



# WEEKLY REPORT FROM MAYOR AND COUNCIL

Friday, May 20, 2022

## PARKS & RECREATION

**July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade Grand Marshal** - The City of DuPont Parks & Recreation Department is accepting nominations for this year's July 4<sup>th</sup> parade grand marshal. If you know of a deserving candidate, please submit a 1-2 paragraph submission to City of DuPont Parks & Recreation's July 4<sup>th</sup> Planning Committee by Friday, May 27<sup>th</sup>. All nominations will be reviewed by the July 4<sup>th</sup> Planning Committee on Tuesday, May 31<sup>st</sup>. Nominations can be emailed to Amy Walker at [awalker@dupontwa.gov](mailto:awalker@dupontwa.gov).

Nominee must reside in the City of DuPont; be in good standing in the community; and have displayed outstanding service, support, and commitment to our local community.

**Summer Camp Registration is still OPEN!** - You'll find a little something for everyone to include art, sports, and robotics! Camps will fill quickly, and we encourage families to register today. Outdoor camps are significantly discounted with the assistance of our 2022 SEEK grant. "Summer Olympics" will offer five (5) full scholarships and those who are interested are encouraged to contact Amy Walker at (253) 912-5245. All summer camp information can be found on the City's website at the following link:

<https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps>.



**Parks & Recreation Day at the Ballpark - Root on the Mariners!** - Join us on Sunday, May 29<sup>th</sup> for Parks & Recreation Day at the ballpark and come cheer on the

Mariners as they take on the Houston Astros! To register, go to the following link: <https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events>.

**DuPont Historical Museum's Grand Opening of Buffalo Soldier Exhibit** – This event is sponsored by the DuPont Historical Society, Friends of DuPont Buffalo Soldiers History, and the City of DuPont. Mark your calendars and we hope you attend on June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022, from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m., at the DuPont Historical Museum located at 207 Barksdale Ave., DuPont. For more information, click on the following link: <https://www.dupontmuseum.com/events>

**YOU ARE INVITED!**

DuPont Historical Society and Friends of DuPont Buffalo Soldier History invite the community to a fun history event for the whole family

- Celebrate the new permanent Buffalo Soldier exhibit at the DuPont Historic Museum
- Open House from 5:00 – 7:00 pm
- Learn more about the historic 1904 Ninth Cavalry Encampment in DuPont
- New photos, research and artifacts!
- Enjoy refreshments and Buffalo Soldiers re-enactors

**PERMANENT EXHIBIT GRAND OPENING**

**WEDNESDAY • JUNE 1 • 5:00 – 7:00 pm**

## COUNCIL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

The next Regular Council Meeting will be held on May 24, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. and will be a “hybrid” style meeting – in person at City Hall and remotely through Zoom.us, PCTV, and YouTube. Specific access information can be found on the agenda, when published.

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/777/>.

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/7/>.

## 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 | 5         |
| Medical/Vehicle Accident BLS | 3         |
| Structure Fire               | 1         |
| Electrical Problem           | 1         |
| Public Assistance            | 1         |
| Canceled enroute EMS         | 1         |
| False Alarm                  | 1         |
| Unintentional Alarm          | 1         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                 | <b>14</b> |

| Medical / Vehicle Accidents |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| ALS                         | 5        |
| BLS                         | 3        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                | <b>8</b> |

| Calls by time of day in 8-hour blocks: |           |
|--|-----------|
| 0000-0759                              | 1         |
| 0800-1649                              | 7         |
| 1700-2359                              | 6         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                           | <b>14</b> |

| Calls by day of the week: |           |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| Sunday                    | 2         |
| Monday                    | 4         |
| Tuesday                   | 3         |
| Wednesday                 | 0         |
| Thursday                  | 2         |
| Friday                    | 1         |
| Saturday                  | 2         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>              | <b>14</b> |

**Safety Message** – Fire Safety Tip: Dryers

***The leading cause of home clothing dryer fires is failure to clean them.***

- Clean the lint filter before each use
- Remove the lint that has collected around the drum
- Keep the area around your dryer free from things that can burn
- Clean the vent pipe at least once a year





## DUPONT POLICE DEPARTMENT WEEKLY REPORT



**Total Calls for Service 05/09/22 – 05/15/22: 218**

***Average: 31.14 calls per day***

### **EMERGENCY & PATROL INCIDENTS:**

- 98 Security Check/Foot Patrol
- 06 Agency Assist
- 02 Medical Aid
- 01 Suicide Threat
- 01 Welfare Checks
- 01 Unwanted Person
- 01 Narcotics
- 01 Warrant Service
- 01 Stolen Vehicle Recovery

### **CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS:**

- 01 Harassment
- 01 Molestation (Currently under investigation)
- 01 Fraud

### **PROPERTY & OTHER CRIMES:**

- 01 Motor Vehicle Theft
- 01 Theft
- 01 Theft from Vehicle

### **ARRESTS:**

- WARRANT: Theft 3

### **DEPARTMENT NEWS:**

- One officer is currently undergoing Field Training.
- Officers focused on traffic safety and enforcement during various emphasis operations

### **2022 NATIONAL POLICE WEEK:**

**GRATITUDE FOR THOSE WHO HAVE MADE THE ULTIMATE SACRIFICE WHILE IN THE SERVICE OF THEIR COMMUNITIES.**

Established by a joint resolution of Congress in 1962, National Police Week pays special recognition to those law enforcement officers who have lost their lives in the line of duty for the safety and protection of others. President Kennedy proclaimed May 15 as National Peace Officers Memorial Day, and the calendar week in which May 15 falls as National Police Week.

There are approximately 18,000 law enforcement agencies in the U.S. – over 15,000 of them are local police/sheriff's departments. Of these, 75% are law enforcement agencies of less than 24 officers. On average, one police officer is killed in the line of duty every 54 hours. SO FAR IN 2022, 105 POLICE OFFICERS HAVE DIED, WITH THREE OF THEM FROM WASHINGTON STATE:

- Officer Dan Rocha, Everett Police Department
- Deputy Sheriff Dominique Calata, Pierce County Sheriff's Department
- Donald Sahota, Vancouver Police Department

This year, National Police Week is May 11–17. On May 13, 2022, the National Law Enforcement Memorial in Washington, DC held ceremonies - including the 34th Annual Candlelight Vigil - to honor the fallen officers whose names have recently been added to the Memorial. To read more about Police Week and how to view events, including the candlelight vigil, please visit: <https://nleomf.org/.../programs/national-police-week-2022/>

Lastly, the DuPont Police Department would like to extend our deep gratitude to the surviving families of all law enforcement officers who have given their lives to keep the rest of us safe....especially the Rocha, Calata and Sahota families, and their respective departments. Thank you.

### **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**

**2021 Water Quality Report** – The Water Department is very pleased to present the 2021 Water Quality Report to our water system customers. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe, dependable supply of drinking water. As part of our continued commitment to ensuring the quality of DuPont's water, we want to keep you informed about the drinking water and services we have delivered to you during the past year (January 1, 2021, through December 31, 2021). We are proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements.

The four-page report can be found on the City's website under **Departments\Public Works\Water\Water Quality** and then listed by year of the report or at the following link: <https://www.dupontwa.gov/DocumentCenter/View/5610/2021-Water-Quality-Report-PDF>.

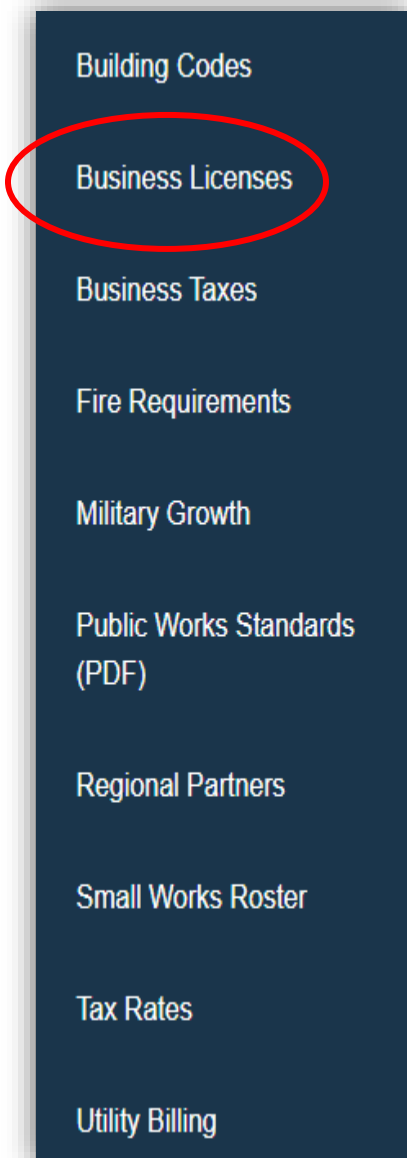


**DuPont-Steilacoom Road Updates** - Updates can be found on the City's website by clicking on the "**Construction Updates**" tab, then the "**DuPont-Steilacoom Road Updates**" link, or at the following link: <https://www.dupontwa.gov/637/DuPont-Steilacoom-Road-Updates>.



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

**Sequalitchew Creek Trail Closure Reminder** – The Sequalitchew Creek Trail will be closed May 25 through May 27. For more information about the geotechnical investigation, see the **April 29, 2022 Weekly Report**, which can be found on the City's website at the following link: <https://www.dupontwa.gov/ArchiveCenter/ViewFile/Item/293>.



## WEBSITE RESOURCES

**"BUSINESS" Tab on the City's Website** – The BUSINESS tab on the City's website consists of many subpages full of very useful information. The image to the left shows the subpages on the BUSINESS tab. To highlight just one, the following information is available on the "Business Licenses" subpage:

- Business License
  - Requirements
  - Link to WA State's Business License Services
  - Fees
- Home Occupation Permit
  - Fees
  - Link to the "Home Occupancy Permit Application"
- Rental Housing Business License
- Solicitor License
- Temporary or Event License
  - Cost (\$5) covers vendors conducting business in the city for a special event.
  - License is valid for 24 hours
- Register Your Business
  - Link to DuPont City Addendum
  - Link to WA State Dept. of Revenue's website





Memorial Day (United States) 2022

Monday, May 30

# CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED ON MEMORIAL DAY

## 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   |
|-----------|----------|---|
| 5/24/2022 | 6:00 PM  | Regular City Council Meeting                        |
| 6/6/2022  | 6:00 PM  | Park & Recreation Commission Meeting                |
| 6/13/2022 | 6:00 PM  | Planning Commission Meeting                         |
| 6/14/2022 | 11:00 AM | Civil Service Commission Meeting                    |
| 6/14/2022 | 6:00 PM  | Transportation Benefit District (TBD) Board Meeting |
| 6/14/2022 | 6:30 PM  | Regular City Council Meeting                        |
| 6/16/2022 | 6:00 PM  | Tree Advisory Commission 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>                        |
| 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>                        |
| 5/29/2022     | Mariner's Game  | <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events">https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events</a>                    |
| 6/2/2022      | Farmers Market (3:00 – 7:00 PM)   | Clocktower Park<br><a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events">https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events</a> |
| 6/4-5/2022    | SequaliShoot 2022   | <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events">https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events</a>                    |
| 6/6-6/10/2022 | Welcome Back Art Camp (grades 1 <sup>st</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> )          | <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps">https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps</a>                      |
| 6/9/2022      | Farmers Market (3:00 – 7:00 PM)   | Clocktower Park<br><a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events">https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events</a> |
| 6/16/2022     | Farmer's Market (3:00 – 7:00 PM)<br>Concerts in the Park – Big Love       | Clocktower Park<br><a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events">https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events</a> |
| 6/20-24/2022  | Summer Olympics Camp (ages 7-14)  | <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps">https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps</a>                      |
| 6/23-30/2022  | Car Camp (ages 7-10)  | <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps">https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps</a>                      |
| 7/11-15/2022  | Traditional Arts & Crafts Camp (grades 6 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> ) | <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps">https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps</a>                      |
| 7/18/2022     | ED-ZOO-CATION event   | <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids">https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids</a>                        |
| 7/18-22/2022  | Challenger International Soccer Camp (ages 3-14)                          | <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps">https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps</a>                      |
| 8/8-12/2022   | Get Messy! Art Camp (grades 1 <sup>st</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> )           | <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps">https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps</a>                      |