

### Why a Neighborhood Report Card?

When you are in good health, you can better take advantage of life's opportunities and be more resilient to challenges. We can say the same for our neighborhood. We believe that when our neighborhood is healthy, everyone who lives, works, studies, plays and prays in Rainier Beach can thrive. Rainier Beach Action Coalition (RBAC) collaborated with student researchers at the University of Washington to create the first Our Rainier Beach Neighborhood Report Card. Now, we can identify and track areas of pride and success, and areas needing improvement.

### **Grading Process**

We adapted The Prevention Institute's THRIVE model (Toolkit for Health and Resilience in Vulnerable Environments), used data from sources such as the U.S. Census, Seattle School District, Seattle Police Department, and conducted street surveys. The grading criteria included comparisons to Seattle or a similar neighborhood, a 3-5 year trend over time, or progress towards a goal. For the full report, please visit www.rbcoalition.org.

### What's Next?

Look out for 2019 Our Rainier Beach Neighborhood Report Card. We invite you to provide feedback, celebrate our accomplishments, and join us in continuing our collective efforts towards excellence and vibrancy!



# **Overall Grade** Very Good

### **Place**

**Arts & Culture Parks** Safety Air, Soil, Water **Getting Around Goods & Services Look & Feel** Housing

### **People**

**Guardianship Trust** 

### **72%**

100% A 100% A 76% В 73% 68% В 63% В 52% C 46%

**Pursuit of the Common Good** 

### 64%

73% 60% В 60% B

### Fair Opportunities

**Education Treatment Jobs & Wealth** 

### 57%

60% B 60% B 52%



## WHAT WE CAN DO

### Residents, Youth, Families, Businesses and Organizations Needed to Improve Our Grades!

- Join the Corner Greeters and A Beautiful Safe Place for Youth to improve our look and feel grade. Mondays 4:30 @ Neighborcare 206-914-1762 rbactioncoalition@gmail.com
- Become a Food Innovation District Partner to increase jobs, wealth and affordable housing. Monthly meetings 206-859-7820
- Join the Back2School Bash Committee to inspire our youth in their educational goals. Wednesdays 6:30 @ Urban Impact/ECBF 206-518-7444
- Attend the RBAC Monthly Action Team Meetings to keep all our grades up. Third Thursdays 6:30 @ Neighborcare 206-788-7897

Share our successes and areas of need with your church, family, friends and social networks



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