



# MAY NEWSLETTER

## MONTE CRISTO AWARDS AROUND THE CORNER

Now's the time to send in your favorite streetscape beauties (homes or businesses) to be considered for the Monte Cristo Award. As flowers blossom, trees leaf out and landscapes look so lovely, look for those properties that show pride of ownership, are attractive and tidy. Pick out the best of the best, and send in a nomination or two or three.

The Council of Neighborhoods chooses award winners from properties that have been nominated by the community.

There are 3 award categories:

1. Neighborhood Friendly Business - This award is given to businesses that rate high in overall visual quality from the street view.
2. Pride of the Neighborhood - Homes and yards that consistently look their best deserve this award.
3. Rejuvenation and Transformation - These are residential properties that have changed for the better, transformed by the owners to be a visual asset.

Nominations for 2016 can be submitted any time until June 15, 2016, an extended deadline. Visit <https://everettwa.gov/340/Monte-Cristo-Awards> for more information.

## PUBLIC SAFETY MEETING BRINGS THE COMMUNITY TOGETHER

Delta Neighborhood representatives and north Everett neighbors came together with champions from the Everett Police Department, Crime Prevention, Code Enforcement, Snohomish Regional Drug and Gang Task Force, SNOPAC 911 and the Everett Parks Department to discuss the latest crime statistics and safety projects for the region, as well as discuss the ways we can all help keep the community safe.

Much of the topics discussed in this meeting can be found online thanks to a tremendous library from the City of Everett. For more information on crime prevention, visit [www.everettwa.gov/465/Crime-Prevention](http://www.everettwa.gov/465/Crime-Prevention).



Public Safety Meeting

## SAVE THE DATE! DELTA MONTHLY MEETING - MAY

**Date:** Tuesday, May 17, 2016  
**Time:** 7:00 p.m.  
**Location:** Baker Heights Community Center  
**Speaker:** Eddie Golden, Crime Prevention



Come join us at the Delta Neighborhood meeting this month to discuss issues/events affecting The Delta.

## JACKSON PARK GETS \$3MILLION MAKEOVER

Senator Henry M. Jackson Park at 18th and State streets has finally re-opened!

Four acres in the westernmost part of the 15-acre park were revamped, and now have a climbing net, playground, restrooms, community gardens, basketball courts, walking and jogging paths, lawns, and a community garden. The garden has 35 plots people can rent for growing produce or flowers, including several raised beds for disabled gardeners.

There is also a plaza with information about Jackson, who was born in Everett and served in Congress for more than half a century.

Lori Cummings, Everett parks, recreation and community services director, said the improvements provide the Delta with more outdoor space.

The city said the renovation cost \$2.9 million. Funding came from the Washington State Recreation and Conservation Office, Washington State Department of Commerce, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, and Snohomish County Parks.



Senator Henry M. Jackson Park

## EVERETT ANIMAL SHELTER LENDS A HAND – CAN YOU?

Friends from the Everett Animal Shelter and Services joined us in the April neighborhood meeting to help



explain pet adoption and animal control services, pet licensing, and how to handle nuisance dogs.

The Everett Animal Shelter serves about 5,000 pets per year and has an 85% release rate—one of the top placement rates in the country.

Volunteers to the Everett Animal shelter lower cost of services to the community, and help provide many of the shelter services every day. If you'd like to volunteer your time or donate food and other supplies, please contact them directly at (425) 257-6000.

Don't forget! ARF is having their annual Golden Paw Gala, May 21 and is seeking volunteers. For more information visit <http://www.everettwa.gov/animals>.



## STAY INFORMED WITH DELTA ON FACEBOOK

Want to keep informed about neighborhood alerts and events in real time? Check out The Delta Neighborhood on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/DeltaNeighborhoodEverettWashington>.

Here's a sneak peak of what you can see on The Delta Neighborhood on Facebook:

- Safety and Crime Watch Alerts
- Meeting Notes
- Public Notices
- Upcoming Events/Meetings
- Missing pet alerts/photos
- And more....



## UNLICENSED SOLICITORS REPORTED IN DELTA NEIGHBORHOOD: SAFETY RISKS AND HOW YOU CAN HELP

Spring has sprung and so have solicitors without proper ID. Unlicensed solicitors going door-to-door in the Delta represent potential safety and/or burglary risks.

Remember, each individual solicitor going door to door is required to have a city of Everett license on hand to show you. Please ask to see their individual solicitors license, and if they do not have one let them know they cannot solicit the neighborhood until they can prove they are properly licensed.

For more info, contact the City Clerk's office at (425) 257-7027.