

THE ROSS REPORT

Monthly News from Mayor Katherine Ross



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Welcoming Multiple New Snoqualmie Businesses

Mayor Ross welcomed several new businesses to Snoqualmie in July. She joined the SnoValley Chamber for a ribbon cutting welcoming new art and ceramics studio, June & Gem Ceramics, to downtown Snoqualmie. She also visited new businesses, Books & Bottles (Historic Downtown District) and The Weekend Coffee (Ridge Retail District), to extend a personal welcome and to learn more about the business owners' experiences while opening in Snoqualmie. Please stop in, shop local, and support these new businesses.

Trail Youth Tour

Exec. Director Aprille Balangue provided Mayor Ross a tour and overview of the important work done by The Trail Youth to support Snoqualmie Valley youth and teens.



Celebrating Improved Safety on 384th Ave

Mayor Ross, Councilmembers, City staff, and community members cut the ribbon to celebrate the new sidewalk on 384th Ave SE in downtown Snoqualmie. This pedestrian safety investment was part of the 384th Ave sidewalk and sewer project that replaced the aging, undersized sewer main to better serve residents and businesses, including the Snoqualmie Casino & Hotel expansion. It also added one-mile of new sidewalk to improve pedestrian safety.



I-90/SR18 Interchange Milestone; Advocating for Off-ramp Safety

Mayor Ross joined WSDOT, WSP, and 5th District Senator Hunt to mark the opening of the new diverging diamond interchange on July 25. With the new interchange, some traffic and safety issues emerged on the eastbound off-ramp. Mayor Ross and Councilmembers successfully advocated with WSDOT for off-ramp improvements. New lane striping, lane dividers, and extra I-90 signage are all options WSDOT will work to implement ASAP.