

## Clean Cities Community Clean Teams Weekly Report

July 15, 2021

Reporting Week July 5 through July 11

### Week in Review

Due to holiday, this week the community clean team focused on one large emphasis area, Magnuson Park CC, as well as the various litter and trash pick-up locations citywide. There were 17 additional Clean Cities sites were completed by the Parks Clean Cities Teams and 21 additional sites were completed by SDOT crews. The following summary includes Clean Cities work accomplished by Parks/SDOT Clean Cities Crews.

#### **By the Numbers:**

- 1,452 needles collected
- 102,275 lbs. trash collected via Community Clean Teams
- 6 blocks of litter pickup by SDOT crews
- 100 tents counted onsite
- 7.87 miles of vegetation management
- 17 signs of graffiti cleaned

### Clean Cities Routes Site Cleaning Examples By 4 Quadrants

#### **NW Community Clean Team**

- Roy St to Mercer from 9<sup>th</sup> to Dexter Ave N: 5-Tents, 78-Needles, 3,000lbs of debris, 2 blocks of litter pickup, 0.2 mile of vegetation management, 2 blocks of sidewalk cleaned -7/6, 7/7
- **NW 43rd St and 8th Ave NW:** 130lbs of debris, 2 block of litter pickup, 0.1 mile of vegetation management, vegetation removal bike trail, 7 ecology blocks of graffiti cleaned -7/7, 7/9

**Before**



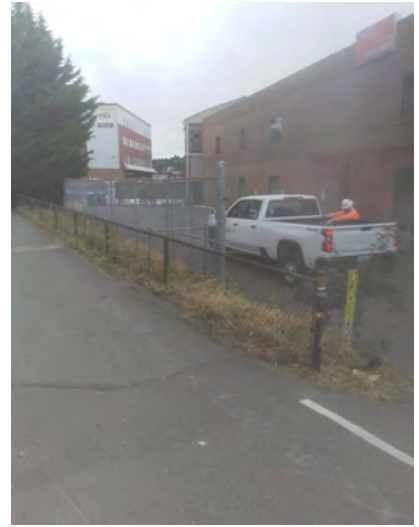
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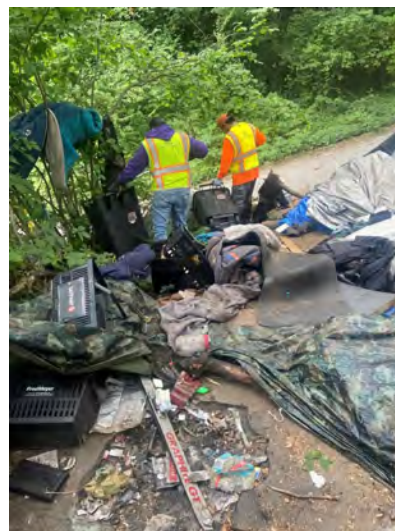
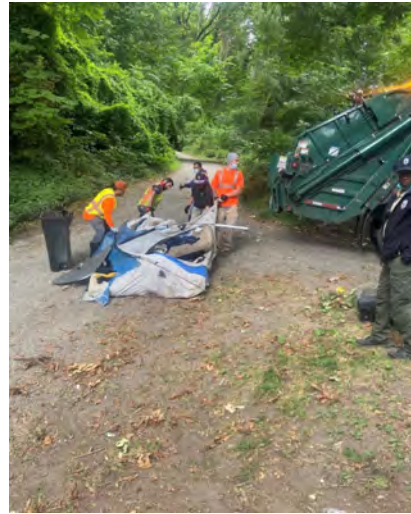
**Before**



**After**



- **Kinnear Park: 7-Tents, 1-Structure, 1,600lbs of debris -7/7**  
**Before/During**



- **NW 53<sup>rd</sup> St from 14<sup>th</sup> Ave NW to 15<sup>th</sup>:** 5-Tents, 2-Structures, 50-Needles, 1,200lbs of debris -7/7

**Before**



**After**



- 85<sup>th</sup> and Mary (Mary Ave NW 85<sup>th</sup> to 83<sup>rd</sup>): 1-Tent, 1-Strcuture, 30-Needles, 2,000lbs of debris -7/7
- 83<sup>rd</sup> and Mary: 5-Tents, 2-Strcutures, 10-Needles, 300lbs of debris -7/7
- NW 52<sup>nd</sup> St from 14<sup>th</sup> Ave NW to 15<sup>th</sup> Ave NW: 2-Tents, 4-Structures, 15-Needles, 600lbs of debris -7/7
- **NW 50<sup>th</sup> St from 14<sup>th</sup> Ave NW to 15<sup>th</sup> Ave NW:** 1-Tent, no debris collected -7/7

**Before**



**After**



- Northacres Park: 1-Tent, 10-Needles, 700lbs of debris -7/9
- 800 NW 46th St: 1 sign of graffiti cleaned -7/9
- Linden Ave N and N 40th St: 1 sign of graffiti cleaned -7/9
- 2212 N 45th St: 1 sign of graffiti cleaned -7/9
- 2801 W Commodore Way: 1 sign of graffiti cleaned -7/9
- 1820 N 90th St: 1 sign of graffiti cleaned -7/9

## NE Community Clean Team

- **Volunteer Park:** 4-Tent, , 1-Structure, 24-Needles, 3,620lbs of debris -7/6, 7/8  
**Before/During**



**After**



## SW Community Clean Team

- Utah Ave and S Brandon St to S Dawson St: 1-Tent, Clear of debris -7/6
- **26<sup>th</sup> Ave SW and SW Juneau St:** 2-Tents, 100-Needles, 2,500lbs of debris -7/7  
**Before**



### After



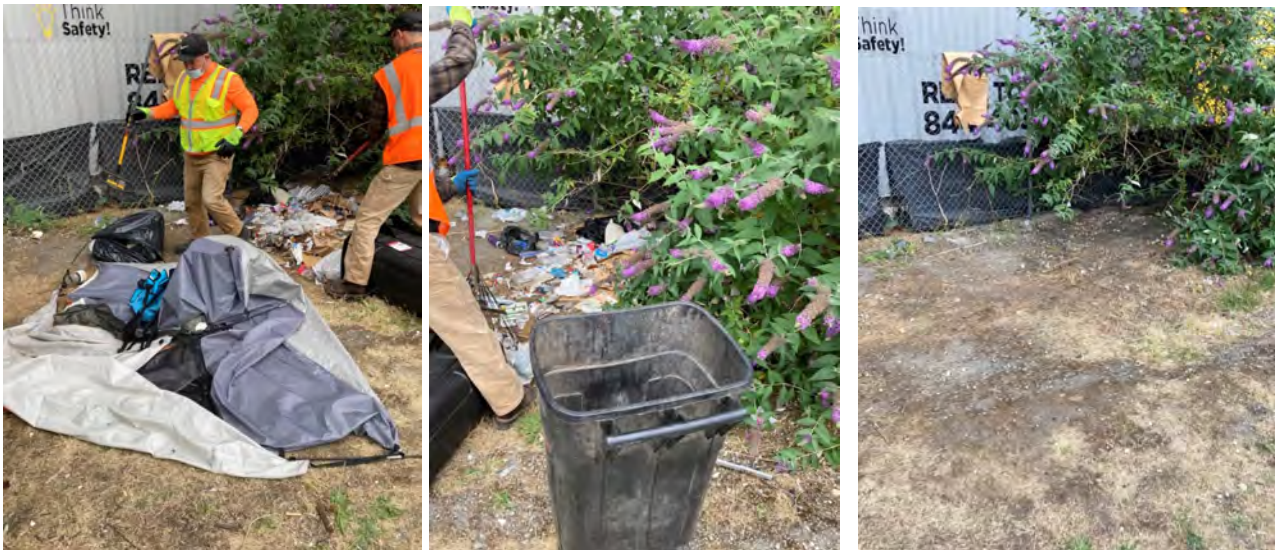
- W Marginal Way SW b/t SW Spokane St & Chelan Ave SW: 0.25 vegetation management, Removed brush along ROW -7/10

### SE Community Clean Team

- Utah and Stacy to Atlantic: 8-Tents, 2-Structures, 800lbs of debris, 1 block of litter pickup -7/6
- **Portside Trail**: 9-Tents, 6-Structures, 15-Needles, 1,200lbs of debris -7/6

### Before/During

### After



- 4th and S Royal Brougham way: 1 block of sidewalk pressure washed -7/6
- 39th Ave S & S Brandon St: 1 mile of vegetation management -7/6
- 55th Ave S & S Dawson St: 1 mile of vegetation management -7/6
- 54th Ave S & S Ferdinand St: 1 mile of vegetation management -7/6
- 4th & Stewart: 3 landscapes mulched, applied 3 cubic yards of woodchips -7/7
- Mountains to Sound trail: 2 miles of vegetation management -7/7
- 25th Ave S & S Hanford St: 2 miles of vegetation management -7/7

- **Melrose Ave E and Denny Way:** 60lbs of debris, 0.2 mile of vegetation management, vegetation removal 3 loads of vegetation, 1 block of sidewalk cleaned -7/7, 7/8

**Vegetation Management - Before/During**



**After**

**Graffiti cleaned**



- Denny & Olive Way: 5 signs of graffiti cleaned -7/8
- **MLK & S Winthrop/Rainier:** 40lbs of debris, 2 planting strips and 1 landscape mulched, applied 6 cubic yards of woodchips -7/8

**Before**



**After**



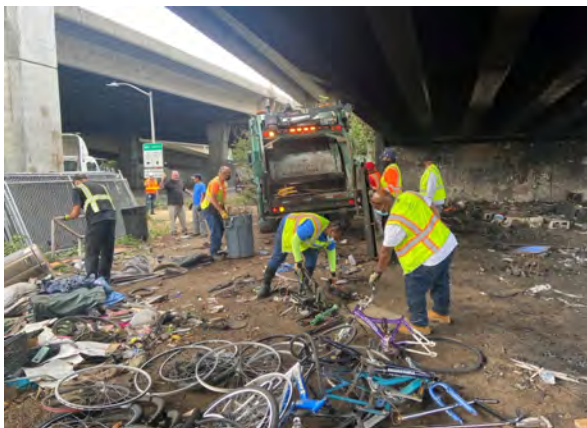
- Cheasty Blvd S & S Winthrop: 20lbs of debris, 0.02 mile of vegetation management, 4 trees pruned, 1 planting strip mulched, cut back shrubs in planting strip, applied 3 cubic yards of woodchips -7/8, 7/9
- **Melrose and Olive:** 5-Tents, 1-Structure, 24-Needles, 2,150lbs of debris -7/8



- **1<sup>st</sup> and Spokane:** No-Tents, 24-Needles, 7,650lbs of debris -7/8

**Before**

**After**



- Denny & 9<sup>th</sup>: 2-Tents, 900lbs of debris -7/9
- City Hall Park: 42-Tents, 24-Needles, 1,700lbs of debris -7/9
- 7th Ave S & Dearborn: 1 block of litter pickup, 15lbs of debris -7/9
- 2nd & Denny: 180lbs of debris, 4 trees pruned, 2 landscapes mulched, applied 15 cubic yards of woodchips -7/10

- Golf Dr S & S Charles St (trail to Daejeon Park): 100lbs of debris, 0.1 mile of vegetation management, 5 trees pruned, cut back shrubs along trail & street -7/11

**Clean Cities Emphasis Areas**

- Magnuson Park CC: 7/8. Volunteer Coordinator Junior Kitiona brought tools and other supplies to the project. Six volunteers arrived and were eager to work. Vera McDaniel started the group off by showing which vegetation to remove or prune lower in the Native Habitat Circle bed. The group removed blackberry, Morning Glory vines, cut down Staghorn Sumac volunteer suckers and lowered the height of Oregon Grape against the CC building for CEPTED. Many identification signs were exposed after removing the overgrown vegetation for the public to view.

**Work against the CC Building-Before project began**



**During-Lowering Oregon Grape and Morning Glory Vines**



**Work in the Native Circle bed - Before**





**During-Cutting down volunteer Staghorn Sumac suckers, removing Morning Glory vines and blackberry**



**Work completed against the CC building**



**Tractor removing cut brush**



**Informational signs exposed after cutting vegetation back**



## **Look Ahead Week of July 12 to July 18**

### **Emphasis Cleans:**

- NW: Yale St. South Bound on ramp
- NE: Lake City Way Medians
- NE: Magnuson Park
- SW: 22nd AVE SW & SW Henderson
- SW: Airport Way & Royal Brougham
- SW: Spokane St.-Duwamish -fire
- SE: MTS-Sound Trail
- SE: North side of 12 St Bridge

The Crews will be doing litter picks, trash mitigation; any Bio- Hazard removal that may be required, and related grounds maintenance work. Crews will also be providing maintenance and cleaning efforts both in and around these parks. Field inspections and cleaning of right of way areas will include stairways, multi-use paths, streets, and sidewalks in the immediate vicinity of these parks.