

SEATTLE PARKS FOUNDATION

Seattle Parks Foundation is seeking a part-time independent contractor to advance [Duwamish Valley Safe Streets](#)' coalition building, community engagement, and campaigns for safe, walkable, bikeable, and accessible streets in the Duwamish Valley. Compensation - \$2,900/mo. upon receipt of invoice and agreed upon deliverables. Workload will vary, expect a range from 15-25 hours/week.

Skills:

- Knowledge of Duwamish Valley
- Ability to work independently and ask for help when necessary
- Experience building working relationships with community members in the Duwamish Valley, with agency representatives and non-profit partners
- Comfortable speaking to groups, individuals, and communicating via email
- Have an interest in and passion for walking, biking, rolling, and keeping the community safe from traffic
- Are creative and like to try new things
- Ability to do administrative and communications tasks that support the above tasks such as tracking progress, saving contact information, taking notes, managing a google group and budget, submitting invoices, posting to social media.

Main tasks:

- Bring together community members (virtual or in-person outdoors) who are demographically diverse and representative of the Duwamish Valley around issues of safe streets through events or meetings.
- Advocate and organize around the completion of the [Georgetown – South Park Trail](#) (construction planned for Aug 2022)
- Work with the community, partner organizations including [Seattle Neighborhood Greenways](#), [Seattle Parks Foundation](#), and the City of Seattle, etc., to advocate for connecting South Park and Georgetown to surrounding neighborhoods and regional routes, including from Georgetown to Downtown through SODO.
- Respond to and organize around emerging community priorities of walkability, traffic, biking, & accessibility on our streets.

To apply: Send a cover letter to Michelle Benetua – michelle@seattleparksfoundation.org ideally by 12/13/21 to start in January.