

NEWS RELEASE
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**MASON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
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**TO: KMAS, KRXY, SHELTON-MASON COUNTY JOURNAL, THE
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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, CITY OF SHELTON, ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL, THE SUN**

RE: Limited Hours of Operations for Mason County Permit Assistance Center

On Wednesday, January 25, 2006, business operations at the Mason County Permit Assistance Center will be limited during the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon due to an all-department staff meeting.

The Permit Assistance Center is located in Mason County Building III, at 426 West Cedar Street in Shelton. The office will be open to the public, however, no permits will be processed or issued during this four-hour time period.

Normal business operations will resume at 12:00 noon. We apologize for any inconvenience, however, we believe allowing for this staff development time will result in improved efficiencies to the public.

If you should have any questions, please contact Barbara Robinson, Permit Assistance Center Manager at 427-9670, ext. 603.

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