

TOWN OF WOODWAY

## MAYOR'S MESSAGE

### JOIN US AT THE TOWN FAIR!



On Saturday, August 6, the Town Fair returns! After cancelling in 2020 and having a smaller Fair in 2021, our 19th Town Fair will return to the traditional BBQ lunch, children's activities, musical entertainment, community booths, and more.

- John Bush has again volunteered to bring a children's woodworking project - these are always popular with Woodway families. Stop by his tent to reserve your building time.
- Musical entertainment will be provided by Third Harbour, a traditional Celtic and Irish music troupe. The group includes Woodway resident Dennis Burkhardt on cello. We're so excited to have local musicians this year!
- Zoologist, educator, and author, Scott Petersen, the Reptile Man, presents live reptiles in a 40-minute show that teaches the importance of all animals in nature.

The schedule of events is included here so you don't miss any of the fun.

Bike Decorating	10-10:30 am
Musical Entertainment: Third Harbour	10 am - 12:15 pm
Children's Woodworking Project	10 am - 1:30 pm
Parade	10:30 am
Deadline to Enter Floral Contest	10:30 am
BBQ Lunch	11 am - 1 pm
End of People's Choice Voting	12:15 pm
Mayor's Address & Announcement of Floral Contest Winner	12:15 pm
Children's Entertainment: The Reptile Man	12:30 pm
Close of Fair	1:30 pm

### FLOWERS AT THE FAIR!

Is your garden bursting with color? Do you have an abundance of native greenery? Show off your artistic skills at the 4th annual Town Fair Flower Arranging contest!

- Contest open to all Woodway residents.
- Categories: Most Representative of Woodway & People's Choice!
- All arrangements must have one element from the garden of the submitting resident. In addition to this element, any other purchased flowers or greenery may be used.
- Arrangements need to be of living flowers/greenery.
- Arrangements need to be delivered to Town Hall by **10:30 a.m. on August 6.**

See you at the Fair!

#### INSIDE THIS ISSUE:

Coffee with the Mayor	2
Pavement Repair	3
Planning Commission Notes	3
Town Council Corner	3

## COFFEE WITH THE MAYOR

On July 9, we held our first “Coffee with the Mayor” at Town Hall. Approximately 20 people participated, as well as two Council Members and our Town Administrator. Overall, it was a good opportunity to bring the community together to discuss issues and hear creative new ideas. Some key topics included:

- Twin Maples – Several residents felt that speeding continues to be a concern, as well as construction noise. We are using our speed signs to gather data on speeds throughout the neighborhood. We hope to have more information soon, which will guide our strategy. We will follow-up with residents with construction permits to remind them of our noise ordinance – prohibiting construction noise during the hours of 6pm to 8am, daily. We also discussed the problem of older septic systems throughout the neighborhood, and the process and costs associated with extending sewer service to the area. We will work with Olympic View (the sewer provider in Town) to schedule a public meeting to discuss the topic this summer.
- Woodway Park Road – As in Twin Maples, speeding was identified as a concern here, too. Residents provided a number of ideas, including suggestions around messaging on our website and continued work with our police. We noted that we have done speeding studies on Woodway Park Road and have found that, generally, we do not have a substantial speeding problem. We noted that the proximity of

cars to walkers often creates a perception of speeding. That being said, Woodway Park Road will continue to be an area of emphasis for our police.

- Paving and potholes – Public Works Director Terry Bryant has provided an update on this topic on page 3.



*Mayor Quinn and residents discuss community issues at the first Coffee with the Mayor on July 9*



- Library services – A resident expressed concerns about the inability of residents to use the library services in neighboring cities. These libraries are part of library districts – the King County Library System and the Sno-Isle Library System, which are funded by local property taxes. The Town has twice put a measure on the ballot to join the Sno-Isle Library District and the measure was soundly defeated both times. A resident expressed an interest in doing additional research on the topic and gathering information on whether there is enough interest amongst residents to attempt another ballot measure. We will provide an update when we learn more.

- Welcome package for new residents – We have seen an influx of new residents in Town, and it was suggested that we develop a welcome packet for those new in our community. We will have further discussions on this and work with local real estate agents on some ideas and assistance.

Overall, it was a great meeting. The next two are scheduled for August 27 and September 10. Fall dates will be announced soon. I hope to see you there!

## TOWN COUNCIL CORNER

### General Government:

- Heard a report from Snohomish Health District Interim Deputy Administrative Officer Pamela Aguilar.
- Reviewed the Quarter 1 2022 Financial Report.
- Approved Ordinance 2022-639: WMC 3.24 - Change Agency fund to Custodial fund.
- Held a community discussion on several issues.
- Reviewed the 2021 Annual Report.
- Heard a report from Chris Collier, Affordable Housing Alliance Program Manager.
- Mayor Quinn sent a letter to BSRE to encourage a discussion and process to address mutual interests in the redevelopment of Point Wells. A copy of the letter can be found on our website here: [https://](https://www.townofwoodway.com/Documents/point%20wells/Letter%20--%20BSRE%20-%207-19-22.pdf)

[www.townofwoodway.com/Documents/point%20wells/Letter%20--%20BSRE%20-%207-19-22.pdf](https://www.townofwoodway.com/Documents/point%20wells/Letter%20--%20BSRE%20-%207-19-22.pdf).

### Land Use & Planning:

- Discussed an amendment to the Upper Bluff Development Agreement.

### Public Works & Lands:

- Public Hearing: Six-Year Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) 2023-2028.
- Approved Resolution 2022-439: Six-Year Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) 2023-2028.

### Public Safety:

- Reviewed the Quarter 1 2022 Police Activity Report.
- Authorized the Mayor to execute the Prosecution Services Contract with Zachor, Stock, and Krepps, Inc. P.S.
- Met Edmonds Police Chief Michelle Bennett.

## PLANNING COMMISSION NOTES

At their July meeting, the Planning Commission held a public hearing to take input on proposed code changes that would clarify the Town's prohibition of short-term rental units. After the public hearing, the Planning Commission unanimously approved Resolution PC

2022-007 and recommended that the Town Council approve amendments to the Zoning Code related to the prohibition of short-term rental units. The Council will review the recommendation in the coming months.

## ASPHALT OVERLAY PROJECT

*By Terry Bryant, Public Works Director*

Overall, the roads in Woodway are in good shape, with a few exceptions. The Town's engineer has surveyed and mapped the areas of concern. The Town of Woodway is in the process of preparing documents to go out to bid for asphalt overlay for those locations. We have received a repair estimate of \$175,000.

Several areas in Town will have the top layer of asphalt removed and replaced. These include the intersection of 226<sup>th</sup>/Algonquin/North Deer; the intersection of Bella

Coola and Chinook; a portion of West Greystone Lane; and a portion of Timberlane (south) where the roadway is experiencing potholing issues. Additional areas will have crack sealing/minor pavement maintenance completed.

Construction work is expected to begin in late summer or early fall. While portions of the roads will be closed at times, full road closure is not planned. Notification of impending construction will be posted at the affected locations.



# TOWN OF WOODWAY

23920 113<sup>th</sup> Place West  
Woodway, WA 98020

## SUMMER 2022 NEWSLETTER



---

### TOWN INFORMATION

#### TOWN HALL DIRECTORY:

Class	Code City
County	Snohomish
Population	1325
Business Hours	9 am to 1 pm   Monday-Thursday
Permit Counter Hours	See website for details
Town Hall Phone	(206) 542-4443
Public Works Phone	(206) 542-0183
Website	<a href="http://www.townofwoodway.com">www.townofwoodway.com</a>
Email addresses	See staff & elected official contact information on our website
Mayor	Mike Quinn
Council Meets	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mondays, 6:00 p.m.
Planning Commission Chair	Per Odegaard
Planning Commission Meets	1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

#### TOWN HALL STAFF:

Town Administrator	Eric A. Faison
Clerk-Treasurer	Heidi K. S. Napolitano
Dep. Clerk-Treas./Permit Tech	Kim Sullivan
Public Works Director	Terrance R. Bryant, Jr.
Public Works Crew	Scott Wynne
	Collin Harlow
Town Attorney	Greg Rubstello
Building Official/Plan Checker	Tom Phillips
Building Inspector	Scott Dorrance
Police Chief	Alan Correa
Fire Marshal	Derek LaFontaine
Town Planner	Bill Trimm
Town Engineer	PACE Engineers
Town Hearing Examiner	John Galt
<b>EMERGENCY</b>	<b>911</b>

#### TOWN COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Brian Bogen, John Brock, Andrew DeDonker, Elizabeth Mitchell, & Rajeev Thakur

#### LOCATIONS OF THE TOWN BULLETIN BOARDS:

Woodway Park Road at Algonquin Road  
Woodway Park Road at Deer Creek Park  
Bella Coola Road west of Makah Road

Timberlane Road at 240<sup>th</sup> Street S.W.  
114<sup>th</sup> Avenue W. at 239<sup>th</sup> Place S.W.  
Willowick Road, north side