

Health advisory council is presenting free Program on healthy community growth

A free community forum on healthy community growth is being offered in four sections this evening at the Clark County Public Health Advisory Council, 6:15 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., in room 226 of the Clark County Elections Department offices, 1408 Franklin Street.

Presentations will be made by the following:

Marlia Jenkins, Clark County Community Development, discussing urban growth boundaries and community planning.

David Judd, director of Vancouver-Clark Parks & Recreation, on planning and implementing a metropolitan parks district.

Lynne C. Griffith, executive director C-TRAN, and **Dean Lookingbill**, director of the Southwest Washington Regional Transportation Council, on transportation planning and public transportation.

John Wiesman and **Justin Denny**, Clark County Health Department, discussing community health indicators.

The public health advisory council, chaired by **Joan Caley**, is charged with advising the Clark County Board of Health on public health issues affecting the community.

For further information, call **397-8477**.

Officials break ground on \$7 million east precinct multipurpose complex

Vancouver police and public works and parks officials today broke ground on a \$7 million east precinct complex, that, in addition to housing the main police department presence in east Vancouver, will provide a public meeting room, a two-acre park, and offices for the city Public Works department serving the east side.

Mayor **Royce Pollard** said that the partnership among the police department, Vancouver-Clark Parks and Recreation, and the city Public Works Department demonstrates the effective and efficient use of city resources by collocating three city services on one site.

The complex is being built at Mill Plain Boulevard and NE 155th Avenue. To be completed in mid-2006, the police precinct will be open 24 hours a day.

All-mail election notices sent

All Clark County registered voters have been notified by the Auditor's office that the Sept. 20 primary election, as well as all future elections in the county, will be conducted entirely by mail.

Unregistered voters have until Saturday, Aug. 20, to request by mail voter registration forms. Potential voters may also register in person at the county Elections Department, 1408 Franklin Street, through Friday, Sept. 2.

Although ballots will be sent to all registered voters by mail and may be completed and returned by mail, voters will have an option of dropping off completed ballots at ballot drop locations, and voters may also deposit their completed ballots in a ballot box at the elections department through the day of the election.

CREDC members to envision future of Vancouver's waterfront

William P. Macht will discuss redevelopment of downtown Vancouver, to take advantage of its waterfront and transportation opportunities, at the quarterly meeting of the Columbia River Economic Development Council at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 1, in the Heathman Lodge.

Macht is president of Macht & Company, a development, management, consulting and investment firm, and is an adjunct professor of Urban Studies and Planning at Portland State University.

Macht also directed the public-private development of Officers Row in downtown Vancouver.

Vancouver's waterfront west of the Red Lion Hotel at the Quay will soon be up for grabs when about 27 acres along the river are sold by Boise Cascade.

Admission to the luncheon is \$30. For further information, call **694-5006**.

Calendar

Clark County commissioners meet in an informal session at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 17, in the Public Service Center.

Tuesday headlines from at home and around the world:

[Vancouver City Council adopts .2 percent sales tax increase on split vote. Additional 20 cents on \\$100 purchase takes effect Jan. 1, 2006; Jeanne Stewart and Tim Leavitt voted no--Columbian, **Jeff Mize**](#)

[Vancouver council sends city business tax back to staff--Columbian, **Thomas Ryll**](#)

[Tax proposals unsettle council--Oregonian, **Allan Brettman**](#)

[Rocketshop stays local while working with international advertising clients--Oregonian,](#)

[Allan Brettman](#)

[Vancouver, Greater Vancouver Chamber and merchants spearheading ad campaign to get shoppers to spend money in Clark County--Columbian, **Jonathan Nelson**](#)

[Issaquah City Council restricts where sex offenders can live--Seattle Times, **Sonia Krishnan**](#)

[Husband of woman camped at Crawford, Texas, waiting for George W. Bush, files for divorce--Seattle Times, AP](#)

[Oregon leads nation in fight against meth--KATU, AP, **Joseph B. Frazier**](#)

Tuesday on the air

City Minutes —3:30 p.m. CVTV

Clark County Close Up (8/4)—4 p.m. CVTV

Clark County Focus (7/29)—4:30 p.m. CVTV

Columbia River Channel Deepening Celebration—5 p.m. CVTV

Capital Perspectives (7/6)—6 p.m. CVTV

Vancouver Land Use Hearings (live)—7 p.m. CVTV

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

Kansas City at Seattle Mariners (live)—7 p.m. FSN, KFX

Town Tabloids and the weather

Tim Capeloto announcing business is stellar. ☞ **Scot Walstra** set for pitch. ☞ **Craig Hogman** back to 0600-1430 hours schedule. ☞ **Walter Evans** claimming speling d'gris . ☞ **Hilary Young** explaining plain talk. ☞ **Tuesday**, trace of rain, partly cloudy, 78. **Wednesday**, mostly cloudy, 71. **Thursday**, only slightly cloudy, 82.