



**SeaTac Airports Community  
Coalition for Justice**



# **COMMUNITY POWER IN ACTION**

**Share practical knowledge, build  
connections, and take action**



**Join neighbors and partners to turn local concerns  
into informed, collective action.**



**OCTOBER 27, 28 & 29**



**Sessions each day**

**NOON & 6:30 PM**

**Virtual / Zoom**

**Register to join**



## DAY 1: TUE OCT 27

Noon

### **WHO OWNS THE DATA? RECLAIMING COMMUNITY KNOWLEDGE FOR AN ECOSOCIAL JUST TRANSITION**



Data is more than numbers and maps—it includes our stories, what we see, and our shared experiences. How can you use your knowledge to better understand your environment? Explore who collects, controls, and benefits from data, and share ideas for taking control of your information and building local power.

6.30p

### **USE YOUR LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR “FIGHTING UPHILL BATTLES (AND WHY THEY’RE WORTH FIGHTING)”**

Airport decisions often feel out of reach, but some of the most effective pressure comes from close to home: city councils, Port commissioners, and the staff who shape their agendas. Who holds power locally? How can you reach them? And why showing up in person still matters.

## DAY 2: WED OCT 28

Noon

### **HOW THE DEPT. OF ECOLOGY SUPPORTS COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

Staff from Ecology's Office of Equity and Environmental Justice will share insights into how the agency plans and coordinates community engagement, and have suggestions for how community members can engage impactfully on environmental issues that affect them.

### **COMMUNITY GARDENS: GATEWAY TO SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY**



In its best form, science is the process of making observations and tracking those observations for the purpose of connecting. S2 & Partners will use local examples of how Community Gardens can function as a gateway, catalyst, or bridge for science to become a community process.

### **UNDERSTANDING LEAD EXPOSURE: FROM COMMUNITY AWARENESS TO PUBLIC HEALTH ACTION**

Lead exposure remains an important environmental health concern. Explore how community partnerships, culturally responsive outreach, and research can help connect residents with resources and strengthen prevention efforts. Get practical information about testing, public health services, and how to take action.

6.30p

### **A NEIGHBORHOOD REBEL MOVEMENT: IF I COULD DO IT, ANYONE CAN**



In Burien's Cedarhurst neighborhood, a handful of residents organized against an Industrial rezoning. With no budget and no previous organizing experience, they built a neighborhood coalition. Get the inside scoop: What worked, what didn't, and what other communities can use to advocate for their own neighborhoods.

## DAY 3: THU OCT 29

Noon

### **MUNICIPAL AIRPORTS: COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS & ENGAGEMENT**



How can municipal airports and surrounding communities work together on environmental concerns, improve communication, and build partnerships? Airport leadership and a community org will share on building collaborative relationships and ways to strengthen community participation and accountability.

6.00p

### **Q/A WITH LEADERS: FROM COMMUNITY CONCERNS TO COLLECTIVE ACTION**

How can communities and local governments work together to address environmental, health, and quality of life concerns? Elected officials, community advocates, and local leaders to explore how residents can work together to address shared challenges and advance community driven solutions.