**Bitter Lake**  
*Updated 5/2018*

**NEIGHBORHOOD NUMBERS**

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<th>Bitter Lake</th>
<th>Citywide</th>
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<tr>
<td>Renter households</td>
<td>55.8%</td>
<td>53%</td>
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<td>People under 18 years of age</td>
<td>14.6%</td>
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<td>People age 65 and over</td>
<td>22.2%</td>
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<td>Persons of color</td>
<td>29.2%</td>
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<td>Language other than English spoken at home</td>
<td>22%</td>
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<td>High school or higher</td>
<td>93.5%</td>
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<td>Bachelor’s degree or higher</td>
<td>47.8%</td>
<td>57%</td>
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<td>Median household income</td>
<td>$68,9312</td>
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<td>Unemployed</td>
<td>12.3%</td>
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<td>Population below poverty level</td>
<td>17.3%</td>
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Source: 2009-2013 American Community Survey

**RACE/ETHNICITY:**

- American Indian + Alaska Native 0.6%
- Asian 9.1%
- Black or African American 9.1%
- Hispanic or Latino, any race 4.6%
- Native Hawaiian + Pacific Islander 0.3%
- Some other race 0.1%
- Two or more races 5.5%
- White 70.8%

**LANGUAGES:** For translation & interpretation

- 25 Total Languages Spoken

**WHAT WE’RE HEARING**

**Housing/Homelessness**
- Affordable housing
- RV/car camping

**Transportation**
- Traffic calming
- Sidewalks & neighborhood mobility
- Safe pedestrian crossing

**Public Safety**
- Crime, drugs & prostitution near Aurora Ave
- Future of North Precinct facility
- Car prowls, residential burglary, property crime

**Parks/Open Space**
- Drainage issues
- Reservoir Lid

**Small Business/Economic Development**
- Business organization & representation

**LEARN MORE**

**Local Blogs + News**
- ournorthseattle.com
- broadviewseattle.org
- Ethnic Media: seattle.gov/iandraffairs/EMP

**Didn’t capture it?**
Contact the Department of Neighborhoods at NeighborhoodSnapshot@seattle.gov or call 206.615.0856

**More Resources**
For a document with live web links, visit http://www.seattle.gov/neighborhoods/neighborhoods-and-districts
**NEIGHBORHOOD/COMMUNITY GROUPS**

- Bitter Lake Community Center
- Broadview Branch Library
- Broadview Thompson K-8
- Ingraham International High School

**PLACES TO GATHER**

- Aurora Commons
- Bella B Mobile Home Park
- Bitter Lake P-Patch
- Broadview-Bitter Lake Community Council
- Broadview Historical Society
- Halcyon Mobile Home Park
- Mary’s Place
- Tri-Court Resident Council

**BUSINESS**

- D5 Chamber (work in progress)
- Aurora Ave Business Association
- North Seattle Industrial Association

**TRANSPORTATION / ENVIRONMENT**

- Licton Haller Greenways

**PUBLIC SAFETY**

- North Precinct Advisory Committee
- Emergency Hubs & Block Watches

**PLANS / REPORTS / RESOURCES**

**Neighborhood Past Plans / Reports / Resources**
- Broadview/Bitter Lake/Haller Lake Planning

**Citywide Past Plans / Reports / Resources**
- Growth and Livability
- Legacy Business Study
- Commercial Affordability
- The Creation, Activation & Preservation of Cultural Space Report
- 2017 Parks and Open Space Plan
- Parks Community Center Strategic Plan
- Pedestrian Master Plan
- Freight Master Plan
- Bike Master Plan
- Transit Master Plan
- Housing Affordability & Livability Agenda
- Seattle’s Comprehensive Plan
- Outside Citywide
- Encouraging Backyard Cottages

**Current Outreach Efforts**

**PLANNING PROJECTS ASKING FOR INPUT**
- Housing/Homelessness/Land Use
  - Housing Affordability & Livability Agenda
  - Accessory Dwelling Units EIS

**PROJECTS UNDER CONSTRUCTION**
- Transportation/Roads
  - N/NE 145th, Aurora Ave to I-5 Project
  - Pedestrian Safety Improvements Greenwood Ave N from N 137th St to N 145th St
  - SR99 Paving & ADA Complaince Roy St to N 145th

**GET IN TOUCH**

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