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Snohomish County 2018 Public Works Annual Report Demonstrates Value of Partnerships to Benefit Residents

Online story map format gives residents an interactive experience

EVERETT, Wash., February 28, 2019 – The Snohomish County 2018 Public Works Annual Report: *Partnerships in Focus* is now [available online](#). This year’s report is presented as an interactive story map.

“We had a great year delivering services and projects through partnerships with local cities, the state and the federal government, among others,” Snohomish County Public Works Director Steve Thomsen said. “We are committed to transparency and this annual report shows the breadth and scope of our work last year and how those partnerships benefited our residents.”

County employees worked on numerous road and surface water-related construction projects during 2018 while Road Maintenance crews helped to preserve and repair the county’s more than 1,600 miles of road. Public Works completed construction on the Smith Island Estuary Restoration project, partnered with the City of Lynnwood on the Maple Rd and Ash Way Intersection and Drainage Improvement project and completed a critical transportation project on Seattle Hill Road, among many others. Solid Waste processed more than 519,000 tons of garbage.

The report shows how public resources were utilized in 2018 and how the county leveraged local, state and federal grants to stretch local tax dollars.

The digital document links to many of the county’s web pages for more information about specific projects and services.

About Snohomish County Public Works

The Snohomish County Public Works Department constructs and maintains county roads; controls and manages surface water quantity, quality, and fish habitats; and oversees the recycling and disposal of solid waste. The department’s main office is located at 3000 Rockefeller Ave., Everett, WA 98201. For more information about Snohomish County Public Works, visit www.snohomishcountywa.gov/PublicWorks.

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