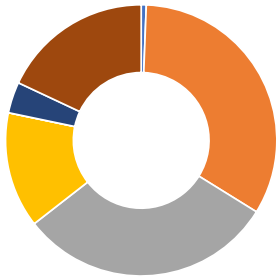


PEOPLE

RACE/ETHNICITY:



- American Indian + Alaska Native 0.6%
- Asian 33.2%
- Black or African American 30.6%
- Hispanic or Latino, any race 13.8%
- Native Hawaiian + Pacific Islander 0.0%
- Some other race 0.0%
- Two or more races 3.7%
- White 18%

LANGUAGES: For translation & interpretation, DON can help identify recommended languages.

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Total Languages Spoken

Commonly Spoken:
Spanish / Vietnamese
Mandarin/ Cantonese
African Languages



WHAT WE'RE HEARING

Housing/Homelessness

- Affordable Housing
- Displacement
- Car camping
- Community ownership

Transportation

- Rainier Ave project & rechannelization
- Safety improvements
- Coordination with transportation improvements

Public Safety

- Illegal dumping & litter
- Shootings

Other

- Food innovation district
- Living wage jobs
- Open space activation
- Coordination with city investments
- Need for increased youth programming

RAINIER BEACH

UPDATED 8/2019

NEIGHBORHOOD NUMBERS

		Rainier Beach	Citywide
Renter households	%	44.6	53
People under 18 years of age	%	27.9	15
People age 65 and over	%	9.7	11
Persons of color	%	82	33
Language other than English spoken at home	%	57.2	22
High school or higher	%	72.2	93
Bachelor's degree or higher	%	26.1	57
Median household income	\$	43,041	65,277
Unemployed	%	12.2	7
Population below poverty level		27.1	14

Source: 2009-2013 American Community Survey

LEARN MORE

Local Blogs + News

- southseattleemerald.com
- nwfacts.com
- seattlemedium.com
- kvru.org
- Ethnic Media: seattle.gov/iandraftaffairs/EMP

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More Resources

For a document with live web links, visit <http://www.seattle.gov/neighborhoods/neighborhoods-and-districts>



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SPACES TO GATHER

- [Prichard Beach Bath House](#)
- [Rainier Beach Branch Library](#)
- [Rainier Beach Community Center](#)
- [Rainier Beach High School](#)
- [South Lake High School](#)
- [Southshore K-8](#)
- [Spacefinder](#)

NEIGHBORHOOD/COMMUNITY GROUPS

Neighborhood / Community Based Organizations

- [CHAMPS Resource & Service Center](#)
- [Rainier Beach: A Beautiful Safe Place for Youth](#)
- [Rainier Beach Action Coalition \(RBAC\)](#)
- [Rainier Beach Community Center Advisory Council](#)
- [Rainier Beach Community Club](#)
- [Rainier Beach Emergency Communication Hub](#)
- [Rainier Valley Community Development Fund](#)
- [Rainier Valley Historical Society](#)
- [South Communities Organizing for Racial/Regional Equity \(SouthCORE\)](#)

- [SouthEast Effective Develop \(SEED\)](#)
- [Southeast Seattle Education Coalition](#)

Business

- [East African Business Association](#)
- [Rainier Beach Merchants Association](#)
- [Rainier Chamber of Commerce](#)

Transportation / Environment

- [Rainier Beach Link to Lake](#)
- [Rainier Valley Greenways](#)

Public Safety

- [South Precinct Advisory Council](#)
- [South Seattle Crime Prevention Council](#)
- [Emergency Hubs & Block Watches](#)

PLANS / REPORTS / RESOURCES

Current Plans / Reports / Resources

- [Equitable Development Initiative](#)

Neighborhood Past Plans / Reports / Resources

- [Rainier Beach Planning](#)
- [Equity & Environment Agenda](#)
- [Southeast Transportation Study](#)

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](#)
- [Modal \(Bike, Freight, Pedestrian, Transit\) Plans](#)
- [Housing Affordability & Livability Agenda](#)
- [Seattle's Comprehensive Plan](#)
- [Encouraging Backyard Cottages](#)

Current Outreach Efforts

PLANNING PROJECTS ASKING FOR INPUT

Transportation/Roads

- [Rainier Ave South Corridor](#)
- [Route 7- Transit Plus Multimodal Corridor](#)

Parks/Open Space

- [Be'er Sheva Park](#)
- [Lakeridge Playground Improvements](#)

Environment/ Sustainability/ Environment

- [Taylor Creek Culvert Replacement](#)

PROJECTS UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Transportation/Roads

- [Southeast Seattle Paving](#)
- [Safe Routes to School: Wing Luke & Dunlap Elementary](#)

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