

Pilot Rock Newsletter

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CITY HALL IS AVAILABLE TO
ASSIST THE COMMUNITY
MONDAY-FRIDAY 8 AM-5 PM

Progress, Pride & Possibilities



June 22, 2012

Mavor: Virginia Carnes

City Council:

Mike Baleztena, Ray Corwin,

Shawna Kirk, Kacie Moss,

Misty Rowe and Annie Tester

Welcome All Stars and Families!

City of Pilot Rock

The next regularly scheduled City Council meeting is
Tuesday July 17, 2012 at 7 pm in the Council Chambers.

All Citizens are Encouraged to Attend!

The following topics were discussed at the last Council Meeting on
June 19, 2012.

1. Pastor Harley Jeffers requested permission to use the City Park.
2. Approved Ordinance No. 555, Receiving State Funds.
3. Approved Resolution #541; Establishing Water Service Connection Fee.
4. Approved Budget Changes and Adopted the 2012-2013 Budget.
5. There will be no Council meeting on July 3, 2012.
6. Discussion on higher Audit fees.
7. Sound System for the Council Chambers.
8. Audit Fee Increase.
9. Pendleton to Street Sweep the Week of June 18th.
10. Bid for Speaker System in Council Chambers.

*Minutes from the June 19, 2012 council meeting will be posted on
the City's website after they are approved by Council at the July
17th Meeting.*

PLEASE VISIT THE WEBSITE AND STAY INFORMED ON WHAT IS
GOING IN YOUR COMMUNITY!!!

www.cityofpilotrock.org



Pilot Rock Downtown Association's 3rd Annual Wine & Beer Phest Sat. June 23 7-9 pm Archie's



Dinner-Hors d'oeuvres-Wine & Microbrew Tasting

No Host Bar Auction-Raffle

Irish Country (Packy Doherty & Friends)) Performing

Tickets: \$20 in advance \$25 at door unless reserved

Reserve Your Ticket by calling 541.443.5832

Tickets available at City Hall, Pilot Rock Market, PR Hardware,
J & D's Mini Mart, Rocket Espresso and Archie's Restaurant

The burn ban (no outdoor burning) is in effect from June 15 to September 15. Recreational Burning is allowed.

After reviewing City Code 3.20.060 Public Safety Act it has come to our attention that there is a \$5.00 late fee per Ordinance 541 (3.20.060) that was effective July 1, 2010. It states that "late charges in the amount of \$5.00 per month shall be attached to any public safety surcharges not received within 30 days of billing".

Effective July 1st, 2012 the City will start enforcing the \$5.00 late fee for all public safety surcharges not received within 30 days of billing, as per City Code 3.20.060 (Ordinance 541). This will be in addition to the \$10.00 late fee being assessed on water accounts with a past due balance.

For the past 2 years this late fee has not been assessed on any accounts.

To view this and or any other City Code please visit the City's website at www.cityofpilotrock.org

These charges can be avoided by keeping your account current. If you have any questions regarding these fees or City Codes please don't hesitate contact City Hall at (541) 443-2811.

06-04 Follow-up
Citizen Contact W. Main
Dog @ large S. Alder St
Area Checks
Runaway SW Birch St
Citizen Contact SW 2nd

06-05 Area Checks

06-06 Citizen Contact SW 2nd
Public Nuisance NE Elm St
Citizen Contact SW 2nd
Public Nuisance SW Birch Pl
Area checks
Agency Assist Hwy 395
Disturbance NE Cherry

06-07 Follow-up

Follow-up
Follow-up
Area Check

06-08 Citizen Contact NE 4th
Public Nuisance SW Cedar
Follow-up
Agency Assist N. Alder St
Public Nuisance SW Birch St
Area Checks
Warrant Main St
Follow-up

06-09 Citizen Assist McGowan Dr
Criminal Mischief (unfounded) McGowan Dr
Follow-up
Accident McKay Cr.
Area Checks

06-10 Citizen Contact SW Birch St
Area Check
Citizen Contact W. Main
Agency Assist Hwy 395
Found Property SE Cherry
Warrant Arrest SE Cherry



06-11

Disabled Vehicle Hwy 395
Curfew Violation Main ST
Citizen Contact NW Birch ST
Public Works Assist SW 2nd
Citizen Contact N. Alder Pl
Area Check
Citizen Contact McGowan Dr
Citizen Contact SW Birch St
Ordinance SE 3rd
Follow-up
Warrant Service SW Birch St
Warrant Service SE Cherry
Public Nuisance W. Main
Assist Hwy 395

Gertie's going to get jealous!

06-12 Citizen Contact W. Main
Warrant Service W. Main
Citizen Contact SW 2nd
Follow-up
Criminal Mischief SW 3rd
Follow-up
Follow-up
Area check



06-13 Dog @ large NE Gumwood
Restraining Order Violation NE 5th
Dog @ large NE Elm
Dog @ large SE 4th
Area Checks

06-14 Dog @ large NE Elm
Area Check

06-15 Citizen Contact Alder Pl
Citizen Contact Alder Pl
Theft NE Cherry
Area Checks
Dog @ large SW Cedar

06-16 Noise Complaint W. Main
Follow-up
Assist SW Cedar
Area Check

Dog @ large NE Cherry
06-17 Area Check
Agency Assist NW Cedar



PRPD Press Log

Pilot Rock Fire Protection District 7-401

The PR Fire Department would like to extend a huge thank you to the many who helped contain the fire at the bark plant facility on Sunday, June 18, and those who worked in a support capacity.

The jurisdictions who responded to the mutual aid call included: East Umatilla Rural FD, Echo, Oregon Dept. of Forestry, Pendleton, Hermiston, Stanfield . Heppner (2 support rigs), Umatilla Tribal, and Raymond Doherty Fencing, LLC.

Equipment that was loaned to the effort by Boise Cascade and Packy Doherty and the FD is most appreciated of the operators: Bill McLaren and Robert Vaughn, from Boise and both Packy and Kelly Doherty of Doherty Welding.

Special thanks goes out to Boise Cascade Manager Mike Zojonc and Safety Manager, Jim Berry, for their on scene involvement, and their willingness to do whatever was requested or needed.

Many helped behind the scenes---Fire Board member Keith Jones and wife Deborah, the Hemphill ladies---Jeanne, Tanya and Gracee, the Willinghams--Josh, Rachel and Anita, Jamie and Val Harer and Rebecca Carnes Burke. Thanks also to the Pilot Rock Market and employees Norma Hoisington and Rae Breeding for getting the first round of sandwiches completed in record time for 30-40 firefighters.!

Police Chief Darren Richman, Public Works Supervisor Steve Draper, Officers LeGore and Faber----we thank you all for your help!

With Our Deepest Appreciation,

Ron Neeley--- Fire Chief

Virginia Carnes---Fire Board Secretary

Professionalism

Pride



Notes from the Chief

Dog Complaints

We have increased calls for service regarding dogs running at large. This week alone we have received two calls regarding animal bites.

Neither person had major injuries, although both had minor injuries from the bites.

Citizens need to ensure their dogs are restrained and are not allowed to run at large. You need to license your dog and repair any containment area. Your animals need to have access to food, water and shelter, especially during the summer months.

Dogs found to be at large can be impounded along with the owner receiving a citation that starts at \$25 for the first offense and increases with each offense. If you see dogs running at large, call dispatch at 541-966-3651 and report location, description of dog and direction of travel.

Burn Ban

Please be reminded that the burn ban is in effect from June 15 to September 15.

If you have any questions, please call me at 541-443-1224. Thank you!

Chief Richman

Attention Scrapbookers!

Are you tired of having to drive to Hermiston or Tri-Cities for scrapbook supplies? Are you interested in starting a scrapbook, making cards for your friends and family, or just want to meet other scrapbookers? If the answer is yes, give me a call or an email! I am looking for at least ten dedicated or enthusiastic scrapbookers to join me as I become a local "Close to My Heart" Consultant. We will share the hostess benefits as well as new techniques and tips for making every project as special as the person receiving it! I look forward to hearing from you very soon!

For more information contact: Lela Thieme @ 443-2127 or lela.thieme@gmail.com.



Greetings Gardeners! We are delighted to report that the deer fence at our Elm Street site is up and operational. Many thanks to Lorin Newberry and Bruce Carson for wrestling that wire mesh up and into place last weekend. There are beds available, several of which have been amended with manure which was graciously provided by Bill Etter (Thanks Bill!!!) There is still plenty of planting season left and we plan to put in an extensive fall garden demonstration this year. For more information please call me at 443-2905. See you in the garden! Lori Newberry