



WEEKLY REPORT FROM MAYOR AND COUNCIL

Friday, October 28, 2022

PUBLIC SERVICES

Have you noticed the Ceremonial Korean Stewartia tree at Clock Tower Park? It was planted last week. Hurry and visit the area to enjoy the spectacular fall color!

PARKS & RECREATION



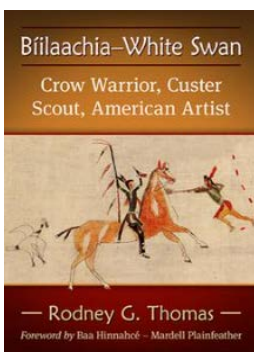
Farmers Market Survey - Parks & Recreation is currently asking for feedback on our Annual Summer Farmers Market and is asking the public for their help. Please see the below link to give us your feedback today:



<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2022DuPontFarmersMarket>.

The survey is short and sweet and gives us valuable feedback as we plan for 2023. The survey will be open until Friday, November 4th.

Downtown Trick or Treating - Parks & Recreation invites all ages to Downtown Trick or Treating! This event is proudly sponsored by the City of DuPont and local businesses. Look for more information the closer we get to **October 31st**! Find more information at the following link: <https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events>.



Book Talk at the DuPont Museum - On **November 13th**, author and DuPont Historical Society member Colonel (R) Rod Thomas will be giving a book talk for his newest book *Biilaachia-White Swan: Crow Warrior, Custer Scout, American Artist*. The talk will begin at 2 p.m. at the DuPont Historical Museum and we ask that you RSVP, however it is not required to join. Please contact the DuPont Museum at duponthehistoricalmuseum@gmail.com with questions or to reserve your spot! Additional information on both of the above events can be found at <https://www.dupontmuseum.com/>

Annual Tree Lighting – Save the date for the Annual Tree Lighting on December 2nd. More information, when available, can be found at the following link: <https://www.dupontwa.gov/630/Tree-Lighting>.



DuPont Police Department Weekly Activity Report



*Duty * Professionalism * Dedication*

Total Calls for Service 10/17/22 – 10/23/22: 249

Average: 35.57

EMERGENCY & PATROL INCIDENTS:

- 01 Eluding
- 02 Domestic Violence / Verbal
- 01 Suicide Threat
- 42 Traffic Stops
- 01 Juvenile Problem
- 02 Community Oriented Policing
- 02 Citizen Assist
- 02 Animal Complaints
- 05 Welfare Checks
- 03 Agency Assist
- 02 Motor Vehicle Collisions
- 01 Motor Vehicle Collision – Hit & Run
- 01 Shots Fired (Unable to locate)
- 01 Unwanted Person

PROPERTY & OTHER CRIMES

- 01 Vandalism
- 01 Theft from vehicle
- 02 Motor Vehicle Theft

CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS

- 01 Identity Theft

ARRESTS/REFERRALS

- 01 Felony Arrest - Violation of Court Order

DEPARTMENT NEWS

- Officers conducted speed emphasis on Center Drive, McNeil Street, Gaul Avenue, and Bobs Hollow.
- Officers conducted traffic enforcement on Hyland Street and Hoffman Hill Boulevard Avenue due to complaints of drivers making illegal turns.

REPORTING AN INCIDENT? NEED AN OFFICER?

- To report an emergency, dial 9-1-1
- To report a non-emergency, dial (253) 287-4455
- If you aren't sure, let us help you by dialing (253) 964-7060

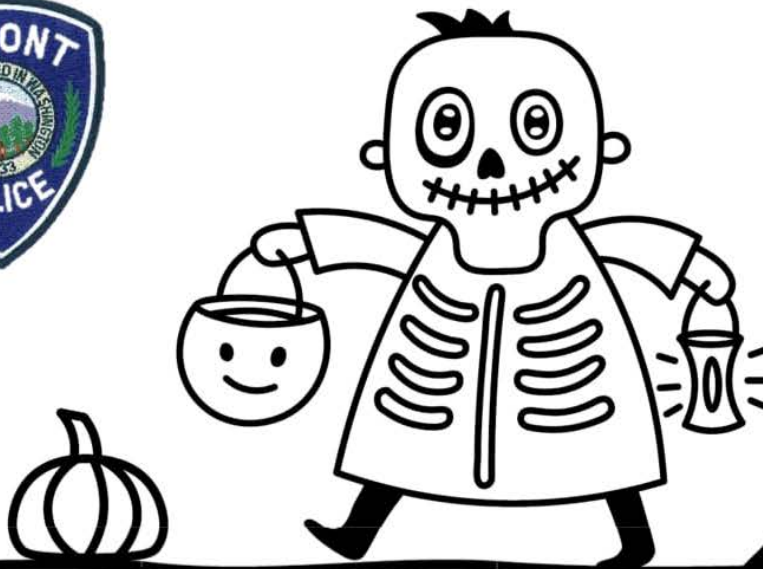
If you have non-urgent questions, suggestions, want to file a complaint or commend a D.P.D. staff member, we appreciate the opportunity to assist you. You may reach us via email at Police@dupontwa.gov or by telephone at (253) 964-7060.

DOWNLOAD THE DUPONT POLICE APP TODAY!



Trick or Treating Tips

- Tip #1** Carry glow sticks or flashlights and wear light colors to help kids see and be seen by drivers
- Tip #2** Only go to homes with a porch light on and **NEVER** enter a home or car for a treat!
- Tip #3** An adult should always accompany young children. If older children are going alone, agree on a route of travel and a specific time they should return home.
- Tip #4** Don't be distracted by electronic devices; put them down. Keep your head up and walk (not run) across streets and through intersections.
- Tip #5** Inspect treats before indulging. Discard anything that's not sealed properly, has torn packaging or looks questionable.
Please respect those who have signs posted on their property indicating no trick or treating, for COVID concerns or other reasons.
- Tip #6**



DUPONT FIRE DEPARTMENT



Private Medic Information: Over the last week, DuPont Fire responded to 14 calls for service. We received Mutual Aid one time. DuPont Fire transported 8 patients as follows: Madigan-5, St. Clare-2, St. Joesph-1.

Responses	
Medical/Vehicle Accident ALS	8
Medical/Vehicle Accident BLS	4
Animal Rescue	1
Unintentional System Operation	1
TOTAL	14

Medical / Vehicle Accidents	
ALS	8
BLS	4
TOTAL	12

Calls by time of day in 8-hour blocks:	
0000-0759	4
0800-1649	6
1700-2359	4
TOTAL	14

Calls by day of the week:	
Sunday	2
Monday	2
Tuesday	4
Wednesday	2
Thursday	0
Friday	2
Saturday	2
TOTAL	14

Safety Message - Halloween Safety Tips

- Cross the street at corners, using traffic signals and crosswalks.
- Put electronic devices down, keep heads up and walk, don't run, across the street.
- Teach children to make eye contact with drivers before crossing in front of them.
- Always walk on sidewalks or paths.



The DuPont Fire Department wants to remind you of our annual **Pumpkin Patch** at the Fire Station on **Saturday the 29th from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** There will be tours, equipment displays, and free pumpkins (while supplies last)!



**Please come visit
DuPont Fire on
Saturday, October 29th
from 10AM-1PM
for our annual Pumpkin Patch!**

COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA HIGHLIGHTS



October 25th Regular Council Meeting –

- Mayor’s 2023-2024 Preliminary Budget Message
- Resolution No. 22-031 approving an agreement with Five O Surveillance LLC to deliver and install security cameras passed.
- Resolution No. 22-032 approving an agreement for the Old Fort Lake Subarea Consultant passed.
- Ordinance 22-1114 amending DMC 16.03.030 related to certain oversized and non-motorized vehicles on public streets was adopted.
- A First Reading was presented regarding an ordinance amending DMC 14.03.010 related to converting violations of public right-of-way code provisions to civil infractions and/or abatement procedures.
- Study Sessions related to the budget (Public Safety, Reserve and Other Funds, and Public Works Division presentations) and for Wireless Communications Facility Code rewrite were presented.

Helpful Meeting Links:

- **City of DuPont Meetings** can be watched live or later at the following link:
 - City’s YouTube channel (https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCl-nrLK1wNfpq3_CeNJw40A).
- **Regular Council Meetings** can be watched live or later at the City’s YouTube channel and/or at:
 - Pierce County TV (<https://www.piercecountytv.org/1306/DuPont-Live-Meetings>).
- **Agendas**, once published, are officially posted on the bulletin board at City Hall and available at the following link: <https://dupont.civicweb.net/filepro/documents/777/>.
- **Minutes** are presented for approval at a future Council meeting and available afterwards at the following link: <https://dupont.civicweb.net/filepro/documents/7/>.

Regular City Council meetings begin at 6:00 p.m. on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Published agendas can be found on the website’s homepage; click on the meeting date on the City of DuPont Calendar and then “Download Agenda”.



Date	Time	Meeting
11/1/2022	6:00 PM	Special City Council Meeting
11/7/2022	6:00 PM	Park & Recreation Commission Meeting
11/8/2022	11:00 AM	Civil Service Commission Meeting
11/8/2022	6:00 PM	Regular City Council Meeting
11/14/2022	6:00 PM	Planning Commission Meeting
11/17/2022	6:00 PM	Tree Advisory Commission Meeting

ACTIVITIES - SAVE THE DATES

Date	Activity	Location / Information
10/31/2022	Downtown Trick or Treating	Wilmington Drive from 3:00-5:00 PM
11/15/2022	Senior Lunch & Movie Day	https://www.dupontwa.gov/545/Adults-Seniors
12/1-4/2022	Parks & Recreation Annual Virtual Auction	Online event; ticket sales coming soon
12/6/2022	Senior Lunch & Movie Day	https://www.dupontwa.gov/545/Adults-Seniors