

FLOOD PROTECTION ASSISTANCE

Much of Orting's beauty comes from its location between the Carbon and Puyallup rivers. Along with these two beautiful rivers comes many wetlands or riparian areas which are lands that occur along watercourses and water bodies. These wetlands are important for allow water to flow to the river during high water events. Sometimes, during these events, the storage capacity is not enough and flooding may occur.

The City of Orting can provide site visits to review flooding, drainage, and sewer problems, and providing one-on-one advise to property owners about protection of the property within its City limits.

The City of Orting Building Department, Public Works Department and Consultant Engineer are available by phone or email to schedule an appointment.

- Orting Building Department (360) 893-9007 / tlincoln@cityoforting.org
- Orting Public Works Department (360) 893-9039 / publicworks@cityoforting.org
- Orting Public Works Director (360) 893-9038 / mmaurer@cityoforting.org
- Appointments with our consultant engineer can be made through our Public Works Department or Building Department

The City continues to reach out to its residents through social media for tips on stormwater management & flooding advice, through it's website at www.cityoforting.org and by sending out this letter annually in the utility bill. Additionally, when staffing is available, the City of Orting will provide Flood Information at the Farmers Market or at one of the many events as Summer Fest, Pumpkin Fest or the Red Hat Days Parade.