



**TOWN OF BEAUX ARTS VILLAGE  
TOWN BULLETIN  
JUNE 2017**

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WABA Board Mtg.	Monday	7:00pm	June 5 <sup>th</sup>	Bogert
BARF Sailing Races	Wednesdays	6:30pm	June-August	Beach
Town Council	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday	7:00pm	June 13 <sup>th</sup>	Hudson
Town Planning Commission	3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday	7:00pm	June 15 <sup>th</sup>	Dix
Meet the Lifeguards	Saturday	Noon	June 17 <sup>th</sup>	Beach

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**COUNCIL BUSINESS:** The following discussions took place at the Council’s May meeting:

- Animal Control Services: The Council adopted Resolution No. 302 authorizing the mayor to execute an Interlocal Agreement with King County for Animal Services.
- Neighborhood Traffic Mitigation: Beaux Arts members of the Neighborhood Traffic Committee are working on a letter to Sound Transit, state representatives, the Enatai Neighborhood Association and the Bellevue Reporter outlining Villagers’ concerns about the impact of Bellevue Way construction on our neighborhoods, in particular increased cut-through traffic and increased parking throughout the neighborhood after the South Bellevue Park & Ride is closed to parking. To help assess the impact of cut-through traffic, the Council has purchased traffic counters to place at the three vehicular entrances to Town. These counters will collect data on cut-through traffic volumes for Council review and action.

**NEXT COUNCIL MEETING:** The next regular meeting of the Town Council will be held at 7:00pm on **Tuesday, June 13, 2017** at Cynthia Hudson’s house. Interested persons are encouraged to attend.

**2017 CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT:** State statues require the Beaux Arts Water Department to send customers a report detailing water quality testing and results performed during the prior calendar year. A copy of the 2017 Consumer Confidence Report (which details results for 2016) is attached to this newsletter and can also be found at [http://www.beauxarts-wa.gov/pdf\\_files/2017\\_ccr.pdf](http://www.beauxarts-wa.gov/pdf_files/2017_ccr.pdf).

**EAST LINK CONSTRUCTION – SOUND TRANSIT UPDATES: REMINDER:** New I-90 HOV Lanes to Open Weekend of June 3<sup>rd</sup>. WSDOT and Sound Transit are gearing up for changes coming to I-90 during the weekend of June 3. If you drive on I-90 between Seattle and Bellevue, you'll notice some changes including shifting three existing lanes to the right side of the roadway and the opening of new full-time HOV lanes in both the east and westbound directions. At the same time, the I-90 express lanes will **permanently close** as Sound Transit begins East Link light rail construction from Seattle to Redmond. This will be a change for all I-90 corridor users and could take several weeks for users to adjust to the new lanes.

The South Bellevue P&R closed on May 30, 2017. Sound Transit routes 550, 555, 556 and 241 will continue to serve stops on Bellevue Way SE adjacent to the South Bellevue Park-and-Ride site in temporary bus stops during East Link construction. Other Resources:

- [Park-and-Ride Information page](#) or [Park-and-Ride Closure page](#) or [Just One Trip](#)
- **King County Metro VanShare:** [King County Metro's VanShare page](#).
- **Park-and-Ride Permit Parking:** [Carpool Parking Permit Page](#).
- **Plan your trip:** [kingcounty.gov/metro](http://kingcounty.gov/metro), 206-553-3000, Metro [Trip Planner app](#), or [Commute Inquiry Form](#). Learn about bike parking at [Sound Transit](#) and [King County Metro](#).

Also, while construction of the downtown Bellevue tunnel continues, Sound Transit will begin building the above-ground sections of the light rail alignment between East Main Station and Spring District/120th Station, the “central Bellevue” area, this spring. The central Bellevue portion of East Link is an approximately 2-mile segment of the project’s 14 miles of new light rail, which includes four of the 10 stations. Stations include East Main Station, Bellevue Downtown Station, Wilburton Station, and Spring District/120th Station. Consider also contacting [Sound Transit East Link](#) at the following for any questions:

Phone: Outreach team, 206-398-LINK / 206-398-5465 business hours  
or 1-888-298-2395, for the 24 hr construction hotline

Email: [eastlink@soundtransit.org](mailto:eastlink@soundtransit.org)

Online: [www.soundtransit.org/eastlink](http://www.soundtransit.org/eastlink), <https://www.soundtransit.org/blog/platform>.

**ENERGIZE EASTSIDE:** Puget Sound Energy’s (PSE) Energize Eastside project will build a new substation and upgrade 18 miles of existing transmission lines from Redmond to Renton to catch up with the growth as we move to the future to help provide reliability and capacity that’s needed. For more details, see the attachment.

**MARSHAL REPORT:** A locked mailbox was broken into near the water tower mid-May. Vehicle smash & grab reports continue throughout Enatai. Please remember any of us can be targets anytime; thank you for picking up your mail promptly and removing items from your vehicles.

**May** activity in Beaux Arts/Enatai area included:

- King County Sheriff’s office reports crimes occurred per their map: <https://www.crimereports.com/>
- Bellevue Police department reports the following crimes occurred in per Bellevue’s Crime map: <http://spotcrime.com/wa/bellevue> or <http://www.crimemapping.com/map/wa/bellevue>
- NextDoor Enatai members report incidents around us every month, including theft, vandalism, etc. Next Door Enatai now has a private sub-group just for Beaux Arts residents. For complete details, residents may log in with a password to the local blog, <https://enataisurreydowns.nextdoor.com/login/>.

**NOISE and WORKING HOURS:** The Town does not have a specific noise ordinance, but with the warming weather and increased daylight, we’re seeing – and hearing – a lot more activity outside, as often happens in spring and summer! Construction crews are required to adhere to “construction working” hours and the Town asks that all other work and recreational noise *also* adhere to these same hours as well, if at all possible. We ask all villagers to respect your neighbors’ rights by always limiting your noise as appropriate and reasonable, and during “construction working” hours wherever possible as follows:

Monday through Friday	7 am – 6 pm
Saturday	8 am – 5 pm
Sunday and <u>Holidays</u>	No Work Allowed

Beaux Arts observes the following Federal Holidays: New Year's Day, MLK Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas.

**ROAD BLOCKAGE:** Please do not park on a road that blocks the lane in any way. Parking must be completely off the roadway to keep enough width for a fire truck or other large trucks to move through at

any given time. Blocking vehicles may get towed! With our narrow, single lanes, many of which dead-end, it's critical for all residents that all road blockages be kept to a minimum. If a road will be blocked for more than a quick, weekly delivery like UPS, please schedule with Deputy Clerk Kulp so she can alert all impacted residents in advance. Construction crews already do this as required, and we are working with utility companies to get them to consistently schedule blockages ahead of time as well. Email is the primary communication method used to reach the majority of residents quickly, so if you are not receiving emails and want to, please contact Deputy Clerk Kulp.

**SUMMER JOB OPORTUNITY:** United Way of King County is recruiting an exceptional team of 100 to help us end childhood hunger this summer! In King County, 100,000 low-income children and teenagers rely on free or discounted meals during the school year, but less than 20% access free meals available during the summer. This team deploys to parks, libraries, and community centers across King County to deliver free meals and educational activities to children and make sure families know about this important resource. Have fun in the sun and gain excellent career experience while fighting summer hunger! Visit <http://bit.ly/2nBeYwa> for a detailed position description and to apply or: <https://www.facebook.com/UnitedWayKC/posts/10155235720102264>.

**TOWN BUILDING NEWS:** All required permits were issued by the Building Dept. in May for:  
10544 SE 28<sup>th</sup> St. Tree Removal  
103<sup>rd</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> Utility power pole removal  
2865 – 102<sup>nd</sup> Ave. SE Deck Repair  
10010 SE 28<sup>th</sup> St. Shoreline Exemption for a boatlift replacement  
The Town's Building Department reminds residents that most work requires permits; thank you to those that double-check before starting any work: [http://www.beauxarts-wa.gov/bldg\\_dept.htm](http://www.beauxarts-wa.gov/bldg_dept.htm).

**WATER DEPT. SURVEY:** The Town's water department wants to know who in the town has a filtration system on their home water, what kind it is and how well it works. Please email Bob Durr, Water Dept. Supervisor, or Deputy Clerk Kulp to pass onto Bob. Thank you!

**WABA / Western Academy of Beaux Arts NEWS:**

**B.A.R.F.:** Beaux Arts Racing Fleet will compete every Wednesday, June through August for summer sailing races! Captains, see Kara Carlson if you have not yet signed up for a potluck hosting.

**BOARD MEETING:** Due to travel schedules, the June Board meeting will be held on Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00pm at the Bogert residence.

**CENTER BBQ REBUILD:** The BBQ rebuild project has been completed! However, the building materials need time to cure, so fires and cooking on the grills will be allowed after July 4<sup>th</sup>. The drainage work is close to completion, and grass will be planted afterwards and fenced off to protect it while it re-grows. The area is open for reservations on either side of the work area. The very southern BBQ is also available to reserve for small groups. Thank you to Chuck Lowry for coordinating the entire process!

**LIFEGUARDS:** Come and **meet our lifeguards** on Saturday, June 17<sup>th</sup> at 12:00pm; treats will be served! Marji Jochums, Jenn Heintz, and Candice Soderquist are serving as our Beach Parents this summer, and will be there as well. **Lifeguard Hours:** Starting June 17<sup>th</sup> there will be a lifeguard on duty after school hours until 6:00pm. From June 27<sup>th</sup>-September 4<sup>th</sup> the regular hours will be:  
Sunday - Thursday 1:00pm - 6:00pm and Friday & Saturday 1:00pm - 7:00pm

**MASTERS REPORTS:** From the WABA volunteers that tirelessly oversee and manage our community waterfront assets.

- **BEACHMASTER:** The construction of the new center BBQ is almost complete; we still have grills and landscaping to finish. We have been instructed to NOT use the new BBQ until the 4th of July - this allows the mortar to completely cure. Also, have you seen the new Adirondack chairs? Thanks to everyone who helped make this happen. See Forrest Kulp with beach questions.
- **DOCKMASTER REPORT:** Time to get those boats back in the water for summer use! Also, are any boat owners planning boatlift additions, replacements or moving locations? See Dockmaster Jay Jacobsen so he can consolidate all requests through WABA; the permit process takes a while.
- **WOODLANDS REPORT:** See Julia Morse with any questions.

**PARKING in the Beach Parking Lots:** Please be sure your vehicles are properly identified as member cars with a sticker, guest tag, or WABA approved guest pass. If you need a replacement sticker, please contact the WABA Clerk with the vehicle/plate info and a new one will be issued to you. To ensure there is space for everyone who needs to park, please plan to carpool, shuttle, or walk down to the beach with your guests as much as possible.

**RESERVATIONS: Beach** Reservations are filling up! If you have a special birthday or other celebration you'd like to host at the beach, please check the WABA calendar on the WABA website [www.waba1908.com](http://www.waba1908.com) to see what dates and times are still available. You can download the reservation form off the website as well; it's in the 'Member Resource' section under 'Beach Reservations'. Groups of 12 or more require a reservation, however smaller groups may also reserve if guest parking passes are needed. A reservation allows you two guest parking passes.

**SUMMER DOG RULES in effect starting Memorial Day:** Restrictions on dog walking and dog swimming are in effect from **Memorial Day through Labor Day:**

- a. Dogs are never allowed at the swim beach or dock during the summer.
- b. Any unaccompanied dog found at the swim beach during the summer will be tied up in the south parking lot by the lifeguard and, if the owner cannot be located, will be released when the lifeguard goes off duty.
- c. Dogs are allowed on the north end of the beach and lawn extending from the northern boundary of the Town of Beaux Arts to a boundary extending from the opening in the break wall to the southwest corner of the tennis court.
- d. Dogs may be walked from the northern part of the beach to the southern access road using a 10-foot strip along the eastern edge of the lawn.
- e. The summer dog swimming area is located at the opening in the break wall.

**SUMMER PICNIC:** The Annual Summer Picnic will be on **Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup>**, please *save the date!* Volunteers are needed to help with the Fishing Derby, Pet Parade, Arts and Crafts Fair, Milk Carton Derby, Cake Decorating Contest, and the Kids Overnight on the beach. Please contact Trisha Gillem or Cyndy Park if you're interested in helping with any of these activities.

**NEED TO CONTACT TOWN STAFF?**

- Contact **Clerk-Treasurer Sue Ann Spens** if you have questions or concerns about issues before the Council, general Town business, or Water-Dept.:

Clerk-Treasurer Sue Ann Spens      [townhall@beauxarts-wa.gov](mailto:townhall@beauxarts-wa.gov) (425) 454-8580.

- Contact **Deputy Clerk Angela Kulp** if you have questions about the building department (including permits and variances), issues before the Planning Commission or Hearing Examiner, or this newsletter:

Deputy Clerk Angela Kulp      [bldgdept@beauxarts-wa.gov](mailto:bldgdept@beauxarts-wa.gov) (425) 269-6985

- To report **Block Watch** concerns, contact:

Town Marshal Walter Scott      (425) 454-2573

Deputy Marshal Scott Harpster      (425) 746-0757

**KCSO Non-Emergency Line**      **(206) 296-3311**

**NEED TO CONTACT WABA?** WABA Members may contact **WABA Clerk Kristin Mange** for any concerns or questions you have about the Western Academy of Beaux Arts, regarding the beach or its use (including reservations and parking stickers), the Green Book, WABA social events or issues before the WABA Board of Trustees:      [wabaclerk@gmail.com](mailto:wabaclerk@gmail.com)      (425) 502-7382

Web address:      <http://waba1908.com/>

Mailing address: Western Academy of Beaux Arts, 10010 SE 28<sup>th</sup> Place, Beaux Arts, WA 98004