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NEP NEWSLETTER





Bridle Trails

Thank you for participating in the Bridle Trails Neighborhood Enhancement Program!

In June and July 2025, 388 ballots (8.5% of Bridle Trails households) were returned on the fourteen (14) proposed enhancement projects to receive Neighborhood Enhancement Program (NEP) funds. Four projects will be funded out of the \$445,000 Bridle Trails NEP allocation, which will also encompass associated planning, design, labor, and materials fees.

Please take a moment to complete the enclosed, prepaid NEP evaluation form, and mail it back to us. Your feedback is critical to ensuring that the Neighborhood Enhancement Program is meeting your needs, as well as informing planning decisions, program improvement, and policy development. You can also complete the evaluation form online via the NEP website (BellevueWA.gov/nep). Kindly return your completed form or submit your comments online by **October 27, 2025**.

As we begin the implementation phase, we encourage you to remain engaged in the process by contacting project managers to provide input, tracking the status of the projects on the NEP website, and enjoying the built work!

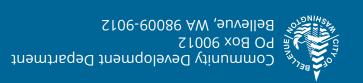
Please Return Enclosed Evaluation Form or submit comments online at <u>BellevueWA.gov/nep</u> by Oct. 27! Funded Project List and Final Results Inside

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The City of Bellevue Neighborhood Enhancement Program







Funded projects to be implemented by Neighborhood Enhancement Program over the next three to five years.

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BT-4: Viewpoint Park Forest Enhancement

\$165,000 307 points

Viewpoint Park

This project will enhance forest health within Viewpoint Park by removing non-native species, such as English ivy and Himalayan blackberry, and introducing native trees and shrubs. The newly planted vegetation will be maintained until it becomes established and self-sustaining. These efforts will foster a more diverse and resilient forest ecosystem, improving wildlife habitat and strengthening essential ecological functions..

Project Manager: Maryan Olson (425-229-6471); molson@bellevuewa.gov

BT-11: Bridle Trails Medians Landscape Enhancement

\$58,500 300 points

Planter islands on 140th Ave NE, NE 40th St, 148th Ave NE at NE 40th, and 130th Ave NE

This project will include landscape renovation and site improvements in several of the medians in the Bridle Trails area. Work will include removal of declining shrubs, installation of drought tolerant plants and bulbs where appropriate, soil grading and amendment, and top dressed with bark mulch. Medians considered for enhancement will need to be accessible for hand watering, due to the lack of irrigation present.

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Project Manager: Laura McKee (425-452-4108); Imckee@bellevuewa.gov

BT-1: Bridle Trails Neighborhood Identity Signage Replacements \$165,000 264 points

Various locations in the Bridle Trails neighborhood area

This project will construct up to four new Bridle Trails neighborhood identity signs to replace existing deteriorated signage throughout the neighborhood. Residents will have the opportunity to provide input into sign design selection during a resident review of the proposed signs. Signs will be designed and constructed as per City of Bellevue sign code guidelines.

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Project Manager: Jonathan Winslow (425-452-4112); jwinslow@bellevuewa.gov

BT-6: Goff Creek clean up \$47,500 196 points

Goff Creek at NE 24th St between 130th PI NE and 131st PI NE

This project will remove ivy, stabilize slopes, add native plant species to reduce stormwater runoff and erosion, and perform maintenance to ensure plant survival. The project area is approximately 8,000 square feet and 200 linear feet of streambank. City will provide outreach with 4 identified properties upstream of the project location.

Project Managers: Brian Ruhland (425-452-7945); bruhland@bellevuewa.gov and Caitlyn Barrera (425-452-2033); cbarrera@bellevuewa.gov

Overall Bridle Trails Project List and Final Vote Results:

Ballot #	Project	Cost	Points
BT-4	Viewpoint Park Forest Enhancement	\$165,000	307
BT-11	Bridle Trails Medians Landscape Enhancement	\$58,500	300
BT-1	Bridle Trails Neighborhood Identity Signage Replacements	\$165,000	264
*BT-6	Goff Creek Clean Up	\$47,500	196
BT-9	Cherry Crest Street Light Maintenance	\$225,000	246
BT-13	140th Ave NE Landscape Refurbishment	\$79,000	211
BT-2	Radar Feedback Signs on 132nd Ave NE between the S-Curve and NE 60th St	\$150,000	133
BT-10	Radar Feedback Signs on 134th Ave NE between NE 24th St and the S-Curve	\$150,000	116
BT-5	Adult Play Equipment at Goldsmith Park	\$45,000	100
BT-3	Radar Feedback Signs on NE 40th St between 140th Ave NE and 148th Ave NE	\$150,000	96
BT-7	Pike's Peak Neighborhood Street Lights	\$36,000	91
BT-12	Radar Feedback Signs on 140th Ave NE between NE 40th St and NE 60th St	\$150,000	75
BT-8	Painted Shoulder Lines on both sides of 130th Ave NE between NE 24th St and NE 32nd Pl	\$150,000	71
BT-14	Bike Rack at Bridle Trails Corner Park	\$7,000	52

^{*}Four of 14 proposed projects will be funded. The first three chosen projects can be funded. There are not enough funds to include the fourth or fifth selected projects, however, it was determined that the sixth selected project will be funded in order to utilize the maximum amount of NEP funding available to the neighborhood area.

Questions/Concerns?

Contact the following individual regarding the following topics:

Neighborhood Enhancement Program and Bridle Trails Neighborhood Liaison

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