

COMMUNITY CONNECTION

Work Begins on New Park

Work on Sumner's newest park, at Meade McCumber and Parker Road, is under way. The park project starts with the installation of stormwater systems, site grade work, and street improvements to Parker Road.

This infrastructure work will be followed by the completion of the sidewalk network along Parker Road as well as a majority of the internal pathways, basketball court, and picnic shelter area. A future phase will be the kids play area, shuffleboard areas, and main gateway entrance.

The City has assembled a park sponsor catalog, where businesses, families, or individuals can donate to sponsor elements of the park. Donations can help to sponsor all or part of benches, tables, playground equipment, and other park elements at various amounts.

Those who do not want to sponsor a specific item can donate to sponsor a "patch of the park" for a \$50. Everyone who donates will have their name listed on a plaque which will be located in the park



A sign announces the coming development of a new park on the corner of Meade McCumber Road and Parker Road.

when it is complete.

Donations can be mailed in or paid at the finance counter and will be marked in the budget as park-specific funds. The park donation catalog is available on the City of Sumner website from the link on the homepage or at the Community Development Department in City Hall. The Parks Board will be working on a name for the park.

If you have any questions call Robert Holler at 253-299-5526 or email roberth@ci.sumner.wa.us.

Improvements Coming to Valley Ave. and West Valley Hwy.

Street improvements on Valley Avenue East and West Valley Highway East began on May 17. Utility work for relocation of electric and phone service is currently under way.

The street improvements will include construction of a new traffic signal, street lighting, a pedestrian crossing with signal and more than 3,800 feet of curb, gutter and sidewalk near the Old Cannery.

The project will also include new storm sewer and associated drainage facilities, new water mains and paving of Valley Avenue East and West Valley Highway. Site Development Inc. of Tacoma is the contractor.

This project is primarily funded by a grant from the State Transportation Improvement Board (TIB). When completed, the project will enhance safety with increased illumination and raised sidewalks and also improve traffic circulation. Work is expected to extend into winter 2005-06.

Motorists should expect traffic delays during construction hours throughout the duration of this project. The use of alternate routes for through traffic during construction hours is advised. The adjacent businesses will be accessible. For further information and updates on this project, contact Kim Scattarella, PE, Associate City Engineer at 253-299-5703 or email kims@ci.sumner.wa.us.

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MAYOR'S MESSAGE

We are living in interesting times in Sumner. A plan has been drafted that will shape our community for the next 20 years!

The Sumner Planning Commission has been studying our "Draft Comprehensive Land Use Plan" for two years and now the City Council is reviewing the Commission's work. Both groups have been supported by our exceptional Community Development staff. It has been an intense process.

Our Council Chambers were packed with over 100 people on May 2, when the City Council held a public hearing on the "Draft" plan. We heard a wide range of questions and concerns about what was in the plan and it was very clear that the citizens of Sumner love this community and they want its special qualities protected.

We are nearing the end of this planning cycle. The Council is examining the Planning Commission's recommendations very carefully and we hope to be ready to vote on the final plan at our meeting on Monday, June 20, at 7 p.m.

I hate to say it but Sumner isn't a small town any more. We may think of Sumner that way but we have 8,900 residents, a large industrial area, a flourishing commercial district on Main Street, and experts say that another 3,500 people could move here in the next 20 years. Many more people will move in around us. These people will need housing and services -- police, fire, parks, streets, sewer, water -- and all of those amenities that we expect in Sumner.

The Council and I share your devotion to Sumner. We care deeply about preserving what is special about Sumner while we address the needs of our future citizens. We will do our best to produce a plan that takes us to what Sumner must be, in 2025, while protecting what we love about our community today.

Please contact me with any comments or questions at bskinner@ci.sumner.wa.us or 253-299-5790.

Barbara Skinner



Barbara Skinner

CITY COUNCIL PROFILE

Mike Connor is a veteran on the Sumner City Council, having served as a Councilman since 1991. He now is serving the second year in a four-year term, having been last elected in November 2004.

Mike is chairman of the Council's Public Works Committee and also serves on the Parks Committee. He represents Sumner on the Pierce County Regional Council as vice chairman.

Mike's expertise on the Council is in public works and land use. Mike's main area of concern as a Councilman is managing growth in Sumner. He believes it is important that the City follow its established plans for growth and development and treat the planning document such as the Comprehensive Plan as a contract with the citizens on what is going to be created in Sumner.

Mike would like the City to work harder to get people involved in planning the future and in community affairs. He wants the City to re-establish ties between ad hoc volunteer groups and individual citizens who can help the City as volunteers.

Mike is retired after a career in construction. He and his wife have lived in Sumner for 26 years. They have two adult children and two grandchildren.



Mike Connor

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Website: www.ci.sumner.wa.us

New Entrance Sign Unveiled May 1

The new entrance sign at the intersection of Traffic Avenue and Thompson Street was unveiled in a ceremony May 1.

Sumner Arts Commissioners worked with artist Steve Yager to design the new entrance sign. It reflects the elements most valued by the community - a view of Mt. Rainier, our segment of the valley, the two rivers flowing through and around our City, and the beautiful old willow tree that once stood on the corner. The sculpture weights more than 2,000 pounds and is 16 feet long by 8 feet tall.

Jacky Esselstrom, Urban Forestry Commission chairperson, designed and supervised the community effort which included the Urban Forestry Commission and local volunteers to terrace and plant the corner.

Yager, a recognized artist from Edgewood, creates commissioned stainless steel, bronze and copper sculptures. He also created, the "Essence of Summer", the Commission's first piece of public art which hangs outside of City Hall.

For additional information contact the Community Development Department in the City of Sumner at 253-299-5520.



Artist Steve Yager stands with members of the Sumner Arts Commission in front of the new entrance sign. Arts Commission members are, from left, Mary Anderson, Barbara Bitetto, Lana Hoover, Vicki Connor, Donna Hardtke, Jan Sanford, Chair Cindi Hochstatter, Leslie Hollingsworth-Loftin, and Sally Abrams, City staff. Not pictured are commission members Lisa Kane and Carol Bell

City Removes Truck Traffic from Valley Avenue

Beginning August 1, 2005, trucks will be prohibited from driving on Valley Avenue from State Route 410 to the Puyallup Street/East Valley Highway intersection. Trucks making deliveries may enter this zone, but all other commercial trucks are prohibited.

The east-west route from the intersection of Valley Avenue and Main Street to the intersection of Sumner Tapps Highway and 64th Street East was also removed from the truck route list. This includes Main Street from Valley Avenue to 160th Avenue East, 160th Avenue East from Main Street to 64th Street East and 64th Street East from 160th Avenue East to the Sumner-Tapps Highway.

The City Council felt that by August there will be adequate routes to accommodate commercial truck traffic with the completion of the Puyallup Street extension to East Valley Highway and the opening of the new SR 167 interchange at 24th Street. These street improvements plus others such as improvements to the West Valley Highway were planned and constructed to provide adequate transportation corridors to serve the industrial area in North Sumner.

It has been the City's intent to plan and build transportation infrastructure that redirects regional traffic and significantly reduces the amount of pass-through traffic and truck traffic within the residential and retail commercial center of the community.

Sound Transit Brings First Residential Van Service to Sumner

Sound Transit, along with its partner Pierce Transit, started a new residential "VanShare" pilot program March 14 with service to the Sumner Sounder Station.

VanShare provides a hassle-free connection between a commuter's residence, or other convenient origin pickup points, and the Sumner Sounder station.

Features of the VanShare pilot program include:

- Only three people are needed to start a VanShare; a minimum of five is desired.
- During the 2005 pilot project, the cost for VanShare is free. Fares will be established prior

to the end of the pilot project in December 2005.

- The vehicles are staged at a parking lot near a Sounder station or at a volunteer driver's home.
- Pilot project VanShare vans have reserved parking at the Sounder station.
- The participants determine the schedule of the vehicles. Sound Transit has contracted with Pierce Transit to both provide and operate the vans.



Commuters interested in more information on VanShare can contact Kim Straub at (253) 983-2724, or kstraub@piercetransit.org.

Sumner Fire Department getting new fire engine

What's big and red and takes about 9 months to build? In this case, it's a new fire engine!

On April 18, the City Council awarded the bid for the purchase of a new fire engine to American LaFrance Northwest. As part of their long-standing partnership with the City of Sumner, Pierce County Fire District #1 agreed to pay 50 percent of the cost.

Sumner firefighters are expected to take delivery of the state of the art fire engine in early 2006. Why does it take so long to take delivery of a new fire engine? Unlike your passenger car, there is no lot full of fire engines just waiting for loving owners. Instead, fire engines are built to the specific needs of the community they will serve.

Sumner Fire Department Captain Pat Risley and a committee of department personnel spent countless hours developing and refining detailed specifications to ensure that this new piece of equipment will serve the City of Sumner and its citizens for years to come. During construction of the fire engine, fire department personnel will make several trips back to the factory to monitor progress and make sure that everything is done just right.

The new engine, which can pump over 2,000 gallons of water per minute onto a fire, will replace the current front-line apparatus which was purchased in 1991. The existing fire engine does not meet current safety standards and requires an ever increasing amount of maintenance. In addition to the increased pumping capacity, the new engine will also have more storage space for the many tools required to perform the varied tasks firefighters face each day.

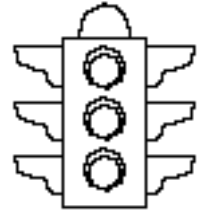
So come next spring, if you see firefighters pacing like expectant fathers, don't be concerned. They're just awaiting the arrival of their new 35,000 pound baby!

'Red Light Means Stop' Signs Coming

"Red Means Stop" signs may soon be seen to remind local motorists of this simple driving rule. In Sumner, as in many cities, the yellow light has come to symbolize "hurry up" instead of "slow down."

The signs are being considered because red-light running has become the leading cause of urban automobile crashes in America. Each year, red-light running results in as many as 218,000 crashes nationally, over 900 deaths and 181,000 injuries at a societal cost of \$14 billion.

More information on the problem and what you can do can be found at www.stoppedlightrunning.com.



K9 Max a Valuable Tool for Sumner Police

Over the last year the Sumner Police Department has put a focused effort on the creation of a model K-9 unit. The Tamaki Foundation funded the initial acquisition of K9 Max and his training through Canyon Crest Kennels. During the initial formation of the K9 program, Officer Chad Kiblinger was selected to be K9 Max's handler.

From the onset of the program, initial obedience training for K9 Max was stressed along with interaction of K9 Max with the general public. Under the guidance of Ron Pace, owner of Canyon Crest Kennels and Retired Tacoma K9 Officer Bruce Jackson, K9 Max completed the training in January and graduated to a structured course that would meet requirements for Generalist/Patrol Dog.

Over the past four months, advanced K9 training sessions have been conducted with Officer Kiblinger and K9 Max. These exercises have continued to grow with increased difficulty and complexity in the areas of tracking, area searches, building searches, evidence finds, handler protection, vehicle protection, obstacle work and courage under fire.

In addition to this intense training regimen, the K9 Team of Chad and Max have conducted several public demonstrations and presentations including both the Sumner and Bonney Lake Citizen Academies and various school functions.

The training will soon be completed. Officer Kiblinger and K9 Max will be tested and assessed on their knowledge and practical application skills during a series of certification drills conducted by the Washington State Police K9 Association. Recent testing of Sumner's K9 team along side the Metro K9 organization for the county reflected a high level of knowledge, skill and ability from both Officer Kiblinger and K9 Max.



K9 Max and his Police Department handler Chad Kiblinger



CITY HALL CALENDAR

JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
<p>JUNE 2 Planning Commission, 7 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JUNE 6 City Council Meeting, 7 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JUNE 9 Forestry Commission, 4 p.m., Upstairs conference room</p> <p>Design Commission 6 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JUNE 13 City Council Study Session 6 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JUNE 15 Youth Commission, 6:30 p.m., Police training room</p> <p>JUNE 20 City Council Meeting, 7 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JUNE 23 Arts Commission, 6 p.m., Main conference room</p> <p>JUNE 27 City Council Study Session 6 p.m., Council Chambers</p>	<p>JULY 4 City Hall Closed, Independence Day</p> <p>JULY 5 City Council Meeting, 7 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JULY 7 Planning Commission, 7 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JULY 11 City Council Study Session 6 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JULY 14 Forestry Commission, 4 p.m., Upstairs conference room</p> <p>Design Commission 6 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JULY 18 City Council Meeting, 7 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JULY 25 City Council Study Session 6 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>JULY 28 Arts Commission, 6 p.m., Main conference room</p>	<p>AUGUST 1 City Council Meeting, 7 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>AUGUST 4 Planning Commission, 7 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>AUGUST 8 Study Session 6 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>AUGUST 11 Forestry Commission, 4 p.m., Upstairs conference room</p> <p>Design Commission 6 p.m., Council Chambers City Council</p> <p>AUGUST 15 City Council Meeting, 7 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>AUGUST 22 Study Session 6 p.m., Council Chambers</p> <p>AUGUST 25 Arts Commission, 6 p.m., Main conference room</p>

COMMUNITY EVENTS

- JUNE 14**
SHS Graduation, 7 p.m., White River Amphitheater
- JUNE 25**
Sumner merchants sidewalk sale, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m, Main Street
- JULY 4**
Music Off Main concert, 2 - 3:30 p.m., Heritage Park
- JULY 10**
Sumner 5th Annual Classy Chassis Car Show, 9 a.m.- 3 p.m., downtown area

All American Flag Day Celebration

June 12 noon to 4 p.m.
Sumner Athletic Complex

Flag dedication • Music • Games • Contests

Pack a picnic lunch and bring the family down for an afternoon full of community pride.

▶ Watch for the "Summer Fun" edition of Community Connections coming in June.



The Sumner float was awarded the Queen's Trophy at this year's Daffodil Parade.

CITY COUNCIL CORNER

Good things are always happening in Sumner but you don't always see them. This year that is not the case. Below is a partial list.

- Two of our worst roads in the city – Zehnder Street and Valley Avenue East in front of The Old Cannery – are being totally improved. Zehnder Street was a mere 30 years in the making.
- Our park – yet to be named – at Parker and Meade McCumber is breaking ground. Coming this spring will be curb, gutter, sidewalks, parking, grass, basketball court and a walking trail.
- One thing you won't see – after August 1 – is big trucks on Valley Avenue. More than 180 trucks (the big ones) use that road every day. That's the equivalent of close to 1,000 cars that will be gone off a residential street surrounded by three schools, four churches and many homes.
- The Beach House property has a new owner. Plans for a new building are in the works.
- The golf course is turning around. It was six months ago that we hired Billy Casper Golf. Loads of improvements to the course have been made, including new bunkers throughout. Mark Jensen



Mark Evers

was just hired as teaching pro, and WILL help your golf game. A new clubhouse will be in by fall.

■ For you coffee lovers, Starbucks is opening soon as is a new pizza restaurant. I think the buildings along East Main look great thanks in part to our East Main Design Strategy which implemented significant design standards for development.

■ The Council is coming close to adopting our updated Comprehensive Plan which includes the town center plan. This is our way to plan for the next 20 years. There has been some apprehension about this plan but I've seen that dwindle as residents get the facts. One fact is that there will not be a parking garage so you can put that one to rest.

So have a latte. Enjoy a pizza. Watch and enjoy this summer as some things come (parks) while others go (trucks). I know I will.

– Mark Evers

Golf Deals Available at Sumner Meadows

Looking for a great golf deal? Register for the Sumner Meadow's e-savers club (www.golfsumnermeadows.com) and start saving on golf today.

Each member of the Sumner Meadow's e-savers club will receive a bi-monthly newsletter with upcoming events and exclusive golf specials at the golf course. Additionally, players may now purchase a Sumner Meadows Player's Card – the best golf deal in the area. Purchase a card and receive:

- FREE Weekday Greens Fee
- 20% Discount, valid Monday - Friday, anytime.
- 5 Range Tokens
- Free 30 Min Lesson
- Twilight & Moonlight 1 Hour Early
- 10% Discount on merchandise
- Entry in Sumner Rewards Program



- Special Card Holder-only events and activities.

Plus, each card holder will be entered into the Sumner Meadows Rewards Program. The rewards program entitles golfers one point for every dollar spent on greens fees, and golfers can earn FREE rounds of golf and entry into a FREE VIP golf outing. The Sumner Meadows Players Card offers more than \$150 in value for just \$40!

For more information, visit the golf shop or www.golfsumnermeadows.com.

New Community Development Director

Paul Rogerson has been hired as the City's new Community Development Director.

Paul has been the Planning Manager for the City of Bremerton since 2002. Previously he has held planning leadership positions in Grays Harbor County, Shelton, and Fife. For ten years he managed his own construction company in Shelton, Washington.

He is a 1977 graduate of the University of Washington. In 1991 he obtained a Masters of Urban and Regional Planning from Eastern Washington University.

Paul is filling the position that was vacated when former Community Development Director John Doan became Sumner City Administrator.

More Street Projects This Summer

Zehnder Street - This project consists of rebuilding Zehnder and construction of curbs, gutters, sidewalks, water main, storm drainage and associated facilities. This will provide a much-needed east-west pedestrian connection. The project is expected to be under construction in early summer and be completed by this fall.

Tacoma-Puyallup Intersection - This intersection is being redesigned with enlarged curves, sidewalk modifications and reconstructed roadway to permit larger turning movements by larger trucks and to ease traffic flow. Construction is scheduled to begin in July and completed in fall of this year.

Chip Sealing - This project will be managed by Pierce County Public Works and will include chip sealing of a number of residential streets south of Maple Street, between Traffic and Wood Avenues, primarily on Thompson and Park Streets, Cherry, Kincaid and Alder Avenues. This project is scheduled for August.

For further information on these project, contact Kim Scattarella, PE, Associate City Engineer at 253-299-5703 or email kims@ci.sumner.wa.us.

DEPARTMENT PROFILE

Sumner Senior Center

The staff at the Sumner Senior Center serve the hundreds of Sumner seniors who visit the Senior Center and who regularly depend on the programs provided there. Programs include daily lunches, entertainment, day trips, daily classes, health services and special events.

The Senior Center is a beehive of activities on typical weekdays. Each month they serve over 900 meals. Last year the Senior Center logged more than 21,000 visits.

Senior Center staff members are Bruce Johnson, Community/Senior Services Manager; Linda Clerget, Program Coordinator; Bette Western, Office Assistant; and Denise Shultz, Trip Coordinator.

Besides their duties at the Senior Center, the staff has other responsibilities including coordinating the City's volunteer program. They recruit and set up volunteers to help out at various City departments. Volunteers help serve meals or perform at the Senior Center, or they perform clerical tasks at City Hall.

The staff is responsible for human services contracting, such as the arrangement with the Family Services Center for community outreach programs. The staff also adminis-



The Senior Center staff, from left: Denise Shultz, Trip Coordinator; Bette Western, Office Assistant; ; Linda Clerget Program Coordinator; and Bruce Johnson, Community/Senior Services Manager.

ters the City's community development block grant program.

The Sumner Senior Center, 15506 62nd St. Ct. E, is open weekdays 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For information about programs and services, call the Center at 863-2910.

Citizens Appointed to Commissions

Sumner resident **Gene McCaul** has been appointed to the Urban Forestry Commission. Mr. McCaul has a BS degree from Washington State University in Forest Management and has been employed by West Fork Timber Company as a forester since 1978. Mr. McCaul enjoys visiting local schools to educate the students about forestry. He has also been involved in the community by helping plant trees at local Arbor Day events. His experience and knowledge in tree inventory will be helpful in helping to keep track of the trees in Sumner.

Orting resident **William Whipkey** has been appointed to the Design Commission. Mr. Whipkey has worked as a union journeyman carpenter for 10 years doing commercial buildings such as high-rise, hotel, retail-office space and industrial structures. He graduated from the University of Washington's Civil Engineering Department with a degree in Civil Engineering. Previously he worked for the City of Seattle's Bridge and Roadway structure department. For the past 15 years, he has had his own consulting engineering company which is located three miles from Sumner.

Sumner resident **Melissa Montgomery** has been appointed to the Urban Forestry Commission. She has a Master's Degree in Marine Affairs from the University of Washington, a BS in Biology and a BA in Environmental Studies from Pacific Lutheran University in Tacoma. She is currently the Aquatic Land Manager for the Shoreline District with the Washington Department of Natural Resources. Previously, she held positions at the School of Marine Affairs, University of Washington, and Seattle and Pioneer Technologies Corporation in Olympia.

Ask
Dr.
Sumner



What Are The Rules Regarding Political Signs?

Temporary political signs announcing the campaign of a person for public office may be allowed on private property, with the consent of the private property owner, and on street rights of way provided that the sign does not restrict the view of vehicular traffic.

Signs are limited to 36 square feet for the total of all faces with no one face exceeding 18 square feet. They can't exceed a height of 4-1/2 feet.

The signs must be removed no later than five days after the election. The candidate whose name appears on the sign shall be responsible for removal. If the signs are not removed, they can be removed by the City.

COMINGS AND GOINGS

NEW

Paul Rogerson, CD Director
Ron Basinger, WWTP, Operator 2
Don Cole, FF/Paramedic
Mason Lewis, FF/Paramedic

Corey Sanderford, FF/Paramedic
Reema Shakra, CD, Assistant Planner
Nicole Davis, PW, Admin. Assistant

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Sherry Arciniega, PW, Admin. Assistant

SUMNER CITY COUNCIL



Steve Allsop



Curt Brown



Mike Connor



Dave Enslow



Mark Evers



Leroy Goff



Matt Richardson

ITEMS PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL MARCH-APRIL 2008

MARCH

- Adopted Resolution No. 1146 entering into an Interlocal Agreement with Pierce County Fire Protection District No. 22 and Pierce County Fire Protection District No. 1 to provide administrative services to the Sumner Fire Department.
- Adopted Resolution No. 1147 waiving the competitive bidding requirements and authorizing an agreement with 3D Sumner LLC for the purchase of topsoil for the Eastside Park.
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2117 approving a supplemental budget.
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2118 amending the Sumner Municipal Code to add two sections to the International Fire Code.
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2120 modifying the restricted parking zone around the train station.
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2121

establishing a Restricted Parking Zone on Lewis Avenue.

- Adopted Ordinance No. 2122 approving a Zehnder Street Reimbursement Agreement.
- Authorized a Distribution Agreement with Pierce County Department of Emergency Management for the receipt of a Mobile Data Computer and Data Radio Modem.
- Authorized an Interagency Agreement with the Emergency Management Division of the Washington State Military Department for installation of an All Hazards alert Broadcast Warning System.
- Authorized a Professional Services Agreement with Parametrix, Inc. for the design of Zehnder Street.
- Authorize a Professional Services Agreement with Gray & Osborne, Inc. for design of improvements related to the Wastewater Treatment Plant expansion.

■ Accepted the Cyrus Wood Neighborhood Sidewalk Project.

APRIL

- Confirmed the Mayor's appointment of William Whipkey to the Design Commission for a term ending April 2006.
- Confirmed the Mayor's appointment of Melissa Montgomery to the Urban Forestry Commission for a term ending April 2008.
- Confirmed the Mayor's re-appointment of Marshall Bennett and David Bisom to the Design Commission for terms ending April 2009; Lisa Kane, Lana Hoover, Barbara Bitetto and Mary Anderson to the Arts Commission to terms ending April 2008; Cynthia Bush to the Planning Commission to a term ending April 2011 and Dennis Tompkins to the Urban Forestry Commission to a term ending April 2008.
- Confirmed the Mayor's appointment of Gene McCaul to the Urban Forestry Commission to a term ending April 2008.

- Awarded a contract to Fox Island Construction, Inc. for construction of the Eastside Park.
- Awarded a contract to Site Development, Inc. for the Valley Avenue East Street Improvement Project.
- Awarded a contract to Parametrix, Inc. for the Construction Phase of the Valley Avenue East Street Improvement Project.
- Modified a User Agreement with LESA adding the Records Management system.
- Awarded a bid to American LaFrance Northwest for the purchase of a new Fire engine.
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2123 amending the Truck Route.
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2124 amending the rates at Sumner Meadows Golf Links.
- Adopted Resolution No. 1155 formally identifying the access road to Sumner Meadows Golf Links as "Golf Links Drive".

Watch the Sumner City Council on Channel 22

You can watch Sumner City Council meetings from the comfort of your own living room.

Replays of the Council meetings can be viewed on Channel 22 at the following times:

Mondays	2 a.m.
Wednesdays	8 p.m.
Thursdays	midnight
Fridays	10 p.m.
Sundays	8 a.m.

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