Actual locations would need to be examined further for feasibility. Streetlight location subject to adjacent homeowner approval.

Voting Instructions


Voting by Mail Only

Please select your top three projects by completing and returning the enclosed postage paid ballot by **Friday, July 22, 2022**. **Ballots postmarked after this date will not be accepted.** Please contact Theresa Cuthill with any questions at tcuthill@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-4186.

* Printing, mailing and administrative costs included in the \$282,000 funding allocation.

For more information on the proposed ballot projects, including design concepts, please visit the NEP website BellevueWA.gov/nep June 2022



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