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EMPTY PROPERTY WILL OPEN UP NEW OPEN SPACE AND COMMUNITY GARDEN

Mayor Carlo DeMaria Jr. recently announced his plans to renovate 68 Main Street into a vibrant new community park. The property was formerly a six-unit apartment building that was severely damaged in a December 2007 fire. The city took ownership of the property through a tax-title foreclosure. Once acquired the Mayor decided the area needed additional open space and decided to use the property as passive parkland.

Using leftover material from the Everett Stadium project, City Services crews filled in the remaining foundation and the Mayor is currently finalizing a design that will incorporate seating areas, picnic areas and the City's first Community Garden. After meeting with residents and the resident association of 66 Main Street, all are in favor of the small park and adding nice open space to the area.

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