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Fun and Free:

Fall Activity Guide:

- The Fall 2026 Activity Guide is here! This is your one-stop shop for recreational opportunities for all ages and abilities in the Spokane area. The Activity Guide can be found at local grocery stores, City Hall, and online at: my.spokanecity.org/parksrec/guides

Need to Know:

Community Engagement Grant Deadline

- The close of the 2026 Community Engagement Grant program is approaching. The deadline to have all receipts turned in, submit requests for reimbursements, and place orders for printed materials (banners, stickers, magnets, etc.) is **Monday, September 21st at 8:00 A.M.** (Email with more information was sent to CEG Coordinators and NC Leadership on 8/17)

Save the Date – Spokane Neighborhood Summit

- Save the date for the fourth-annual Spokane Neighborhood Summit on Saturday, Nov. 7 from 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. at the Hemmingson Center (Gonzaga Campus)! The Summit is a FREE one-day community engagement conference for Spokane neighborhood council members or aspiring members. Join in to learn what other councils are doing and grow your own leadership and best practices. Registration will be available starting on September 9 at: <https://my.spokanecity.org/neighborhoods/programs/spokane-neighborhood-summit/>

Slow Down in School Zones

- As Spokane Public Schools students (or most) head back to school on Wednesday, Aug. 26 the City reminds motorists to slow down in school zones and watch for pedestrians crossing the street.

A New Approach to Safer Streets: Emergency Streets Pilot Program

- Spokane launched the Emergency Streets program, which brings rapid, temporary traffic calming treatments to the site of a fatal crash within 48–72 hours. The goal is simple: increase awareness, reduce speeds, and make streets safer right away. Emergency Streets focuses on the critical window after fatal crashes, introducing immediate changes to the street that encourage safer driving behavior. To learn more, visit: <https://my.spokanecity.org/streets/emergency-streets/>



City of Spokane Wildfire Information

- The City of Spokane is working with local partners to provide wildfire information in two unique locations. Visit the webpages below to find resources for evacuees, frequently asked questions about city services, ways to help, cleanup efforts, and information on rebuilding as it becomes available.
 - my.spokanecity.org/wildfireinfo



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- www.spokanecommunityresources.org

Pools and Splash Pads

- City of Spokane [splash pads](#) are operational from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. at 19 parks, and only one pool remains open for lap swimming.

POST-SEASON LAP SWIM SCHEDULE: August 24 – September 11			
POST-SEASON FEE: \$6 PER VISIT			
Witter	Monday – Friday	11 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.	50 meter lanes

Fall Disposal Passes:

- Fall disposal passes are available from active Spokane Neighborhood Councils (NC) beginning Tuesday, August 4 through Saturday, October 31. Each NC will receive a set number of passes. They are available on a first come first served basis. Contact your neighborhood council to ask about how they will be distributed.

Community Feedback:

- **Draft Comprehensive Plan Chapters Available:**

- Draft Chapters of the Comprehensive Plan & Comprehensive Plan Explorer are now available for public review. View chapters at: <https://my.spokanecity.org/planspokane/chapter-review/>
- Comments on the Comprehensive Plan are due by 5 p.m., Friday, Oct. 2, 2026, to PlanSpokane@spokanecity.org. The public is encouraged to include the Chapter name and Goal/Policy number(s) as applicable.

- **Future Land Use Map Available:**

- An interactive map, where community members can zoom into specific properties and leave direct location-based comments is available. Community members are encouraged to review the map and leave location-based comments. View and Comment on the map at: <https://my.spokanecity.org/planspokane/>
- Comments on the draft Future Land Use Map and Comprehensive Plan are due by 5 p.m., Friday, Oct. 2, 2026. Submittal of comments by email to PlanSpokane@spokanecity.org is preferred, with the subject line “PlanSpokane 2046 Public Comments”.

- **Citywide Capital Improvement Program 2027-2032 Draft**

- The Six-Year Comprehensive Programs are annually updated and presented to the City of Spokane [Plan Commission](#) for recommendation and to Spokane City Council for adoption. A draft for 2027-2032 is currently available for public comment.
- These capital improvements have been developed through numerous public engagement efforts and technical studies and are necessary to implement the vision and values of the Comprehensive Plan. The CIP is updated each year according to the latest available information and, when adopted, supersedes the previously adopted version.
- Public Comments should be submitted by 5pm on Sept. 30, 2026, to dmutungi@spokanecity.org.