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New Place for Next Meeting *Primo Grill*

Corner 6th Ave at Oakes
9:30 a.m.
Tuesday, Jan. 14th

January Calendar + Beyond

6th Ave Bus. District Meeting

When: Tues, Jan 14 @ 9:30-10:30 am
(Second Tuesday of the Month)

NEW VENUE!: Primo Grill, 2701 6th Ave

Agenda: Committee Reports; 6th & Alder Report, Confirm your new Board Members

Third Thursday Art Walk | Every Month on the 3rd Thursday

When: Thurs, Jan 16, Time 4 to 7 pm (Third Thursday of the month). Art Walk is Changing. Details are being hammered out and we will have more info coming.

Where: Various | 6th Ave from State to Alder; Map will be online at taco-maartwalk.com

Contact: Antonia Hernandez, taco-maartwalk.hernandez@gmail.com (to tell her your featured artist if you have your own) Note, this may change.

Promotions/Events Meeting--New Day!

When: Last Wed before the Board Meeting @ 10:30 am

Where: Soap & Clay.

Chairs: [Peter Vanrosendael](#), (Promotions) & [Chantaine McBain](#), (Events) | Flesh Out New Ideas for monthly events in 2020. **Come join us**

Board Meeting -- NEW DAY; NEW TIME

When: Last Tuesday @ 9:00 am

Where: Primo Grill

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Major Accomplishments

In 2019

By Angie Lokotz

I asked the Board Members to list what they thought were the Top Three accomplishments for our district in 2019. Many highlighted the same items, but each brought a new perspective. Here they are in no particular order. See if your thoughts match. If you agree, please tell us that we're on the right track. If you disagree, come to a meeting and let us know what you'd like to see.

Community Board installation on the side of Red Hot

Narrowing down what kind of streetscape we want to see.

Progress made for a dedicated bike lane on 6th Ave
Grant for painting the utility poles.

Art on the Ave event was huge! (est. 30,000 attendance)

Night Market at AOA (thanks to the Warehouse)

Bigger Santa Parade (est. 6500 attendance)

2nd Annual Wine Walk was a huge success and people are already looking forward to the next one.

More Art on The Ave (art walk,

murals, posting boards, etc.)
"Best Of" Awards

Board member attended the 13 week TPD Citizens Academy

To that list, Board Member Peter Vanrosendael adds: The events/promo/arts committees can all take a bow for 2019's success (the awards) but they all fall under the aegis of strong leadership at the top. (Pres/VP). Their hard work has put Sixth Ave Business District in TACOMA's lime-light. Work is done in committees. If we all work together in a better united effort, 2020 will surely shine more brightly.

Predictions for our next decade:

New development at 6th & Alder brings new residential life to the Ave ~ more customers and a more involved community

Art on The Ave draws major Headliner for 2020 performance

The North End Social lives on ~ as someone purchases the establishment and continues to Rock the Block with live local artists

Someone renovates the old costume shop into a grand community space that continues to draw a crowd and rejuvenates life on the block

Here's to a Prosperous New Year!

Thank You, Community Partners!

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North End Neighborhood Council
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General Membership Meetings on the second Tuesday of the month
LOCATION & TIME: Primo Grill, 2705 6th Ave at 9:30 am
Board Meetings on the last Tuesday of the month, 9:00 AM, location Primo Grill.

Website: on6thave.org | Instagram: [@sixavetacoma](https://www.instagram.com/sixavetacoma) | Facebook:

January Calendar + Beyond [continued from page 1]

Tote Bag Tuesday | Every Tuesday!

When: Every Tuesday at Participating Businesses!

Where: Participating businesses: Garlic Jim's, HM Spa, Mary Mart, Restyle Clothing, Scorpio Rising, Soap & Clay, Stargazer Comics, Turntable Treasures/House of Records, Studio 6 Ballroom, The Hippie House

District Benefit: Specials at participating stores lure shoppers to the Ave. **Remind your customers** via your email list or social media to bring their bags along when they visit! Do you honor any and all bags? Let your customers know. **Facebook Event Link:** <https://www.facebook.com/events/889778034695038/>

Are you hosting an event, a class, or celebrating an opening or anniversary? Let us know! Or make **@6thAveTacoma** a co-host of your Facebook event. We will forward to our **Facebook Events Page** with over 12,000 followers! Also, share our events to your followers. **Win Win!!!**

You don't have to be a district member to attend a meeting, or join a committee. (But we'd like you to.) Please join us. **6th Ave needs and wants your input!**

CED Liaison Report to NBDAs

COT/CED Items... P]=policy, G]=grant opportunity

(note: policy items may be shared by a Council Member if they are present at the NBDA meeting)

2020 South Sound Sustainability Expo - Saturday, March 14, 2020 from 10am-3pm at the Greater Tacoma Convention Center. This unique environmentally-focused community event features non-profits, businesses, and government agencies as well as interactive exhibits, presentations, and workshops. Vendor registration is free for non-profits and community groups. For-profits pay a \$30 registration fee. Registration is available now at southsoundstabilityexpo.org/registration. More information is available at southsoundstabilityexpo.org or Leah Michaelson, lmichaelson@cityoftacoma.org, 253-591-5172

REMINDER: NEW Microloans - The City of Tacoma now offers microloans ranging from \$5000 to \$25,000. Microloans may be used for building acquisition, purchase of equipment, working capital, tenant improvements and more. To schedule a district presentation about microloans at your meeting, request an application, or for further questions please contact Will Suarez at will.suarez@cityoftacoma.org or 253-591-5590

G] REMINDER: 2020 Innovative Grants – The 2020 Innovative Grant Program has transitioned to the Neighborhoods and Community Services (NCS) department. NCS is still working on program updates and expects to release the 2020 application and guidelines in January. Contact is



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P] Visit cityoftacoma.org: **City Council Committees** for schedules and information (including agendas, handouts, audio from past meetings) for the following Council Committees: Economic Development; Infrastructure, Planning, and Sustainability; Community Vitality and Safety; Government Performance and Finance; and Committee of the Whole.

EVENTS permitted by the City in December:

Thursdays – Tacoma Runners Weekly Evening Runs

Saturdays – Proctor Farmers Market

For more information go to www.cityoftacoma.org/specialevents and www.tacomaparks.com/events

Green Event Program – Community events held in Tacoma are encouraged to participate in the Green Event Program to have a more sustainable environmental impact. Event organizers who are interested in receiving complementary in-kind services (trash/composting/recycling and portable toilets) must participate in the Green Event Program, achieve Green Excellence certification, and be not-for-profit; cityoftacoma.org/greenevents

REMINDER: EVENT PROMOTION via OVER-THE-STREET (OTS) BANNER POLES - You may want to consider promoting your events with OTS Banners. They are generally 4'x40' and can be put up for 15 days (possibly longer) at the following locations:

1000 Pacific	1100 A	800 Division	1400 S 11th
1200 Pacific	S Sprague	4900 E Portland	4800 N Pearl

Submit your permit here: <http://tacomapermits.org/> under RUSE (Right-of-Way Use) permit.

You will not to fill in all fields, but need to indicate OTS Banner, location(s), who is installing, and you will need to include banner in your liability insurance coverage

SAFETY / TEXT 911 – If you are in a dangerous situation where you are unable to call 911, you can text 911. This is a reminder to only use text when it is necessary; calling 911 for emergencies is still the preferred method. For non-emergencies, you can still contact TPD at 253-798-4722

Homeless Encampments / Transient Issues – Businesses that need a quick response to (non-life threatening) transient activity in/near their store may contact **Comprehensive Life Resources at 253-382-2677**. You may also report your concern through TacomaFIRST 311 (phone, app, online) as all reports will be investigated by a Homeless Outreach Team [As always, report any life-threatening emergencies to 911.]

TacomaFirst 311 – One-stop shop for all services: potholes, a light out, overgrown vegetation, abandoned vehicles, etc. **If it is a police/fire/medical emergency call 911;**

otherwise, you may call 311 to report any other complaint, question, or kudo. Also available online and by smartphone (Apple, Android) app: TacomaFirst311

OTHER...

Pierce Transit Long Range Plan - To better understand needs through 2040, they are conducting a public involvement and outreach process to gather detailed information from existing passengers and the general public regarding suggested improvements or changes to the fixed route bus network. Pierce Transit wants to hear from as many people as possible about ways they can make the system work better. Please visit: PierceTransit.org/Destination-2040 to weigh in on what's most important to you. Contact: Brenda Davis, bda-vis@piercetransit.org, 253-581-8093

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- \$4.5 Million for 80 clients, 100 unit Bremerton apartment fire
- \$5.5 Million for 750 clients due to defective home diesel oil contamination
- \$5.0 Million for child birth negligence
- \$5.3 Million for brain injury to child due to window blind cord strangulation
- Millions in injuries and deaths due to baseboard heater and thermostat failures; car accidents, brain injuries, product liability, industrial toxic injuries, elder abuse
- Each case is different

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