



# WEEKLY REPORT FROM MAYOR AND COUNCIL

**Friday, May 6, 2022**

## PARKS & RECREATION

**Senior Lunch Meet & Greet** - Parks & Recreation is inviting all seniors to join us at DuPont City Hall's Council Chambers (1700 Civic Drive) on Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at 11 a.m. for a spring lunch, conversation, and brainstorming session to discuss events specifically for seniors. We recognize that the pandemic has changed the way we do things, and we want to hear what is important and interesting to you, post-pandemic. **The favor of an RSVP is appreciated and you can do so by calling (253) 912-5245.** It is OK to leave a message and we will track your RSVP! More information can be found on the City's website at the following link:

<https://www.dupontwa.gov/545/Adults-Seniors>.



**Senior Movie & Lunch** - Seniors, while we have your attention, mark your calendars for **Tuesday, May 17<sup>th</sup>** for Senior Movie Day! More information can be found at <https://www.dupontwa.gov/545/Adults-Seniors>.

**Spring and Summer Parks & Recreation Guide** - Be on the lookout for our first "in print" recreation guide since the pandemic! The upcoming edition will be available the third week of May and will include events and programming for late May through August. New programs include a Movie in the Park series, summer camps, concerts, classes, and tons of fun for everyone.



**Champions of Champions** - The City of DuPont Lodging Tax Advisory Committee (LTAC) and The Home Course welcomed over 100 golfers from out-of-town last weekend who

competed in the 2022 Champion of Champions. It is estimated that over 200 room-nights were accounted for during the tournament. For highlights, go to the following link:  
<https://wagolf.org/play/championships/champion-of-champions/>.

## DUPONT FIRE DEPARTMENT

### Private Medic Information:

- Over the past week, DPFD responded to 14 calls and a Private Medic was not available.



Responses	
Medical/Vehicle Accident ALS	7
Medical/Vehicle Accident BLS	5
Steam, other gas mistaken alarm	1
System or detector malfunction	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>

Calls by time of day in 8-hour blocks:	
0000-0759	3
0800-1649	5
1700-2359	6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>

Medical / Vehicle Accidents	
ALS	7
BLS	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>

Calls by day of the week:	
Sunday	1
Monday	2
Tuesday	4
Wednesday	1
Thursday	1
Friday	1
Saturday	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>

### **Safety Message** –Keep an eye on your cooking

Unattended cooking equipment is a leading cause of home fires.

Using grills on wooden or combustible decks is also a contributor.

When cooking, you should always:

- Keep cooking appliances clear of combustible materials such as rags, towels, and packaging materials.
- Keep children away from all cooking areas.





**DUPONT POLICE DEPARTMENT  
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**Total Calls for Service 04/25/22 – 05/01/22: 227**

**Average: 32.43 calls per day**

**EMERGENCY & PATROL  
INCIDENTS:**

- 84 Security Check/Foot Patrol
- 02 Medical Aid
- 02 Agency Assist
- 09 Welfare Checks
- 03 Animal Complaint
- 03 Motor Vehicle Collision
- 05 Unwanted Person
- 02 Verbal Domestic

**CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS:**

- 01 Domestic Violence (Not In Progress)
- 01 Fraud/ID Theft
- 01 Harassment

**PROPERTY & OTHER CRIMES:**

- 01 Shoplifting
- 01 Theft/Possession of Burglary Tools
- 01 Theft from Vehicle
- 01 Burglary
- 01 Hit and Run

**ARRESTS & REFERRALS:**

- Theft/Possession of Burglary Tools
- DUI (Agency Assist)
- Felony Warrant (Agency Assist)
- Domestic Violence (Referred to prosecutor)

**DEPARTMENT NEWS:**

- One officer is currently undergoing Field Training.
- The department hosted Law Enforcement Records Training. Two staff members were in attendance.
- Officers participated in less lethal/use of force training.

**\*\*\*DPD ANTI-CATALYTIC CONVERTER “TAGGING” IDENTIFICATION AND ANTI-THEFT PROGRAM\*\*\***



Catalytic converter thefts have risen considerably over the past year. One of the challenges in both deterring these crimes and investigating them is that catalytic converters are rarely traceable or identifiable to individual vehicles. This regional trend has also affected DuPont. In response, DPD is proud to partner with [Nisqually Automotive](#) & Towing in the launch of our ANTI-CATALYTIC CONVERTER “TAGGING” IDENTIFICATION AND ANTI-THEFT PROGRAM.

## DUPONT POLICE DEPARTMENT continued...

On Saturday, May 14th, 2022, from 9am to 1pm, our friends at Nisqually Automotive & Towing will allow DuPont residents to take their vehicles in to have their catalytic converters engraved with their vehicle's VIN and "tagged." Once completed, each vehicle owner will be provided the below DPD "Warning" decals – letting would-be thieves know that the vehicle's catalytic converter has been "tagged" and can be traced if recovered. It also lets scrap metal buyers know they may be handling a stolen item.

This service is being provided at no cost to the DuPont vehicle owner (for both the engraving and the decal). No appointment is necessary, but be prepared to park for 15 minutes upon arrival to allow the catalytic converter to cool down before mechanics can engrave on it.

THANK YOU, NISQUALLY

AUTOMOTIVE & TOWING, FOR BEING  
ONE OF DPD's GREAT COMMUNITY POLICING PARTNERS!



**When: Saturday, May 14th, 2022**

**Time: 9am – 1pm**

**Where: Nisqually Automotive & Towing  
10306 Martin Way E, Olympia, WA 98516  
(Only five miles away from DuPont on I-5 south)**



### **REPORTING AN INCIDENT? NEED AN OFFICER?**

- To report an emergency, dial 9-1-1
- To report a non-emergency, dial (253) 287-4455
- If you aren't sure, let us help you by dialing (253) 964-7060

If you have non-urgent questions, suggestions, want to file a complaint or commend a D.P.D. staff member, we appreciate the opportunity to assist you. You may reach us via email at [Police@dupontwa.gov](mailto:Police@dupontwa.gov) or by telephone at (253) 964-7060.

## PUBLIC WORKS

**DuPont-Steilacoom Road Updates** - Updates can be found on the City's website by clicking on the “Construction Updates” tab, then the “DuPont-Steilacoom Road Updates” link, or at the following link: <https://www.dupontwa.gov/637/DuPont-Steilacoom-Road-Updates>.

Traffic updates from 5/9 – 5/13: Temporary traffic shift from Center to Pendleton per approved traffic plan in place.

Please note, there potentially could be intermittent traffic stops throughout the project to move equipment across the road, etc.



## UPCOMING MEETINGS

Published agendas can be found on the website's homepage; click on the meeting date on the City of DuPont Calendar and then “Download Agenda”.



Date	Time	Meeting
5/9/2022	6:00 PM	Planning Commission Meeting
5/10/2022	11:00 AM	Civil Service Commission Meeting
5/10/2022	6:00 PM	Transportation Benefit District (TBD) Board Meeting
5/10/2022	6:30 PM	Regular City Council Meeting
5/19/2022	6:00 PM	Tree Advisory Commission Meeting
5/24/2022	6:00 PM	Regular City Council Meeting

## ACTIVITIES - SAVE THE DATES

Date	Activity	Location / Information
4/12-5/31/22	Kindermusik with Bonnie Kim	<a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids">https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids</a>
4/18-5/9/22	Bricks 4 Kidz (Cyber Vehicles)	<a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids">https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids</a>
5/16-6/13/22	Bricks 4 Kidz (Robo-Animals)	<a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids">https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids</a>
5/17/2022	Senior Movie & Lunch	<a href="https://dupontwa.gov/545/Adults-Seniors">https://dupontwa.gov/545/Adults-Seniors</a>
5/19/2022	Senior Meet & Greet Luncheon @ City Hall	<a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/545/Adults-Seniors">https://www.dupontwa.gov/545/Adults-Seniors</a>
5/21/2022 & 8/13/2022	DuPont Community Garage Sale	(Not sponsored by ROA or City of DuPont)
6/2/2022	Farmers Market (3:00 – 7:00 PM)	Clocktower Park <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events">https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events</a>
6/16/2022	Concerts in the Park – Big Love – Fleetwood Mac Tribute Band	<a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events">https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events</a>
7/18/2022	ED-ZOO-CATION event	<a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids">https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids</a>

## COUNCIL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

The next Regular City Council Meeting will take place on May 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. This will be a hybrid meeting, which means it will be in person and virtual.

The Transportation Board District Meeting will also take place on May 10<sup>th</sup>, just before the Regular City Council Meeting; the TBD meeting will begin at 6:00 p.m. This meeting will also be a hybrid meeting.

The agendas, once published, are officially posted on the bulletin board at City Hall and located at the following link: <https://dupont.civicweb.net/filepro/documents/7771>.

Actual minutes of the meeting will be presented at a future Council meeting for approval and available afterwards at the following link: <https://dupont.civicweb.net/filepro/documents/71>.

## WEBSITE RESOURCES

The City of DuPont “**HOW DO I?**” page on the website is a quick way to find information about business licenses, volunteering, job openings, event information, departmental contacts, FAQs, activities, tree information, gardening, utility services, permits, paying taxes, city news, reservations, City calendar, maps, and how to report problems. Check it out at the following link: <https://www.dupontwa.gov/9/How-Do-I>



Want the City's **Alerts and Notifications**? To sign up for alerts and notifications, enter your contact information on this link: <https://www.dupontwa.gov/list.aspx>.

## JOB OPENINGS

For a list of current job openings at the City of DuPont, please visit the City's Human Resources Job Opportunities webpage at <https://www.dupontwa.gov/120/Job-Opportunities>.

Currently, the following positions are posted:

- Deputy Police Chief
- Police Officer – Lateral, Exceptional Entry, or Entry Level
- Firefighter Paramedic
- Seasonal Parks & Recreation

## HR Contact & Services Directory

For information, assistance, or request, contact the HR Team by email [DuPontHR@dupontwa.gov](mailto:DuPontHR@dupontwa.gov) or call us 253-912-5388.