Promoting Shoreline

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- Funded in 2015, launched in Q2 2016
- Outward-focused campaign
 - New residents
 - New investors and businesses
- Consultant Jennifer Rash, PRR



NEW RESIDENTS



Millennial Demographics

- 1. Inform those wanting a city like Shoreline
 - New to region, living south of Shoreline
- 2. Debunk myths about Shoreline
 - Long-time in region, living north of Shoreline



Three New Resident Messages

- 1. Interesting and diverse residents
- 2. Exceptional transportation options and connectivity
 - Note re: commute time
- 3. Desirable amenities



NEW BUSINESSES & INVESTORS



1. Vision 2029 businesses

A Vision 2029 business is one-of-a-kind, adding character and a sense of place to Shoreline's neighborhoods. Along with jobs, it provides:

- Unique products and services
- Entertainment and dining options, and/or
- Neighborhood gathering places



1. Vision 2029 businesses

Target: Owners/operators, brokers, residents

Message: Profitable business environment



- 2. For-sale single-family detached homes
 - Affordable home ownership
 - Appealing to families
 - Builders unaware of zoning changes



2. For-sale single-family detached homes *Target:* Builders, land brokers, residential brokers

Message: Areas with correct zoning



- 3. Growing media production industry
 - Council Goal 1, Action Step 6:

Explore development of a state-of-the-art media campus that makes Shoreline the regional center of the digital media production industry



3. Growing media production industry *Target:* Government agencies, media industry pros

Message: Commitment to regional industry success



MARKETING STRATEGY



Two types of campaigns

- 1. Central, long-haul campaign
 - "Surprised by Shoreline" message

2. Short-term campaigns to spark interest



Central Campaign











Microsite

- Hub of content about Shoreline
- Warm, light-hearted
- Platform for bragging
- Attractive, sharable information
- Next-steps to experience Shoreline







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MY TRIP







PORTLAND IS HAPPENING = NOW=

Portland is Happening Now

When's the best time to visit Portland? Right now. Tomorrow. Ten days from now. Because every second of every day, something is happening here that isn't happening anywhere else.

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SEASONAL FAVORITES

Happening This Week

Seeing Nature: Landscape Masterworks from the Paul







MORE PICKS »



ALL SPECIES ARE VENOMOUS, BUT THE BLUE-RINGED OCTOPUS IS THE ONLY ONE DANGEROUS TO HUMANS, RESPONSIBLE FOR AT LEAST TWO DEATHS.

one hundred thousand

IS THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF EGGS THAT A FEMALE OCTOPUS CAN LAY, BUT THE AVERAGE LITTER SIZE IS ONLY 80.

OCTOPUSES VS. OCTOPI



THE PLURAL IN ENGLISH IS "OCTOPUSES," BUT THE GREEK PLURAL FORM"OCTOPODES" IS SOMETIMES USED. "OCTOPI," WHILE COMMONLY USED, IS CONSIDERED INCORRECT.

AN OCTOPUS HAS 3 HEARTS



OCTOPUSES

THE GIANT PACIFIC OCTOPUS CAN **INHABIT DEPTHS OF UP TO 5,000 FEET**



A mature female octopus can have up to 280 suckers on each arm! Each sucker contains thousands of chemical receptors, with sensitivities to both touch and taste.

> **OCTOPUSES CAN QUICKLY** CHANGE THE COLOR AND TEXTURE OF THEIR SKIN



BECAUSE THEY DON'T HAVE BONES, EVEN LARGE OCTOPUSES CAN FIT THROUGH AN OPENING THE SIZE OF A QUARTER

RECOGNIZED









THE GIANT PACIFIC

OCTOPUS CAN WEIGH MORE THAN 600 **POUNDS**







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