



2022 King County Work Plans

Skyway/West Hill Community Service Area Projects and service updates

This document includes current work plans, initiatives, ongoing projects, and completed projects of King County departments and separately elected offices in your community. The links are continuously updated and contain the latest information from our website. To request this information in another language or format, email AskLocalServices@kingcounty.gov or call 206-477-3800.

Department of Natural Resources and Parks

Solid Waste

- [South County Recycling & Transfer Station project](#)
- [Northeast Recycling & Transfer Station project](#)
- [Cedar Hills Regional Landfill 2020 site development plan and facilities relocation](#)

Parks

- Capital improvements: <https://kingcounty.gov/services/parks-recreation/parks/capital-improvements.aspx>
- Public notices: <https://kingcounty.gov/services/parks-recreation/parks/about/public-notice.aspx>

Water and Land Resources

- Services provided by Water and Land Resources: <https://kingcounty.gov/depts/dnrp/wlr/topics.aspx>
- River and Floodplain Management – Capital Projects: <https://kingcounty.gov/depts/dnrp/wlr/sections-programs/river-floodplain-section/capital-projects.aspx>
- Stormwater Services Capital Service Unit/Projects: <https://kingcounty.gov/depts/dnrp/wlr/sections-programs/stormwater-services-section/capital-services-unit.aspx>
- Rural and Regional Services: <https://kingcounty.gov/depts/dnrp/wlr/sections-programs/rural-regional-services-section.aspx>
- Habitat Restoration Projects: <https://kingcounty.gov/services/environment/animals-and-plants/restoration-projects.aspx>

Metro Transit

- Service advisories: <https://kingcounty.gov/depts/transportation/metro/alerts-updates/service-advisories.aspx>
- In August 2021, responding to expressed community need, Metro expanded [Via to Transit](#), a pilot, on-demand mobility service in Skyway. Via to Transit provides better connections to buses, trains, parks, libraries and more for people who live, work, and go to school in the service areas.

- Riders can request an on-demand ride using the Via app or by calling the Via call center (206-258-7739). Passengers can get picked up steps from their front doors, and travel to/from the following places within the Rainier Beach/Skyway service area without needing a car:
 - Rainier Beach Link light rail Station
 - Kubota Garden
 - Skyway Library
 - Renton Transit Center
 - Available Monday–Saturday 5 a.m. to 1 a.m.; Sunday 6 a.m. to 12 a.m.
 - Costs the same as a Metro bus ride and riders can pay with ORCA, Transit GO Ticket, or a credit/debit card.
- [Community Van](#) launched in December
 - Metro is formally adding three trips on Route 107 in March to alleviate crowding associated with Seattle Public Schools bell times.
 - In March, adding one trip on Route 106 on Saturdays and Sundays through partnership with City of Seattle

Department of Community and Human Services

- 3 Housing Repair Program Projects \$63,500.00 approved
- The [Skyway \\$5 million Fund for Affordable Housing Requests for Proposals \(RFP\)](#) is now open! DCHS and SWH residents, including a Community Advisory Committee, worked together over several months to co-develop the RFP. The primary objectives of the RFP are to:
 - Invest in new affordable housing in SWH for residents vulnerable to displacement and community members who have been displaced.
 - Align new affordable housing investments with the [Skyway-West Hill and North Highline Anti-displacement Strategies Report](#) recommendations.
 - Invest in equitable and community-driven development projects that build wealth and financial stability in historically underserved communities.
 - Provide seed funding to community-driven, affordable housing projects in the early stages of development and support community-based organizations conducting Predevelopment and Acquisition, and/or Construction activities.

For questions or communication about the RFP: All questions, feedback, or inquiries related to the RFP should be directed to Joanna Armstrong, RFP Coordinator at DCHSContracts@kingcounty.gov. The RFP closes at 1:00 p.m. PST on Monday, March 28, 2022.

Older Adults Program

- Women United is a part of the Veterans, Seniors and Human Services Levy (VSHSL) funded Kinship Care provider network. This small organization receives \$25,000 annually through the VSHSL to provide mentoring and support to grandmothers and other relatives caring for children because the parents are unable to provide care.

Road Services

- Projects, plans, reports & standards: <https://kingcounty.gov/depts/local-services/roads/projects-plans.aspx>
- Closed and restricted roads: <https://gismaps.kingcounty.gov/MyCommute/>

Office of Emergency Management

- The Trusted Partner Network (TPN) is a volunteer group representing a diversity of language and cultural groups around the region. TPN volunteers act as a bridge to connect their community groups to emergency alerts and notifications. Learn more and get involved at www.kingcounty.gov/TPN.

Office of Cable Communications and Department of Information Technology

- Affordable Connectivity Program for reduced internet:
<https://kingcounty.gov/depts/it/services/cable-communications/affordable-connectivity-program.aspx>
- Broadband Access Study:
<https://kingcounty.gov/depts/it/services/cable-communications/broadband-access-study.aspx>
- Non-emergency phone numbers for local police and fire:
<https://kingcounty.gov/depts/it/e-911-program/local-numbers.aspx>
- Texting 911 – what you should know:
<https://kingcounty.gov/depts/it/e-911-program/Text-to-9-1-1.aspx>
- Emery the Emergency Penguin (children’s educational materials):
<https://kingcounty.gov/depts/it/e-911-program/emery.aspx>