

City Administrator Report

City of Lake Forest Park

Date: February 10, 2022

TO: Honorable Deputy Mayor and Councilmembers

FR: Phillip Hill, City Administrator

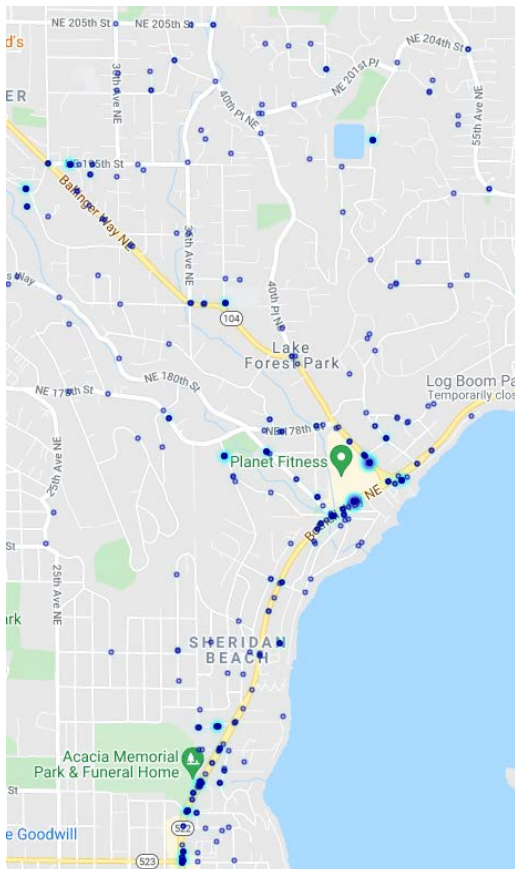
CC: Honorable Mayor Jeff Johnson
Leadership Team

The City Administrator Report is meant to provide the council, staff and community an update on the activities of the City and on issues that concern the City. This memo will be provided in each Council packet and is divided into key sections.

Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information about any of the following items and please feel free to contact any of the department heads for additional information.

I. Intergovernmental and local issues update.

Police Department



Police incidents heatmap for January 2022:

Each blue dot is an incident generated by dispatch or an officer. This map represents **765** incidents in **January**.

Notable Calls/Incidents:

Type	Calls
Suspicious Circumstances	93
Theft	19
Parking	14
Alarm	14
Disturbance	10
Welfare Check	10
Traffic Accident	9

Notable Calls/Incidents:

On 01/26/22, officers responded to a domestic assault. A resident called 911 to report a female was outside screaming and swinging a chair at a window and door at the residence. When officers arrived, the female was

holding a broom stick. The suspect was attempting to strike the victim with the broom. The victim stated the suspect attempted to hit him several times but dodged her attempts. The victim stated she had bit him in the shoulder, broke his cellphone, and damaged items in the house. The female suspect was taken into custody for DV assault and DV malicious mischief. She was then booked into King County Jail.



On 1/29/22, Officers assisted Kenmore with a one-vehicle collision in the 5700 block of NE Bothell Way. The driver was trapped and was later extricated by Northshore Fire personnel. The driver had non-life-threatening injuries and was subsequently arrested for driving under the influence (DUI). Charges are pending the outcome of toxicology lab results.



On 1/30/22, officers responded to a theft in progress at Albertson's. The store manager reported a male subject shoplifted from the store and was in a vehicle parked in front of the business (they quickly developed PC). As the officers approached, the driver shifted the vehicle to reverse and accelerated hard backwards. The officer was able to pivot his body out of the way, however the passenger sideview mirror struck his right arm (elbow area) and the suspect collided into the front of the police car.

The vehicle left and officers pursued the driver for vehicular assault. The pursuit was terminated by the supervisor as the vehicle fled towards the freeway. Officers were flagged down by a passerby who said he witnessed the vehicle on I-5 going in the wrong direction. State Patrol was notified and later learned the suspect drove onto the closed Express Lanes.

Back on scene at Albertson's, officers were notified of a female accomplice that was left by the male driver of the van. Officers conducted an area check and located her, ultimately arresting her for several outstanding arrest warrants (felony and misdemeanor) and the shoplifting incident. A check of the suspect (female ID'd him) located six outstanding arrest warrants. Efforts are underway to locate. The officer was evaluated by aid. The patrol vehicle sustained front corner bumper damage.

New Lateral Officer



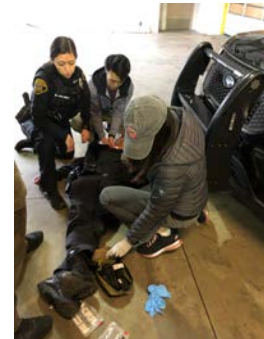
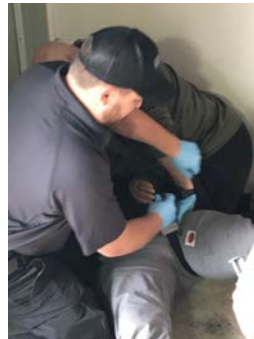
The Lake Forest Park Police Department would like to welcome our newest police officer, Scott Benjamin. Originally from Portsmouth, VA, Scott moved in the Puget Sound area in 2009. Scott served in the US Navy for 26 years. He was honorably discharged in 2017 with the rank of Senior Chief Petty Officer.

In 2017, Scott was hired by Duvall Police. He spent most of his time on patrol, but he also had additional duties like Field Training Officer, Bicycle Officer, Fleet Manager, etc. From 2017 to 2021, Scott received numerous commendations and awards from leaders and peers at Duvall PD. Scott is married to Stephanie and has two grown children. We are grateful that he decided to join our team and serve our community. Welcome aboard Scott!



Training

Several Lake Forest Park Police Officers participated in a multi-agency tactical medicine training. Utilizing a mix of classroom presentation and hands-on skills practice, specialized military personnel from the Western Regional Counterdrug Training Center, taught our Officers how to treat and manage trauma patients in a civilian environment.



Lake Forest Park recognizes that our Officers are often the first ones to arrive at a scene where a sick or injured person needs immediate assistance, and we want to be able to render appropriate medical aid until EMT or qualified medical personnel can take over patient care.

RADAR



The Department of Justice's Bureau of Justice Assistance has awarded the City of Shoreline, in partnership with Center for Human Services and the North Sound RADAR Navigator Program, a Connect and Protect: Law Enforcement Behavioral Health Responses Grant in the amount of \$500,000 over three project years!

Public Works Department:

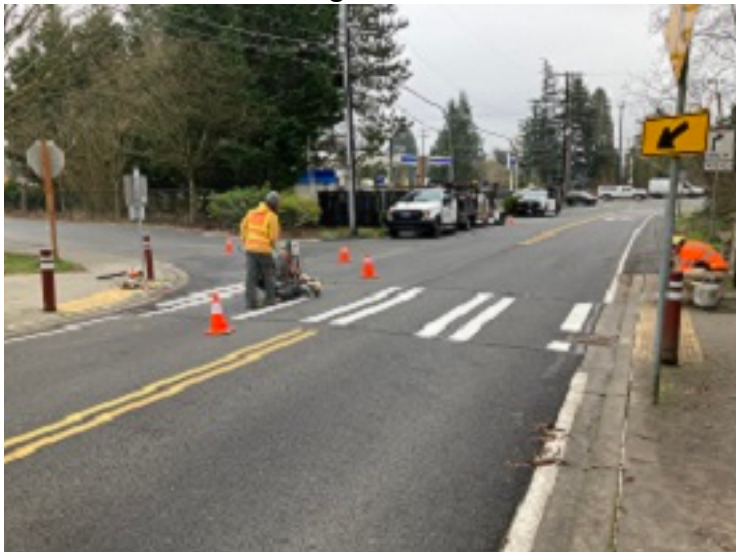
We have received two calls late this week regarding the particulate matter emanating from Acacia's crematory. Our building official, Calvin Killman, is currently working to determine what, if any, action is required.

The Public Works Crew recently performed shoulder repair work and pavement markings.

- Shoulder repair on 3000 block of NE 180th Street



- Pavement markings on Brookside Boulevard near 44 Avenue NE



II. Internal City Information

III. Council Information

IV. Response to Citizen and Council Comments

V. Contract Reporting

VI. Legislative Update

VII. Community Events

VIII. Upcoming City Sponsored Events

IX. Meetings Calendar

[Planning Commission Meeting \(virtual meeting\)](#)

February 8, 2022, 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

This meeting will be held virtually. City Hall is currently closed to the public. Please review information provided on the agenda, once it is available, for details on how to participate in the meeting.

[North King County Coalition on Homelessness](#)

February 10, 2022, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

This meeting will be held virtually.

[City Council Work Session Meeting \(virtual meeting\)](#)

February 10, 2022, 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Unless otherwise noted on the agenda, this meeting will be held virtually. Please review information provided on the agenda, once it is available, for details on how to participate in the meeting.

[City Council Regular Business Meeting \(virtual meeting\)](#)

February 10, 2022, 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Unless otherwise noted on the agenda, this meeting will be held virtually. Please review information provided on the agenda, once it is available, for details on how to participate in the meeting.

[City Council Committee of the Whole Special Meeting \(virtual meeting\)](#)

February 14, 2022, 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Unless otherwise noted on the agenda, this meeting will be held virtually. Please review information provided on the agenda, once it is available, for details on how to participate in the meeting.

City Council Budget & Finance Committee Meeting (virtual meeting)

February 17, 2022, 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Unless otherwise noted on the agenda, this meeting will be held virtually. Please review information provided on the agenda, once it is available, for details on how to participate in the meeting.

City Hall Closed (Presidents' Day Holiday)

February 21, 2022, City offices closed

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board Meeting (virtual meeting)

February 23, 2022, 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

This meeting will be held virtually. Please review information provided on the agenda, once it is available, for details on how to participate in the meeting.