

# COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWSLETTER December 2024

### Newsletter Guide

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🔤 New Resource

🔵 Updated Resource

#### About Us

**Community Resource Center** 1111 Cornwall Ave. M-F 9am-4pm 360-734-5121 option 3

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To submit content to the newsletter, email <u>communityresources@</u> <u>oppco.org</u>.

#### **BELLINGHAM RECOVERY CAFE**

Bellingham's Recovery Café is part of the nationwide Recovery Café Network, made up of 79 cafes across the U.S. Located at the First Baptist Church at 110 Flora St., is is a drug- and alcohol-free space in downtown Bellingham for anyone in recovery or close to someone in recovery. Open on **Tuesdays and Wednesdays from noon to 4 p.m.**, the café offers a free meal and weekly small group check-ins. The café operates on a membership basis, where members commit to giving back to the café. Recovery Café will be OPEN on 12/25.

#### **RESOURCES FOR HOMEOWNERS**

Washington Homeownership Resource Center

<u>The Washington Homeownership Resource Center</u> works to increase and preserve homeownership in Washington state by educating and empowering current and future homeowners.

Through their hotline, website, and online portal, they provide information and referrals to vetted resources, including:

- Homebuyer assistance programs
- Pre-purchase education and counseling
- Mortgage and property tax foreclosure intervention counseling
- Owner-occupied repair assistance
- Credit Counseling
- Legal Aid

#### **Resource Guides**

Community Resource Library whatcomabc.org/library

Food and Meal Guide English | Spanish

Homeless Housing Guide English | Spanish

Clothing Resource Guide English | Spanish

Hygiene Guide English | Spanish

SNAP Brochure English | Spanish | Russian

#### 🐝 Resource Directory

A community designed website for human services & resources in Whatcom County: <u>whatcomresources.org</u>

Find the resources and information you need. Get connected to social, health and human services in Whatcom County.

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### COMMUNITY NEWS BULLETINS

News, announcements, & updates

- Holiday Food and Meal Guide
- Winter Severe Weather Shelters in Whatcom County
- DSHS Mobile Office at Opportunity Council in January
- Access ID Clinic Now Offering Driver License Acquisitions
- Financial Aid Completion Events with FuturesNW
- <u>Upcoming job readiness classes at Evergreen Goodwill</u>

## PROVIDER EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

MLK Lobby Day with Statewide Poverty Action Network 1/20 from 9:00 to 5:00 | Information and Registration

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Cascade Connections: <u>Multiple Openings</u> Catholic Community Services: <u>Multiple Openings</u> Commission on Sexual & Domestic Violence: <u>Admin Coordinator</u> Lake Whatcom Center: <u>Multiple Openings</u> Lydia Place: <u>Multiple Openings</u> Northwest Regional Council: <u>Multiple Openings</u> Northwest Workforce Council: <u>Multiple Openings</u> Northwest Workforce Sexual: <u>Multiple Openings</u> Northwest Youth Services: <u>Multiple Openings</u> Opportunity Council: <u>Multiple Openings</u> Road2Home: <u>Gardenview Village Site Supervisor</u> Unity Care Northwest: <u>Multiple Openings</u> Whatcom Center for Early Learning: <u>Multiple Openings</u>

