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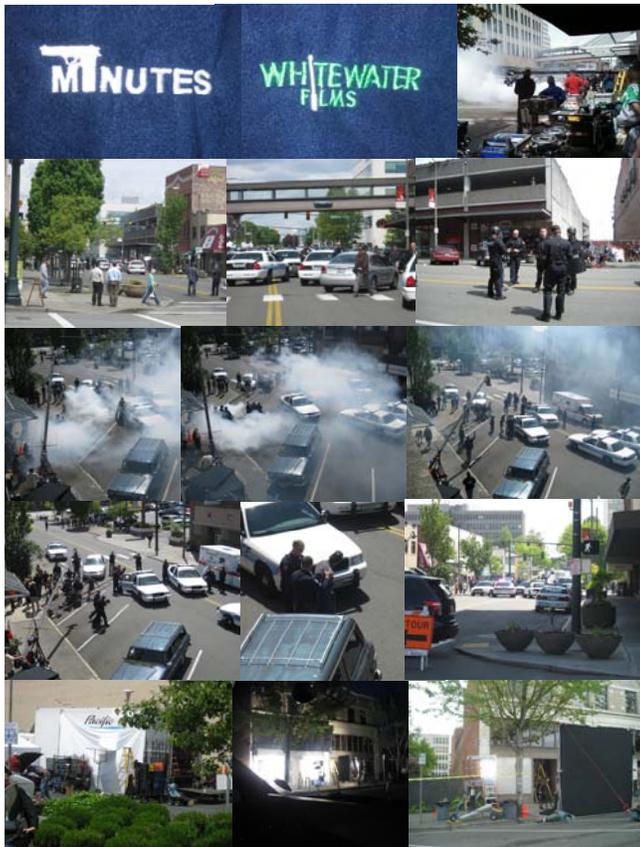
7 Minutes movie filmed in Everett

Everett plays host to the White Water Films production of the upcoming movie *7 MINUTES* about a heist “gone wrong” at a downtown mortgage company, starring Jason Ritter and Kris Kristopherson.

The City of Everett cultural arts manager Carol Thomas, pictured lower left with Experience Everett’s Sean Straub, worked with all City departments to make the production a smooth one. Several off-duty Everett Police Department police officers worked as extras.

The upper right picture of the film crew releasing fabricated smoke for an action scene involving police officers arresting suspects was provided by Larry Wold. The action scene pictures in the middle three rows were taken during the filming on Wetmore Ave.; the fourth row shows an equipment truck and filming at the Culmback Building on Colby Ave.

Carol and Sean are talking with movie cast and crew members,



and invited guests at the “wrap party” held at Sol Food restaurant on Hewitt. Pictured at lower right is Jacob Mosler, Producer/Owner of Film Budget PR.



Longtime TV and movie director/producer Rick Rosenthal picked Everett as the ideal location for the movie. Jay Martin is the writer/director. The anticipated release is early 2014.

Possession Sound—view from Grand Avenue Park

This beautiful sweeping view from Grand Avenue Park at 19th Street encompasses Naval Station Everett at left, the historic Weyerhaeuser Building (red roof center), Lombardi’s Restaurant (red building right center) amid a myriad of businesses, and the largest privately owned marina on the west coast which is operated by the Port of Everett. The walkway at the far right is part of the park.



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Evergreen Arboretum—celebrates 50 years

Mayor Ray Stephanson, pictured lower center, speaks in support of the Evergreen Arboretum and Gardens as they celebrate 50 years of providing the community of Everett with amazing floral beauty, walking trails, and sculptures. Some 40+ citizens remained in the snappy weather to enjoy the vegetation, with their calm broken only the sounds of songbirds. A short, but sweet, ceremony to be remembered by all.



Cruzin' to Colby—plus 14th Annual Show 'n Shine

Come rain or come shine, Memorial Day weekend brings a terrific variety of beautiful old and new vehicles to Downtown Everett. Sunday afternoon begins with a traditional Cruzin' to Colby with about 400 entrants Cruzin' on Colby and designated side streets, while many take a break giving thousands of admiring visitors the opportunity to get up close. From morning to late afternoon on Monday, more than 700 cars line many side streets and the main streets of Hewitt and Colby Avenues to Show 'n Shine. Vintage vehicles mix with the Vintage Café, modern sculptures, beautiful landscaping and flowers, and very interested enthusiasts. Some even take time out to dine or at least have a bit of popcorn and ice cream.



Peoples Bank—welcome to Everett



The Downtown Everett Association welcomes Peoples Bank to Downtown Everett. Peoples Bank is located at 2733 Colby Avenue. Within the next two years the bank will move to its larger, permanent home at 2702 Colby Avenue.

Peoples Bank introduced itself to Everett by holding a contest entitled “*Do you know EVERETT?*”. The contest which ran for the month of June gave participants the opportunity to identify pictures depicting a variety of 19 interesting buildings, statues, sculptures, and other landmarks. The ultimate goal was to win the grand prize of a luxury vacation for two to Hawaii. For more information on Peoples Bank, visit <http://peoplesbank-wa.com/>.



Downtown Everett—more colorful living/working

Unfortunately, large, lackluster office buildings nestled among other uninspiring structures are where a lot of folks work. Not so in Downtown Everett! The structures in our Central Business District include many colorful designs originating from various decades. All of these enhance the workplace and make for a more pleasurable, relaxing workday. Many new retailers, service businesses, and eating establishments have gone the extra mile to incorporate eye-catching signage and vivid color schemes to draw attention and beautify their buildings, and all who patronize these businesses are fortunate to have such choices. The pictures below exhibit a mix of upgraded classic décor with bold colors and clean modern designs. Among the buildings shown are dining establishments being frequented by customers on the two main streets of Downtown Everett, Hewitt and Colby Avenues. With warmer temperatures, our citizens are beginning to get “out and around!”





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Downtown Everett
Live - Work - Play



The Downtown Everett Association (DEA) is committed to advancing and growing Downtown Everett as a vibrant economic, cultural, and governmental center through leadership, advocacy, and the ongoing administration of a business improvement area (BIA). The organization's membership is comprised of property owners who support the revitalization of Everett's historic central core through annual fee assessments. Visit the DEA website for more information.



Sue Strickland
Downtown Services Manager

Downtown Everett Association joins a host of businesses in the Business Improvement Area (BIA) by sponsoring a recycle receptacle provided by the City of Everett. Each business maintains the receptacle by emptying it as necessary.



Visit downtown city-scapes and sculptures, see more on-line at www.everettwa.org.

Take a walking tour of the lovely art sculptures on Colby from Wall to 26th Street and on Wall, Hewitt and California from Wetmore to Hoyt, and the Everett Events Center at Hewitt and Broadway. Remember to visit the newly developing Hoyt Ave Arts District, enjoying new light fixtures and sculptures as shown at right from Wall looking north on Hoyt. Watch for new sculptures in the near future.



There are over 200 **FREE parking** spaces after 6:00 PM and on weekends at the well-lit, easily accessed Everpark Garage at 2815 Hoyt Avenue, booth 425-252-7888. *Drive in and park.*



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**Graffiti control
graffiti hotline
425-257-8748**

Weed control and graffiti removal are part of the BIA maintenance service for DEA members. Therefore, if you need help inside the BIA boundaries, please contact Sue Strickland, 425-258-0700, or Rich Webber, 425-238-7071.

Everpark Garage Rates

Monthly

Covered - \$70

Gated Level One - \$75

Gated Roof - \$55

Daily M-F/7 AM - 6 PM

\$2.00 0-2 Hours

\$5.00 2-4 Hours

\$8.00 4 + Hours

Pay by cash or check.

Ask Sue Strickland about monthly and group specials, 425-258-0700.

**FREE
No Trespassing signs
for DEA members**



The DEA Board of Directors elected to provide FREE No Trespassing signs to DEA members. The DEA logo appears on the black and white signs. They are available in two sizes, 24"x18" or 18"x12". Contact Sue Strickland at 425-258-0700 to order your signs and make arrangements to pick them up.

Note: Go to the DEA website to view all of the newsletters.