

## Capt. Vancouver finds permanent home



Annie Jobe, Molalla, was among thousands who were at Vancouver Farmers Market Saturday, many of whom witnessed the re-dedication of Jim Demetro's statue of Capt. George Vancouver, relocated to the round-about at the corner of Esther and 6th Streets. The market recorded its single busiest day under sunshine and blue sky.

## "Hidden costs of casino gambling," to be discussed by Connecticut author

**Jeff Benedict**, author of *Without Reservation*, an account of how one of the largest casinos in the world came into being in Connecticut will discuss, "The Hidden Costs of Casino Gambling," in a lecture at 7 p.m. Tuesday, July 19, in Fort Vancouver High School, 5700 E. 18th Street.



**Jeff Benedict**

There is no charge for the event sponsored by the newly formed local group, Citizens Against Reservation Shopping which opposes the proposed Cowlitz Casino Resort at La Center.

Benedict is also president of the Connecticut Alliance Against Casino Expansion. He is also author of the *Out of Bounds: Inside the NBA's Culture of Rape, Violence and Crime*, which was on Amazon's best sellers list in 2004.

## Vancouver City Council to hear further planning on Fourth Plain Study area

The Vancouver City Council, in workshop session at 4 p.m. today, will hear further details on the Fourth Plain Corridor study being conducted by the Vancouver Housing Authority, working with Clark College and the city.

The housing authority, recently named a Public Development Authority to pursue development of 15

centers and corridors in the city, has identified the Fourth Plain Corridor as ideally situated for a small business incubator.

The incubator would draw together workforce development resources, training, and small business finance programs to provide a point of departure for prospective businesses interested in beginning or expanding their businesses in that corridor.

The geographic area that currently is populated with the city's largest concentration of ethnic restaurants and minority-owned businesses is generally along Fourth Plain Boulevard between Fort Vancouver Way and Andresen Road.

## Calendar

The Vancouver City Council meets in workshop session at 4 p.m. today and follows that with a 7 p.m. regularly scheduled public meeting. ☞ The regularly scheduled 9 a.m. Tuesday, July 19, Clark Public Utilities board of commissioners' meeting has been canceled. ☞ Clark County Commissioners meet in regular session at 10 a.m. Tuesday, July 19.

Monday headlines from at home and around the world:

[Portland airport noise manager quits--Oregonian, \*\*Bill Stewart\*\*](#)

[Three-day event at Washougal's Capt. William Clark Park honors Lewis and Clark promises to be biggest bicentennial event so far--Columbian](#)

[Share grant to help homeless with housing and more--Columbian, \*\*Kelly Adams\*\*](#)

[Capt. Vancouver gets downtown Vancouver home--Oregonian](#)

[Initiative process both loved and hated in Washington state--Seattle Times, AP, \*\*David Ammons\*\*](#)

[3.2 earthquake rattles Mount St. Helens--KATU](#)

### Monday on the air

City Minutes—3 p.m. CVTV

Vancouver City Council Workshop (live)—4 p.m. CVTV

Sacramento at Portland Beavers (live)—7 p.m. KKAD

Vancouver City Council (live)—7 p.m. CVTV

### Town Tabloids and the weather

**Dory Pollard** turns archaeologist, finds bottle cap. ☞ **John Lindberg** sharing past days of glory. ☞ **Ken Haydock** douses candles without incident. ☞ **Gary Sumpter** welcomes getting warmer. ☞ **Chris Prothero** attending coronation. ☞ **Monday**, second in a string of hot, sunny days, 92. **Tuesday**, sunny but slightly cooler, 82. **Wednesday**, sunny, 84.