



City Manager's Report

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Help Meet Stricter Recycling Standards

make sure recyclables are:



Empty. Clean. Dry.

- China's factories no longer accept 50% of the world's recycling.
- City issued a 180-day temporary variance to Republic Services (effective March 13).
- You can help reduce contaminants by ensuring that your recyclables are empty, clean and dry.



Volunteer to Serve on a Board or Commission

- City Council seeks a diverse range of citizens to serve on several volunteer advisory boards.
- Terms generally run June 1-May 31, for a 4-year period – Seeking volunteers for:
 - Arts Council
 - Community Services Board
 - Design Commission
 - Open Space Trust
 - Planning Commission
 - Utility Board
- Deadline is Fri., May 4, 2018 – visit

www.mercergov.org to learn more



Door-to-Door Pet License Canvassing Starts May 5

- Regional Animal Services of King County will go door-to-door to provide temporary licenses for unlicensed pets, allowing 30 days to pay for a license.
- Pet owners can obtain a license online - <https://www.kingcounty.gov/depts/regional-animal-services.aspx>, at City Hall or at Island QFC stores.



Family Night: Around the World! – May 18



- Fri., May 18, 6:30-8:30 pm
- Mercer Island Community & Event Center
- Event will include music, entertainment, crafts, cultural booths, performances, food vendors & more!
- Event is free but registration is requested, call 206-275-7609 to save your spot today!



Street Banner Design – Call for Artists



- The Arts Council is seeking artists to create 5 unique designs reflecting the spirit of Mercer Island.
- Deadline is Mon., May 21, 2018.
- For more information, visit www.mercergov.org/ArtsCouncil

