



MAYOR'S REPORT

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Quincy Square Update

- Quincy Square construction estimate is \$4.5 million and is now fully funded
 - The City has committed \$2 million of local funds
 - Congressman Kilmer and Senator Murray have secured a \$2.5 million Community Funding Grant
- In 2022 the project team will complete funding agreement, permitting, and will bid out the project in late fall
- Construction will take place in 2023
- The City's Arts Commission has convened a committee to select an artist for a largescale mural and a second committee that will select an artist for a sculpture. The art will be funded through the project and contracts with the artists for production of the art will come to Council for approval later this year.

Learn more about Quincy Square at: www.BremertonWA.gov/QuincySquare

Kitsap Lake Cleanup Efforts

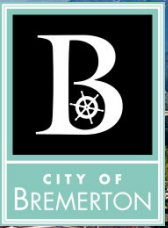
- City's efforts to clean up Kitsap Lake highlighted in March 2022 newsletter of the Washington State Lake Protection Association (WALPA), a non-profit organization devoted to the protection of the state's lakes.
- The information focuses on steps taken and successes of the City's efforts to clean up the lake of Harmful Algae Blooms (HABs) caused by cyanobacteria.
- The City will be continuing algae control measures and monitoring of lake water quality in 2022.
- Details and data on the cleanup of Kitsap Lake can be found at: <https://www.walpa.org/waterline/march-2022/a-new-approach-to-managing-harmful-algae-blooms>.

August 2019 Pre Treatment



August 2021





CDBG/HOME Program Accomplishments and Progress

- The 2021 CDBG/HOME report is now available. The report provides details on the accomplishments in the Community Development Block Grant and HOME program and the City's progress towards meeting the goals outlined in the City's Strategic Plan portion of the Consolidated Plan.
- This plan is open for a public comment period which will run through March 30. To view the report, visit <http://www.BremertonWA.gov/198/Federal-Grants---CDBG>.
- Comments can be submitted to the City's CDBG administrator via email: sarah.achaoui@ci.bremerton.wa.us, or by phone: 360-473-5375.