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**35<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary of the Skagit Valley Tulip Festival**

It's that time of year again! The Skagit County Tulip Festival will kick off April 1<sup>st</sup> and run through the entire month. If you're planning on seeing the beautiful scenery of the blooming tulips, pack your patience as there will be an increase in traffic.

Here are some alternative ways, besides Kincaid Street, to drive to the tulip fields:

- Take exit 221 and take Fir Island Road – there will be signs for the south end traffic
- Take exit 230 and use Best Road – there will be signs for the north end traffic
- Take exit 218 and use Mill Town Road

Remember, if you can go mid-week you will also notice less traffic to compete with. But, if you've got the entire weekend to spare, you might want to stay at one of the many local hotels or Bed and Breakfast Inns and hop over to the San Juan Islands!

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