



# MONROE THIS WEEK

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*Thank you for reading Monroe This Week.*

*This week's edition includes details on lodging tax grant applications, the City actively recruiting for multiple job openings, a Snohomish Tribune feature on Monroe's Domestic Violence Advocate, the upcoming YMCA Fall Fun Run and Swifts Night In with Trivia, and where you can get your flu shot.*



*Please contact me with any and all feedback regarding the articles below. I can be reached at [GThomas@MonroeWA.gov](mailto:GThomas@MonroeWA.gov).*

*Yours in Service,*

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "G. Thomas".

*Mayor Geoffrey Thomas*

## CITY ACCEPTING LODGING TAX GRANT APPLICATIONS

The City of Monroe is accepting applications for 2022 lodging tax grants. Applications are due no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, November 19, 2021. For further details and to download the application, please visit [our website](#).



To be considered for funding, the request must be used for one of the following activities, as specified in [Chapter 67.28.1816](#) of the Revised Code of Washington:

- Tourism marketing;
- Marketing and operations of special events and festivals designed to attract tourists;
- Operations of tourism-related facilities owned or operated by nonprofit organizations as defined by the IRC 501(c)(3) or 501(c)(6).

Verification of nonprofit status will be required. Priority consideration will be given to applications that feature events scheduled from November 2022 through April 2023, and that promote tourism activities during November 2022 through April 2023.

## CITY ACTIVELY RECRUITING FOR MULTIPLE POSITIONS

Looking to serve the community you live in? The City of Monroe has a few positions open including Building Inspector, Parks Maintenance Worker II, Lateral Police Officer, and seasonal positions. Please visit our [employment opportunities page](#) for more information, to review the required job qualifications of each position, and to apply.



## SNOHOMISH TRIBUNE FEATURES DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ADVOCATE

As I shared in a previous edition of [Monroe This Week](#), the Monroe Police Department has added Jamie Ruiz to its team as a Domestic Violence Advocate. This week, the Snohomish Tribune featured Jamie and her work on behalf of our community. In her role with the City, Jamie provides support to victims of domestic violence and helps survivors navigate next steps. Jamie is bilingual and



works with both English and Spanish-speaking members of our community. I invite you to read the full article [here](#).

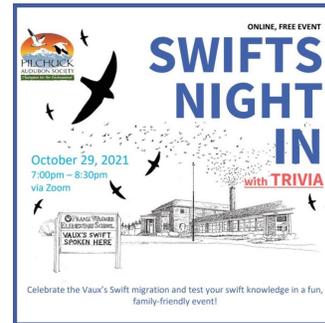
## MONROE/SKY VALLEY FAMILY YMCA FALL FUN RUN

Join the [Monroe/Sky Valley Family YMCA](#) for some fall fun at their run on October 30th at Skykomish River Park. The Fall Fun Run is a great way to celebrate autumn and start a family tradition with a 10K, 5K and 1 mile fun run. Prizes will be given for individual and group costumes. If you are out of town, no problem! A virtual run is an option. You can register [here](#), or learn more on the YMCA's [Facebook page](#).



## SWIFTS NIGHT IN WITH TRIVIA

Save the date for Swifts Night In with Trivia, hosted by the [Pilchuck Audubon Society](#) on October 29 from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. This year's celebration will be online with short presentations about the swifts sprinkled in between rounds of trivia. This is a free event, but pre-registration is required. Registration closes October 28, possibly earlier as space is limited. Register [here](#) today!



## FALL IS TIME FOR FLU SHOTS

It is crucial now more than ever to protect ourselves from sickness during the colder months of the year. [The Monroe Community Senior Center](#) is partnering with [Pharm-A-Save Monroe](#) to offer flu vaccines next Wednesday, October 20 at 9:00 a.m. You can call and make your appointment today at 360-794-6359.



# UPCOMING CITY COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

The City Council will meet in a Regular Study Session Meeting on Tuesday, October 19, 2021. The meeting will be held via the Zoom remote meeting platform. Participation information will be posted with the October 19 agenda, which can be accessed by clicking the button below.

Council Agendas/Minutes

## CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS



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