

NEWS RELEASE
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**MASON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
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TO: KMAS, KRXY, SHELTON-MASON COUNTY JOURNAL, THE OLYMPIAN, SHELTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, NORTH MASON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, CITY OF SHELTON, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL, THE SUN

RE: Mason County Permit Assistance Center Closed

On Monday, October 8, 2007, the Mason County Permit Assistance Center will be closed during the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon due to an all-department staff meeting. This staff meeting will include both the Building and Planning Divisions of the Department of Community Development as well as the Environment Health Division of Public Health Department.

The Permit Assistance Center is located in Mason County Building III, at 426 West Cedar Street in Shelton. The offices of Planning, Building, and Environmental Health will not be open to the public and no permits will be processed or issued during this four-hour time period.

Normal business operations will resume at 12:00 noon. We apologize for any inconvenience, however, we believe allowing for this staff development time will result in improved efficiencies to the public.

If you should have any questions, please contact Barbara Robinson, Director of Community Development at 427-9670, ext. 603.

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Barbara Robinson, Director