Meadow Glade Neighborhood Association Newsletter

April 2025

Please join us for an important Community Meeting Tuesday, April 22nd from 7-8:30 p.m.

Columbia Adventist Academy Cafeteria/Chapel 111100 NE 189th St., Battle Ground, WA or you can join virtually on Zoom at https://clark-wa-gov.zoom.us/j/85628354604

Community Planning staff: Oliver Orjiako and Jose Alvarez to speak on the County Comprehensive Plan.

Oliver and Jose will be speaking about the 2025 update of Clark County's Comprehensive Plan as required by the Washington State Growth Management Act (GMA). This is the long-range land-use plan for the county and the state requires that the county completes the update by 12/31/2025. The county's last update was done in 2016. The plan requires that the county consider land use changes, population growth and housing projections, and also develop a capital facilities plan for how to financially balance the growth with the impact of the growth on the schools and infrastructure. There are two new aspects of the plan this time: an affordable housing factor that requires a 60% allocation for affordable housing and a climate change planning section.

More details are on their web page at: https://clark.wa.gov/community-planning/2025-update

• NE 179th Street is going to be CLOSED for two years off and on during some major construction of the development in the area, which will result in a lot of detours which may wind up going through Meadow Glade Neighborhood. The council just approved the resolution for the road closure March 18th. Here's a link to the approved resolution:

https://clark.wa.gov/sites/default/files/media/document/2025-03/031825-pw_te mproadclosure_ne-179th.pdf

We strongly encourage all residents to attend this meeting. These developments are already in various stages of progress, and now is the time to get informed and make our voices heard before these changes are set in motion.

Board Members of the Meadow Glade Neighborhood Association

Chair: Jon Schroeder

Vice Chair: Cheryl Lewis

Secretary/Treasurer: Terry and Maureen Smith

Communications: Rick Randall

Transportation Liaison: Chuck Nye

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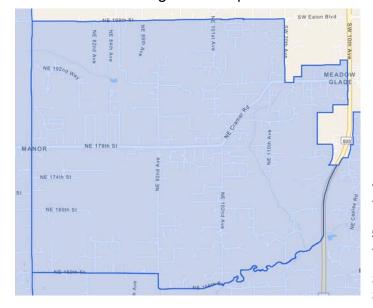
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What is the Meadow Glade Neighborhood Association?

We are a volunteer group that facilitates communication between the residents of the Meadow Glade Neighborhood and Clark County. We have a 501c3 designation which is somewhat unique within the other neighborhood associations around the county. With this, we can accept tax-deductible donations for future events and projects.

A few ideas we have been considering include a chili cook-off, art show, repeat of our ice cream social from last summer and even buying land for a park. We hold one or two informational meetings for the entire neighborhood per year and our board meets several other times per year to plan these events.

The current Meadow Glade Neighborhood Association boundaries are shown below. These boundaries are in the process of expanding some to the north and to the south. New street signs will be posted at the new boundaries later this year.





The old neighborhood street signs shown above will be replaced by newly designed signs that are more colorful later this year. The community - (that means YOU!) - gets to vote on the final design of the new signs! Look for a survey to be posted on Clark County's Facebook and Nextdoor this month and vote for your favorite of the three sign design finalists!

Battle Ground Urban Growth Boundary:

As part of their 20-year plan, the City of Battle Ground has moved their urban growth boundary out of Meadow Glade and has instead decided to focus on the Dollars Corner area for future expansion.

Businesses within Meadow Glade Neighborhood:

Do you have a business that you'd like to let your neighbors know about? We would like to hear from you. Please contact us at the email address above with a short paragraph about your business. Based on the number of responses the board will discuss options which may include mention in a future newsletter or on our Facebook page.

Cramer Road Trafffic Concerns:

Chuck Nye has been working extensively with the county on options for slowing down the traffic on Cramer Road. Several options have been proposed like adding more speed bumps, speed limit signs as well as radar signs that tell the drivers how fast they are going. This is an ongoing effort with more developments to come.

The county's Public Works department is also working on a proposal to the council that is before the Planning Commission on April 3, a Neighborhood Traffic Management Program. You can see details of the proposal and the presentation on the Planning Commission web page at:

https://clark.wa.gov/community-planning/planning-commission-hearings-and-meeting-notes. The proposal will go before the county council sometime in June or July after the Planning Commission has a hearing and writes their recommendations.

Blood Drive:

Columbia Adventist Academy 11100 NE 189th St Battle Ground, WA 98604 April 22nd 8:30-2:30pm



Sign up for your time slot at this link. Search for the events on April 22nd. https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/donation-time?zipSponsor=98604



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Upcoming COMMUNITY Neighborhood Meeting Notice! Tuesday, April 22, 2025 at 7 PM Attend in person or online via Zoom - See inside for details!



See inside for our latest neighborhood newsletter!

Check out our Facebook page at

https://www.facebook.com/groups/488286598643963/

and our Neighborhood Association information page hosted by Clark County at

https://www.clark.wa.gov/county-manager/meadow-glade

Working together as neighbors to keep our community safe and friendly!

