



*You are cordially invited to attend
The City of Gresham Redevelopment Meeting
Gresham Council chambers
1333 Eastman Parkway
Thursday October 18, 2007
3:30 p.m. Light Refreshments
4:00 p.m. Meeting begins*

Rockwood Presentation

The Rockwood Weed and Seed project was a five year community revitalization strategy that combined law enforcement with citizen action and community development. Awarded in 2002 the total funding of \$1,029,286.00 was invested in the Rockwood community through support of increased law enforcement services and unique efforts to engage citizens in an array of community based solutions.

September marked the end of the federal grant funding and the Executive Team of the Rockwood Weed and Seed Steering Committee will present a recap of the community supported Weed and Seed strategies; celebrating what has been accomplished, highlighting the challenges that remain, sharing a vision for the future and recognizing those who have contributed to its success.

As part of their presentation the Executive Team will formally recognize and honor the outstanding contributions made by citizens, agencies, city staff and leadership; acknowledging the commitment of time and energy provided by those who have actively participated in Rockwood's redevelopment efforts through the Weed and Seed project.

Award Recipients

- Kathie Mindon – “The Rock of Rockwood”
- Gary Tribbett – Outstanding Outcome for Compassion Rockwood
- Drakes 7 Dees – Business Contributor
- Judiciary – Multnomah County District Attorneys Office
- Paul Warr-King – Community Leader
- Dina DiNucci – Community Torch Bearer *carrying the light forward.*
- Carla Piluso – City of Gresham
- Rich Pierce – Law Enforcement
- El Programma Hispano - Agency
- Maura Cioeta, PAL – Agency Representative

Special Mention: Marylou Begart of Rockwood Library, Jean DeMaster of Human Solutions, Virginia Warren of Oregon State Employment, Sharon Kelly (former) Commissioner Multnomah County, Keith Biggs of Reynolds School District, Brenda Butler Former RWS Coordinator – City of Gresham , Kristen West of Multnomah Commissioner Roberts office.

We hope to see you there!