

**Upcoming City Council
Agenda Items
April 15, 2014**

7:00 p.m. Regular Meeting:

- [Presentation](#) to members for service on the City Economic Development Committee
- [Presentation](#) regarding new Snohomish police officers
- [Public Hearing](#) for extension of recreational marijuana moratorium
- [Public Hearing](#) for recreational marijuana ordinances
- [Public Hearing](#) for group quarters ordinances

The agenda list above is partial and tentative. For further information, click here for the City website:

<http://www.snohomishwa.gov/AgendaCenter/City-Council-Agendas-1>

2014 Calendar:

Public Safety Commission

Tuesday, April 8
5 p.m. Fire District
Training Annex
1525 Avenue D

Design Review Board

Wednesday, April 9
7 p.m. City Hall
Conference Room
116 Union Avenue

Traffic Impacts Expected for Second Street and Lincoln Avenue Intersection Closure

Motorists are advised that street work scheduled to begin Monday, April 7, will impact traffic at Second Street and Lincoln Avenue in Snohomish. Expect traffic delays in the area on April 7th and 8th.

On Monday, April 7th, the existing pavement at the intersection will be ground down in preparation for the asphalt overlay. There will be temporary lane closures as this work is performed. Please be aware of and follow the detour signs if you are traveling in this area on April 8th. The sidewalk in this area will be temporarily closed during construction. This schedule is dependent on the weather.

On Tuesday, April 8th, the intersection will be closed from 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for the asphalt overlay as part of the Second Street and Lincoln Avenue Traffic Signal Project. By closing the intersection, the contractor will be able to complete the overlay in one day instead of over multiple days. This will minimize the cumulative amount of traffic impacts. Reader boards announcing the closure have been placed in the vicinity of the intersection and a detour route through Third Street via Maple and Pine Avenues will be set up on April 8th.

The Second Street and Lincoln Avenue Traffic Signal Project is nearing completion. The traffic signal poles have been installed and the sidewalk improvements and landscaping are complete. Striping and sign installation will be the remaining items to be completed prior to the traffic signal becoming operational. This project will improve the safety and capacity for vehicles as well as Centennial Trail users.

The City was awarded two grants for the construction of this project, one from a federal grant through the Puget Sound Regional Council and the other through the Washington State Pedestrian and Bicycle Program. More than 90% of the construction costs will be funded by these grants.

Please contact Andrew Sics (360-282-3174) or Tim Cross (360-282-3193) if you have any questions or concerns regarding this project.

Grant Winter Baskets

Two winter baskets funded by a special City of Snohomish grant process are now hanging on the out riggers at the public restrooms on First Street in the Historic Downtown District. Yes, it is spring; however the grant test baskets of evergreen perennials can mature for next fall and winter. Plus, just before the Easter Parade, the center plant, a pot within the pot, will be changed for the event, adding a spring touch to our “villagescape”. The plan is for the Snohomish Garden Club to be awarded future grant funds to encourage tourism in the town of Snohomish during the off-season. The hope is the public will take a special trip to Snohomish and check out what the baskets feature for the season, visit our shops, eateries, and enjoy our town.



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Snohomish Easter Parade, Bonnet Contest, and Egg Hunt

The Snohomish Chamber of Commerce proudly presents the 34th Annual Snohomish **Easter Parade**, April 19, 2014, held on First Street in Downtown Snohomish at 11 a.m. This is one of only a few remaining Easter Parade events in the United States. The parade is open to any and all participants. The Parade application is available online at www.cityofsnohomish.com or visit the Snohomish Easter Parade Facebook page for further information. The deadline for submission of the parade application is April 11.

Keeping with tradition, the Snohomish County Tribune’s “Easter Bunny” will be leading the parade and welcoming our crowd to Snohomish. This year’s Parade Main Sponsor is Workman Real Estate Services; other sponsors are Stocker Farms, Cascade Fence, Faith Assembly Church, J.D. the D.J., Catch the Beat, Washington Federal, Kla Ha Ya Village, Ray Cook, Gilpin Realty, Angel Transport and Towing, Fred Meyer, Coastal Community Bank, Haggen Northwest Fresh, Columbia Bank, Home Depot, and Snoqualmie Ice Cream.

Enter the **Easter Bonnet Contest** (no age limit and pets are welcome). Pre-registration for the Bonnet Contest can be done by e-mail to manager@cityofsnohomish.com. Put “Easter Bonnet Contest” in the subject line. Give first name, last initial, and age of each person participating. Pets can be registered under name with “Pet” behind. Day of contest sign up is located at First Street and Avenue A beginning at 10:00 a.m. and judging starts immediately following the parade at that location. There is space on the Chamber Float for contestants to ride in the parade. Gilpin Realty is the 2014 Main Sponsor of the Easter Bonnet Contest and a Friend of the Bonnet Contest Sponsor is Cross View Church.

Faith Assembly Church is sponsoring a public **Easter Egg Hunt** at their Church location, 1220 -22nd Street, Snohomish, WA 98290. The Hunt will begin at 9 a.m. for children pre-school through Grade 6. Parking is limited, as will be the number of eggs available to hunt.

9:00 a.m.: Easter Egg Hunt

10:00 a.m.: Bonnet Contest registration begins (First Street and Avenue A)

11:00 a.m.: Parade (First Street)

Bonnet Contest Judging: Immediately following the Parade

For parade information, contact **Pam Osborne, Snohomish Chamber, (425) 344-8533** or **Laura Huntington, Parade Chair, (425) 754-4518**.