



CITY OF SEQUIM News



March 2019

Meeting Dates & Locations

The meetings are held at the Civic Center located at 152 West Cedar Street.

City Council Regular Meeting Council Chambers	2nd & 4th Monday 6:00 p.m.
City Council Work Session Council Chambers (when required)	2nd & 4th Monday 5:00 p.m.
Planning Commission Council Chambers	1st & 3rd Tuesday 6:00 p.m.
Parks, Arbor, and Recreation Board Community Conf. Room	3rd Monday 5:00 p.m.
Lodging Tax Advisory Comm. Community Conf. Room	Quarterly—Next Meeting March 15—10:00 p.m.
Arts Advisory Commission Community Conf. Room	3rd Monday 3:00 p.m.

Rally in the Alley

Rally in the Alley Rescheduled for April 27

The City of Sequim, in partnership with Habitat for Humanity of Clallam County and Olympic Disposal, will hold the next Rally in the Alley on Saturday, April 27 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. or until dumpsters are full. This event was rescheduled due to the February snowstorm. Dumpsters will be located in the southwest quadrant of the City at:

- 7th & McCurdy
- 6th & Maple

Volunteers will be on site to assist City residents with discarding unwanted items at no cost to the residents. No tires, appliances, liquid paint, gas, fuel, or oil will be accepted.

Volunteers please meet at 7th & McCurdy at 9:00 a.m. for assignments.

Please contact Habitat for Humanity Executive Director Colleen Robinson at (360) 775-3742 or colleen@habitatclallam.org for more information.

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UPCOMING PUBLIC HEARINGS

March 11—1) Economic Opportunity Areas and High Tech Light Industrial Zoning Regulations

2) Master Planned Development/SMC 18.30

March 25—1) Q1 Budget Amendments

The Finance Office will be closed on Monday, March 18 for all day training. We apologize for any inconvenience.

Coffee with the Mayor

Meet Mayor Dennis Smith at Coffee with the Mayor on Thursday, March 28 at 8:30 a.m. at the Black Bear Diner, 1471

East Washington St. Police Chief Sheri Crain will join the Mayor. Each month the Mayor will be available at a published location to meet with anyone who wants to chat, ask



Mayor Dennis Smith



Police Chief Sheri Crain

questions, express a concern, or make a comment about the City or the community.

Art Conversation

Fine, Performance and Culinary Arts

Join the Sequim City Arts Advisory Commission for a conversation about arts and culture in Sequim on Thursday, March 21, 2019 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the Civic Center Council Chambers located at 152 West Cedar Street.

The meeting will focus on the current cultural infrastructure, including what is working and what isn't, and how to add to and support the local arts and cultural programs. Anyone who is interested in arts and culture in the greater Sequim area is encouraged to attend. Please contact Arts Coordinator Cyndi Hueth at 360-582-2477 or chueth@sequimwa.gov with questions.



READ THE CITY MANAGER WEEKLY UPDATES AT WWW.SEQUIMWA.GOV.

Recycling Used Batteries?

Guidance from Clallam County Waste Prevention Program, 360-417-2441 <http://www.clallam.net/PublicWorks/>

- Rechargeable (in computers, cell phones, video cameras): **Home Depot** in Sequim (or check www.call2recycle.org)
- Button-type (in watches, cameras, hearing aids): Take to **local retailers**
- Household (AA, C, D, etc.): Since they're sometimes toxic it's best to recycle, such as at **Around Again**, 360-683-7862
- Automotive: **Public Works Shop**, 169 W. Hemlock (no charge for City residents)

Emergency Preparedness

Make a Family Communication Plan—You and your loved ones



may not be together when a disaster hits. Make a plan for how you will reconnect with each other. Start by taking the following steps:

Complete a contact card for each family member. Everyone should keep these cards with them at all times.

Choose an emergency contact. Memorize the phone number if possible. A friend or relative that lives out of town might be easier to reach in an emergency. During an emergency, family members can call or text this person to let them know that they are safe.

Make sure all family members know how to text. Make sure everyone knows how to turn on a cell phone, find the text messaging app, type a message, and send it to a contact.

Know emergency phone numbers. Keep them in your cell phone and post them near your home phones. Some good numbers to have are your emergency contact, the fire department, police station, and a hospital near you.

To learn more about Emergency Preparedness and Response, visit <http://emergency.cdc/preparedness>.



Sign up for the Clallam County Emergency Alert System

The Clallam County Emergency Management Department uses Code Red for their emergency alert system. To receive messages about emergencies and other important community news, visit www.clallam.net/EmergencyManagement and register your phone number. You can customize what type of information you want to receive and how you want to receive it.

In the Gallery...

“Go Figure” Exhibit

January 4—March 31, 2019



Coming in April

Traveling Audubon Photography Awards Exhibit
April 5—24

Please join us for the opening reception on Friday, April 5 from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Please contact Arts Coordinator Cyndi Hueth at (360) 582-2477 or chueth@sequimwa.gov with questions.

Hours: Monday—Friday 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

March Water Bills are Base Use Only

Because of the February snow storm, City crew members were unable to read water meters. March bills will reflect base use only. Water bills for April will reflect the base rate and the water usage rates for February and March. We apologize for any inconvenience. Please contact the Finance office at 360-683-4139 with questions.

Sequim Small Businesses: You are Not Alone Representatives from the U.S. Small Business Administration to Visit Sequim A Message from SBA Regional Administrator Jerry Field



Jerry Field

Did you know there are many no-cost and low-cost resources available to help small businesses start, grow, expand and recover? Join the local U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) team as we visit Sequim and host several special events March 27—29.

Get to know local lenders, business advisors and industry experts and learn how we can collectively power your American dream of entrepreneurship. In addition to sharing helpful information, tips and resources, we'll also be listening. As your small business voice to Congress and the White House, we want to advocate for businesses in Sequim and coastal Washington.

To see the list of scheduled events and to register visit <https://tinyurl.com/Sequim2019>. For more small business information, visit www.sba.gov/wa. I look forward to meeting you in person.



Remember to Spring Ahead on Sunday, March 10 to daylight savings time.

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