



Tradin' Crows~

June 2022 Edition



City of Rogue River

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City Hall Hours:

Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Closed for Lunch from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

City Council Meetings:

4th Thursday of every month at 6:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers

City Council Workshops:

1st & 3rd Thursdays at 10:00 a.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers

See Calendar (page 2) for other meetings

Mayor: Wayne Stuart

City Council Members:

- Jack Bird
- Pam VanArsdale
- Rick Kempa
- Barb Hilty
- Sherri Moss
- Barb Gregory

Planning Commission Members:

- Jay Chick
- Dee Copley
- Dean Stirm
- Sharie Davis
- Jonna Strauss
- Debbie Kenny
- David Marshall

City Administrator: Mark Reagles

Chief of Police: Jim Williams

Public Works Director: Michael Bollweg

Thank you to Southern Oregon Sanitation for your assistance in picking up over 11,180 pounds of citizens unwanted items during last months "Spring Trash Pickup"



"City Council's Update"



Last month's City Council meeting began with Mayor Wayne Stuart asking City Administrator Mark Reagles to deliver the Invocation. Followed with the Mayor asking the audience to join him with the Pledge of Allegiance. The City Councilors then gave their Committee reports. The following agenda items were handled during the May 2022 meeting:

- 1 Adopted Council Bill No. 22-2441, a Resolution providing for the Municipal Election of Mayor and City Council Members on November 8, 2022.
- 2 Adopted Council Bill No. 22-2442, a Resolution certifying the municipal services provided by the City of Rogue River, Oregon, for the 2022-2023 budget year.
- 3 The City Council heard no comments from the public regarding the City's election to receive State Revenue Sharing for the 2022-2023 budget year.
- 4 Adopted Council Bill No. 22-2443, a Resolution declaring the City's election to receive State

Revenue Sharing for the City of Rogue River, Oregon for the 2022-2023 budget year.

- 5 Adopted Council Bill No. 22-2444, a Resolution authorizing the funds to be used in the financial management of the City of Rogue River, Oregon, for the 2022-2023 budget year.
- 6 Adopted Council Bill No. 22-2445, a Resolution adopting the budget, making appropriations, and levying taxes for the City of Rogue River, Oregon, for the 2022-2023 budget year.
- 7 Approved the appointment of David Marshall to the Planning Commission Alternate position.
- 8 Declared five Parrot CK3100 LCD's and two Viewu Wearable Video Cameras as surplus property to be disposed.

The next Regular Council meeting will be held on Thursday, June 23rd at 6:00 p.m. and the workshops are held at 10:00 a.m. on the first and third Thursdays of each month. With the exception of Executive Sessions all meetings are open to the public.



ATTENTION: Job Openings

If you or someone you know is looking for a job with good benefits and a lifetime carrier the City is hiring administrative staff, police officers and utility maintenance technicians. Apply at City Hall

FROM CHIEF WILLIAMS:

Dog owners please be aware that walking your dogs in this heat can be hazardous to their paws and remember that the City Code does not allow the use of FIRE WORKS in the city limits.

FROM THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT:

The 2021 Consumer Confidence Report is available for viewing at www.cityofrogueriver.org or you can pick up a paper copy at City Hall.



May your graduation be the beginning of many more wonderful achievements in your life.

Congratulations



| JUNE 2022 | | | | | | |
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"MAYOR'S CORNER"

"Congratulations to the Graduating Class of 2022". As graduates this is a moment in your life that you will always remember.

Rooster Park is coming along. The National Guard will be in town in June to help finish work that still needs to be done.

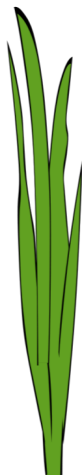
Important dates to remember are Fathers Day on June 19th, Rooster Crow weekend is June 24th to the 26th with the parade and crowing contests on Saturday and the Car Show on Sunday, June 26th. Applications for vendor booths, the parade and the car show are available at City Hall.

I need to remind all of us to keep our City beautiful. Keeping weeds, shrubs and blackberry bushes cut down. We've been told that we are already in drought conditions, resulting in Fire Season being enforced upon us early.

Stay safe and enjoy the beginning of Summer!

Respectfully, Mayor Wayne

| Scheduled Meetings June 2022 | | |
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| 1st | 10:00 am | Sign Review Board |
| 2nd | 9:00 am | Personal Committee |
| | 10:00 am | Council/Staff Workshop |
| 7th | 9:00 am | Safety Committee |
| 8th | 6:00 pm | Tree City Committee |
| 14th | 10:00 am | Planning Commission Workshop |
| 15th | 10:00 am | Sign Review Board |
| | 2:00 pm | Finance Committee |
| 16th | 10:00 am | Council/Staff Workshop |
| 21st | 10:00 am | Police Commission |
| 23rd | 4:30 pm | Council Advisory Committee |
| | 6:00 pm | Council Meeting |
| 28th | 6:00 pm | Planning Commission |
| 30th | 2:00 pm | Finance Committee |
| Second Week in July | | |
| 4th | CLOSED | In Observance of Independence Day |
| 5th | 9:30 am | Safety Committee |
| 6th | 10:00 am | Sign Review Board |
| 7th | 9:00 am | Personnel Committee |
| | 10:00 am | Council/Staff Workshop |



NUISANCES REQUIRING ABATEMENT PROCEDURES

8.05.300 Noxious Vegetation and Debris - WEEDS

No owner or person in control or possession of property may permit weeds or other noxious vegetation to grow upon his property. It is the duty of an owner or person in control or possession of property to cut down or to destroy weeds or other noxious vegetation from becoming unsightly or from becoming a fire hazard or from maturing or going to seed.

A. The term "noxious vegetation" does not include vegetation that constitutes an agricultural crop unless that vegetation is a health hazard or a fire or traffic hazard within the meaning of subsection (B) of this section.

B. The term "noxious vegetation" includes:

1. Weeds more than 10- inches high.
2. Grass more than 10-inches high and not within the exception stated in subsection (A) of this section.
3. Poison oak.
4. Poison ivy.
5. Blackberry bushes that extend into a public thoroughfare or across a property line.
6. Vegetation that is:
 - a. A health hazard;
 - b. A fire hazard because of its height, density, dryness or because it is near other combustibles;
 - c. A traffic hazard because it impairs the view of a public thoroughfare or otherwise makes use of the thoroughfare hazardous.

C. No owner or person in charge of property shall allow noxious vegetation or debris to be on the property or in the right-of-way of a public thoroughfare abutting on the property. The debris shall be removed from areas indicated within seven days by the owner or person in control or possession of the property.

G. The accumulation of high weeds, grass, and other debris is found to create a condition tending to reduce the value of private property; to promote blight, deterioration and unsightliness; to create fire hazards; to create a harborage for rodents and insects; and to be injurious to the health, safety and general welfare. Therefore, the presence of such conditions on private or public property is declared to constitute a public nuisance which may be abated in accordance with the procedures outlined in RRMCMC [8.05.320](#) through [8.05.380](#).

8.05.290 Enforcement and Penalties

A. Enforcement. The Rogue River police department is charged with the responsibilities and the authority for enforcing the provisions of this chapter. The police officer shall have the right to enter upon property at reasonable times to investigate or cause the removal of a nuisance including potentially dangerous animals, dangerous animals, reptiles, or amphibians.

B. Penalties. A violation of a provision of this chapter, or an order issued under authority of this chapter, is punishable by a fine not less than \$50.00 and not to exceed \$1,000.

The Rogue River Kiwanis and Rooster Crow Committee
presents
Rogue River's National Rooster Crowing Contest
Sunday, June 24-26, 2022



Friday, June 24, 2022

Kick-off Dinner at the Rogue River Community Center at 4:00 p.m.
Followed with Live Entertainment at the Woodville Museum Gazebo

Saturday, June 25, 2022

Rooster Crow Parade at 10:00 am
The Don West Band at the Woodville Museum Gazebo from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Human Crowing Contest at 2:00 p.m.
National Rooster Crowing Contest at 2:30 p.m.
Live Entertainment All Day

Sunday, June 26, 2022

Rooster Crow Car Show for Pre 1975 Vehicles at 9:00 a.m.
Church at the Crow with Pastor Roger Coale from the Cowboy Church at 10:00 a.m.
Live Entertainment All Day

Contact Carol Weir at the City of Rogue River for any applications for the weekend events at 541-582-4401 ext. 102 or by email at cweir@cityofrogueriver.org