

# Greater Kingston

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## Who is Greater Kingston Chamber of Commerce?

We are a membership organization that exists primarily to represent and promote the interests of our member businesses. We work at the local level, to develop and deepen relationship networks to promote business activity and business-to-business exchanges. Chambers of commerce also engage in charitable activities that focus on local needs. Our chamber produces the Annual Kingston Wine Walk, Kingston's Cove Summer Concert Series, Kingston's Cove Christmas, Kingston High School Home Coming Parade and Dance and in 2016 for the first time ever, a 3-day Kingston Carnival complete with exciting rides, carnie games and vendors. We also assist in the production and promotion of many events and fundraisers for Kingston-NK Rotary, Greater Kingston Kiwanis, Boys & Girls Club, Village Green Foundation, Friends of the Library, Kingston Farmer's Market, Kingston Schools & Booster Clubs and more.

Chambers of commerce operate at the local, state, regional and national level. It is not uncommon for a business to be a member of multiple chambers of commerce. According to the American Chamber of Commerce Executives, independent chambers of commerce have been a part of American community life for more than two centuries. Approximately 3,000 independent chambers of commerce operate in communities across the country. Worldwide, nearly 13,000 chambers have been officially registered by the World Chambers Network.

Most chambers of commerce operate in a natural service area, such as a city or a geographic area comprising several communities. The Greater Kingston Chamber encompasses the areas of Hansville, Port Gamble, Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribal Nation, Kingston, Indianola and the Suquamish Tribal Nation. Our board and executive directors try to engage with many community and advisory groups, Kitsap Transit, The Port of Kingston and Kitsap County Departments and Commissioners, to ensure an effective communications network and broad understanding of the challenges and goals of our business community and citizens.

Please consider becoming more involved with the Greater Kingston Chamber of Commerce in 2016. You don't have to own a business to become a member or volunteer. I look forward to answering any questions you may have. Please contact me via phone or email at your convenience.

# Happy New Year!

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## NEW RESTAURANT OPENS IN KINGSTON

### MI SUENO TACOS Y MAS – MEXICAN TAKE-OUT AND CATERING



(Owner, Anna Moore with daughter, Alina Hurtado)

Born in Mexico, Anita "Anna" Moore learned from an early age that that cooking was an essential component of her family's rich Latino culture. For at any given time of the day the wonderful smells that came from her mother's kitchen brought memories of family gatherings large and small, and the joy that a familia brings to one another.

After marrying and having children of her own, Anna fully embraced those wonderful culinary traditions and set out to bring authentic Mexican flavors to her neighbors in Kitsap

County through catering and vending at farmer's markets, festivals and events. Mi Sueno Catering has been incredibly successful. Anna, along with her family and employees, are busy feeding people nearly every day of the year.

Luckily for those of us not at the K-NK Rotary Luncheon every Wednesday, we now have the opportunity to share in the joy that is Anna's cooking. On December 5th, Anna opened Mi Sueno Tacos Y Mas, Mexican Take-Out. Located adjacent to the Kingston Ferry Terminal parking lot at 25923 Washington Blvd., Mi Sueno is poised to become the next great take-out in the region. For years, folks have been riding the ferry to Kingston to enjoy the 6 time winner of Evening Magazine's Best of Western Washington's take-out, Jaime Les Crepes. Now they will be coming for crepes and the incredible Sasquatcho Burrito (as big as your head), and delicioso street tacos with fresh lime and cilantro! Carne Asada, Polla Asada, Carnitas, Venduras, even Mariscos on occasion.

Open 11am to 7pm daily except Mondays. Come in or call ahead, 360-860-0303.

Follow Mi Sueno Tacos y Mas on Facebook and Instagram and visit their website!

<http://www.misuenotaqueria.com/>



## CHAMBER AFTER HOURS

### Thursday, January 14th, 5-7pm

Please join us for great networking, appetizers and beverages at the Kingston Puerto Vallarta Restaurant.

This event is open all Kingston Chamber of Commerce members and their guests.

RSVP to [director@kingstonchamber.com](mailto:director@kingstonchamber.com)

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