



# Duvall News

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## MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Community,

It is hard to believe but the school year is about to begin. At my household I will have two at the high school. One will be active in band this year. I appreciate how the school district has a wide range of activities for the students.

With the new school year comes lots of changes to our morning commutes. Many of us will see the sleepy teenager at the bus stop or the elementary student waiting with their parent for the bus. Either way, please drive safely.

The City Council recently approved the construction contract for the next phase of Main Street improvements which is an important project for our community. This phase will extend from Ring Street to Big Rock Road, completing the vision of sidewalks all along Main Street that was developed many years ago when we planned for a project in the heart of downtown. The project will take over a year to complete but when it is done it will transform the look and feel of our City. I want to thank the council for their continued and wholehearted support of this major project.

Speaking of thanking folks, I want to thank the Duvall Cultural Commission for another great Summer Stage series. This year we had record attendance at the concerts and the weather was fantastic. There were a number of great bands, and of course the ever popular beer garden. I want to thank the Rotary Club, Duvall Chamber and the other volunteers for staffing the events.

Finally, before the weather changes, take a walk or visit one of the many parks in our City. The Crew has done a wonderful job keeping them in "tip-top" shape.

Sincerely,  
Will Ibershof

## MAIN STREET PROJECT UPDATE



As you may have noticed, activity has been ramping up along Main Street. The city's contractor, Interwest Construction, will be performing work throughout the project limits (Hwy 203, from Ring Street to Big Rock Road) with a focus on storm line installation and preparatory clearing. Drivers should expect typical construction delays with flagger controlled single lane closures. Use of alternate routes is advised, and you can stay up to date on project information by checking the city's Facebook page or website. Questions can be directed to the Project Manager, Shaun Tozer at 425-788-3434 or [shaun.tozer@duvallwa.gov](mailto:shaun.tozer@duvallwa.gov).



## DEPOT BUILDING AVAILABLE FOR RENT

The Depot Building is recommended for meeting space and has been used for weddings, receptions, and memorials. (Birthday parties are not an allowed use.)

The facility has two restrooms, a kitchenette, and ADA accessibility. It is located at the Depot Park adjacent to the Duvall Police Station.

- **Square footage: 960**
- **Occupancy: 48**
- **Hourly rate: nonprofit \$10.00/ for-profit \$20.00**

For more information and a list of openings, please contact Alana McCoy with the City of Duvall Public Works Department at 425-939-8045, or [alana.mccoy@duvallwa.gov](mailto:alana.mccoy@duvallwa.gov).

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN SEPTEMBER?



**First day of school -Riverview School District:** Tuesday, September 6<sup>th</sup>  
[www.riverview.wednet.edu](http://www.riverview.wednet.edu)



**Duvall Farmers Market:** Every Thursday, 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., Brown Avenue, between Ring and Richardson. Find out more at [www.duvallfarmersmarket.org](http://www.duvallfarmersmarket.org).



**Art & Wine Walk:** Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup>; 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Downtown Duvall.  
[duvallculture.org/art-page/duvall-art-walk/](http://duvallculture.org/art-page/duvall-art-walk/)



**Outdoor Quilt Show:** Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
[www.duvallquiltshow.com](http://www.duvallquiltshow.com)



**CITY OF DUVAL OFFICES  
WILL BE CLOSED ON  
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>,  
IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY.**



## CALLING ALL RECRUITS

Duvall Fire is currently recruiting men and women to become volunteer firefighter/EMTs. Volunteer firefighter/EMTs come from all walks of life: students, engineers, loggers, police officers, mechanics, software and IT professionals.

You can learn more by attending one of the information nights scheduled for Thursday September 8<sup>th</sup>, Thursday September 29<sup>th</sup>, and Tuesday October 18<sup>th</sup>, all at 7:00 p.m. at the Duvall Fire headquarters (at 15600 First Ave NE). RSVPs are encouraged. Volunteer firefighter candidates must live within the Duvall King County Fire District 45 boundary, be at least 18, have graduated from high school, have an insurable driving record, pass a background check, and pass the following tests: physical capability test, a written test (for assessing reading comprehension), medical exam, and psychological evaluation. Applications are available at the Duvall Fire headquarters during regular business hours and online at [www.duvallfire45.com](http://www.duvallfire45.com). For additional information and to sign up for one of the information nights, call 425-788-1625.

## CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION DEBRIS

Did you know that recyclable materials from construction and demolition projects are now **required** to be recycled? This includes wood, cardboard, metal, gypsum scrap, asphalt paving, bricks and concrete. Find designated facilities at [www.greentools.us](http://www.greentools.us) or get more information by visiting [www.kingcounty.gov/solidwaste](http://www.kingcounty.gov/solidwaste).



## ATTENTION HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATIONS

Are you in charge of an HOA located within the City of Duvall? The city is collecting current contact information for local associations. Our goal is to create a contact list to be able to inform neighborhoods of newsworthy items. Please contact Cheri James at 425-788-1185 or email [cheri.james@duvallwa.gov](mailto:cheri.james@duvallwa.gov).



## MAKE THE SWITCH TO SHOWER BETTER

The shower represents all-important “me time” where we wake up, wind down, or get ready to tackle the day. But there’s more to this soapy ritual than relaxation—showering accounts for 1.2 trillion gallons of water used nationwide annually.

**Shorten your shower one minute and save 550 gallons per year**

**Switch your showerhead and save 2,900 gallons per year**

**Shower Better** look for

WaterSense [epa.gov/watersense](http://epa.gov/watersense)

By switching to a WaterSense labeled showerhead, you can save energy, water, and money while enjoying the same level of coverage you’ve come to expect. That’s because showerheads that have earned the WaterSense label are independently certified to use 20 percent less water and meet EPA’s

performance criteria for spray force and water coverage. With WaterSense labeled showerheads, you can have the same powerful shower you want, with the added satisfaction of savings.

To put it in perspective, a WaterSense labeled showerhead will save you 4 gallons of water every time you enjoy a shower. Switching just one showerhead in your home to a WaterSense labeled model can save your family more than 2,900 gallons of water each year—that’s more than five times the amount of water you would save annually if you each shortened every shower by one minute. Your family can also save enough electricity to power your home for 13 days per year and reduce utility bills by nearly \$70 annually.

For even more shower savings, the WaterSense Rebate Finder Website serves as a one-stop shop for nationwide rebate offers on WaterSense labeled showerheads and other plumbing fixtures. The choice is simple—make your energy-saving action this month a switch to shower better.

Rebate Finder: [https://www3.epa.gov/watersense/rebate\\_finder\\_saving\\_money\\_water.html](https://www3.epa.gov/watersense/rebate_finder_saving_money_water.html).

## Elected Officials

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## CITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS



**September 6<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> -City Council Meetings** - 7:00 p.m. in the Riverview School District Educational Service Center, 15510 First Avenue NE. (Committee of the Whole begins at 5:30 p.m.).

**September 14<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> -Planning Commission Meetings** - 7:00 p.m. in the Duvall Visitor Center, 15619 Main Street NE.