



# MAYOR'S REPORT

*November 1, 2023*

BREMERTON  
WASHINGTON



**YOU'RE INVITED!**

# West Kitsap Way Planning Study



The City of Bremerton invites the community to an online open house and virtual presentation to learn about the preferred alternative for the West Kitsap Way Planning Study.

This study examined the existing and future conditions of the corridor and has developed the preferred alternative for Kitsap Way between SR 3 and Chico Way NW for all modes of transportation.



## Online Open House

[WestKitsapWayStudy.infocommunity.org](https://WestKitsapWayStudy.infocommunity.org)

November 7–22, 2023

Visit any time and provide your written feedback.



## Virtual Presentation

Thursday, November 9, 2023

6–7 p.m.

Log on and learn about the final phase of the study!

Registering is easy. Sign up at:

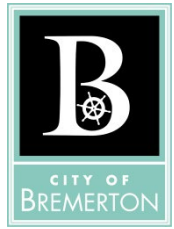
[bit.ly/west-kitsap-way-project](https://bit.ly/west-kitsap-way-project)



FOR PROJECT INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT:

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# Public Works Facebook Page

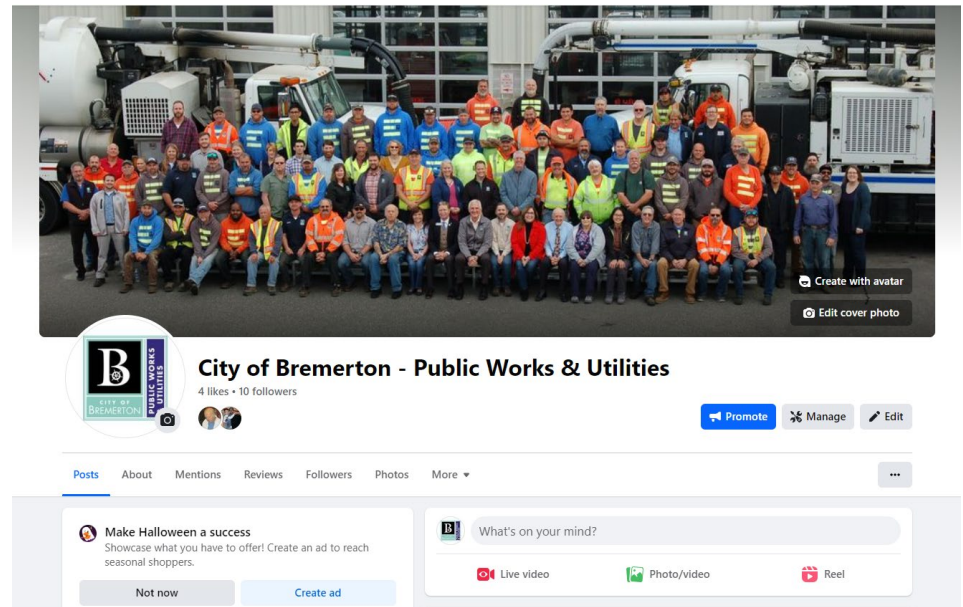


Public Works & Utilities new Facebook is Live!

[www.facebook.com/bremertonpublicworks](https://www.facebook.com/bremertonpublicworks)

## Goals:

- Communicate proactively issues that have historically generated questions, including water flushing, snowplows, etc.
- Highlight issues of general interest to the public
- Highlight positions and programs traditionally less visible from the public, such as stormwater, Customer Response communication, safety programs, etc.





# Washington & 11th Street Update

## Construction Status and Anticipated Schedule

- **Initial Lower Washington Ave reconstruction substantially completed in October**
  - New sidewalk, storm drainage improvements, added local parking, and street paving
- Temporary **construction suspension** estimated to occur through late January 2024 due to weather and delivery timelines
- **Full closure and detour of 11th St and Washington Ave (Pacific Ave – Manette Bridge) to occur in February 2024 for approximately 4 months to expedite remaining construction**
  - Local access to be provided – No impacts to Manette Bridge traffic
  - Further information will be communicated by Public Works prior to remaining construction
  - Monthly construction reports are available on the project website



# Washington & 11th Street Update

## Lower Washington Avenue Improvements



# THE SALMON ARE COMING!

November 4, 10 am - 2 pm

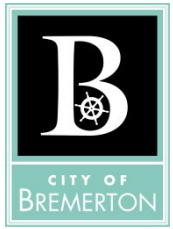
SALMON TOURS 2023

Check out this year's Kitsap Salmon tours on **November 4, 2023** from **10-2pm**. Visit various stream sites across Kitsap County, including City of Bremerton's Jarstad Park! Explore all things salmon with local environmental organizations, trained docents and more. Event being held rain or shine!

More information and list of sites are available on [kitsapsalmon tours.com](https://kitsapsalmon tours.com).



# Creative Art District



The Washington Arts Commission just notified the City of Bremerton they have approved our Creative District Certification!

We will be providing more information in a future meeting. Thank you to all involved in making this certification possible!



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*\*A Certified Creative District is a geographically defined area of cultural and economic activity recognized by the State of Washington as a place for people to gather and enjoy their community's arts, culture, and creativity.*